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Welcome to GeoNode's Documentation.

GeoNode is an Open Source, Content Management System (CMS) for geospatial data. It is a web-based application and platform for developing geospatial information systems (GIS) and for deploying spatial data infrastructures (SDI).

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1.1 What is GeoNode



GeoNode is a geospatial content management system, a platform for the management and publication of geospatial data. It brings together mature and stable open-source software projects under a consistent and easy-to-use interface allowing non-specialized users to share data and create interactive maps.

Data management tools built into GeoNode allow for integrated creation of data, metadata, and map visualization. Each dataset in the system can be shared publicly or restricted to allow access to only specific users. Social features like user profiles and commenting and rating systems allow for the development of communities around each platform to facilitate the use, management, and quality control of the data the GeoNode instance contains.

It is also designed to be a flexible platform that software developers can extend, modify or integrate against to meet requirements in their own applications.

1.1.1 Showcase

A handful of other Open Source projects extend GeoNode's functionality by tapping into the re-usability of Django applications. Visit our gallery to see how the community uses GeoNode: [GeoNode Showcase](#).

The development community is very supportive of new projects and contributes ideas and guidance for newcomers.

For a live demo see also [Online Demo](#)

1.1.2 Most useful links

General

- Project homepage: <https://geonode.org>
- Repository: <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode>
- Official Demo: <http://master.demo.geonode.org>
- GeoNode Wiki: <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode/wiki>
- Issue tracker: <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project/issues>

In case of sensitive bugs like security vulnerabilities, please contact a GeoNode Core Developer directly instead of using issue tracker. We value your effort to improve the security and privacy of this project!

Related projects

- GeoNode Project: <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project>
- GeoNode at Docker: <https://hub.docker.com/u/geonode>
- GeoNode OSGeo-Live: <https://live.osgeo.org/en/>

1.2 Licensing

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1.3 Current Version and Features

GeoNode current version: 3.2.0

Main Features: [State of GeoNode](#)

1.4 Get in touch with the community

GeoNode is an open source project and contributors are needed to keep this project moving forward. Learn more on how to contribute on our [Community Bylaws](#).

- User Mailing List: <https://lists.osgeo.org/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/geonode-users>
- Developer Mailing List: <https://lists.osgeo.org/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/geonode-devel>
- Gitter Chat: <https://gitter.im/GeoNode/general>

1.5 Roadmap

GeoNode's development roadmap is documented in a series of GeoNode Improvement Projects (GNIPS). They are documented at [GeoNode Wiki](#).

GNIPS are considered to be large undertakings which will add a large amount of features to the project. As such they are the topic of community discussion and guidance.

The community discusses these on the developer mailing list: <http://lists.osgeo.org/pipermail/geonode-devel/>

1.6 GeoNode Basics



is a platform for the management and publication of geospatial data. It brings together mature open-source software projects under an easy to use interface.

1.6.1 *With GeoNode, non-specialized users can share data and create interactive maps.*

1.6.2 Geospatial data storage

GeoNode allows users to upload vector data (currently shapefiles, json, csv, kml and kmz) and raster data in their original projections using a web form.

Vector data is converted into geospatial tables on a DB, satellite imagery and other kinds of raster data are retained as GeoTIFFs.

Special importance is given to standard metadata formats like ISO 19139:2007 / ISO 19115 metadata standards.

As soon as the upload is finished, the user can fill the resource metadata in order to make it suddenly available through the [CSW](#) (OGC Catalogue Service) endpoints and APIs.

Users may also upload a metadata XML document (ISO, FGDC, and Dublin Core format) to fill key GeoNode metadata elements automatically.

Similarly, GeoNode provides a web based styler that lets the users to change the data portrayals and preview the changes at real time.

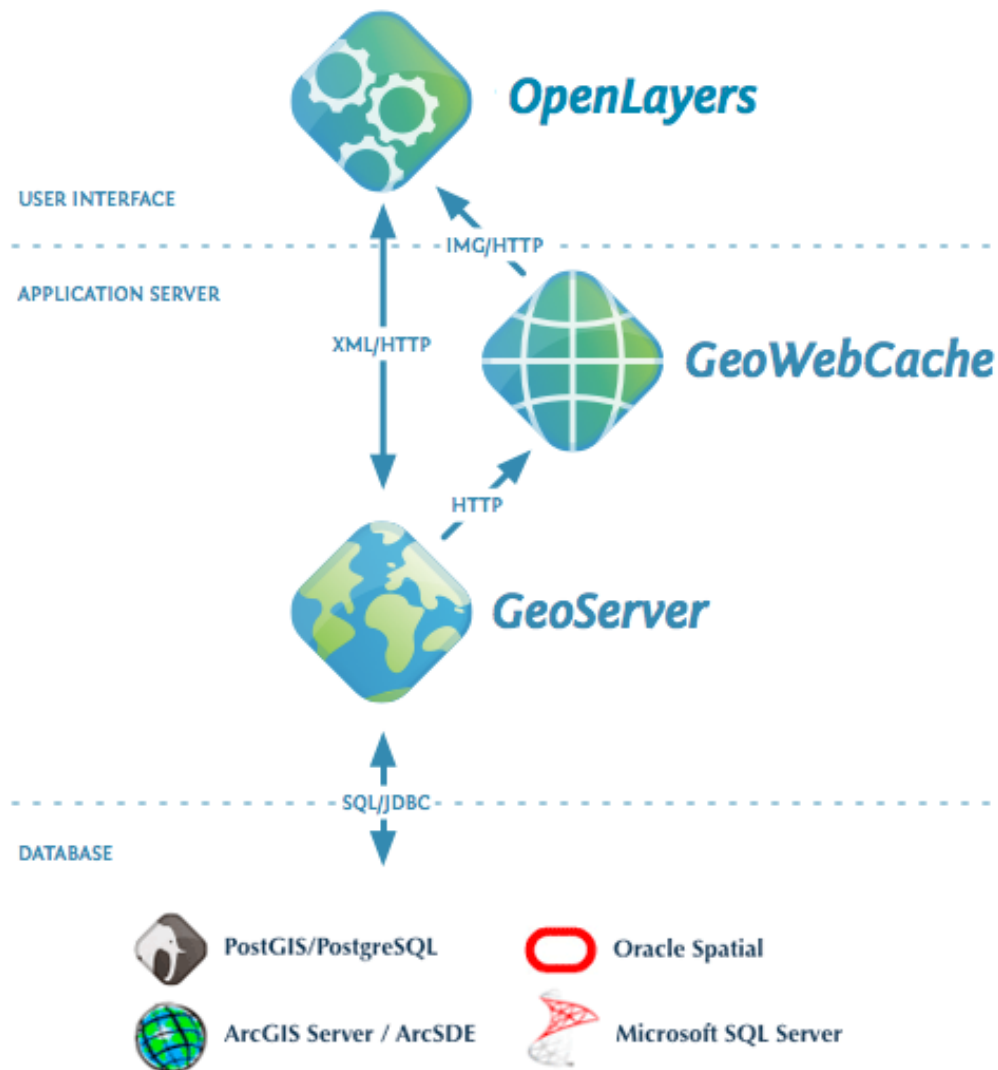
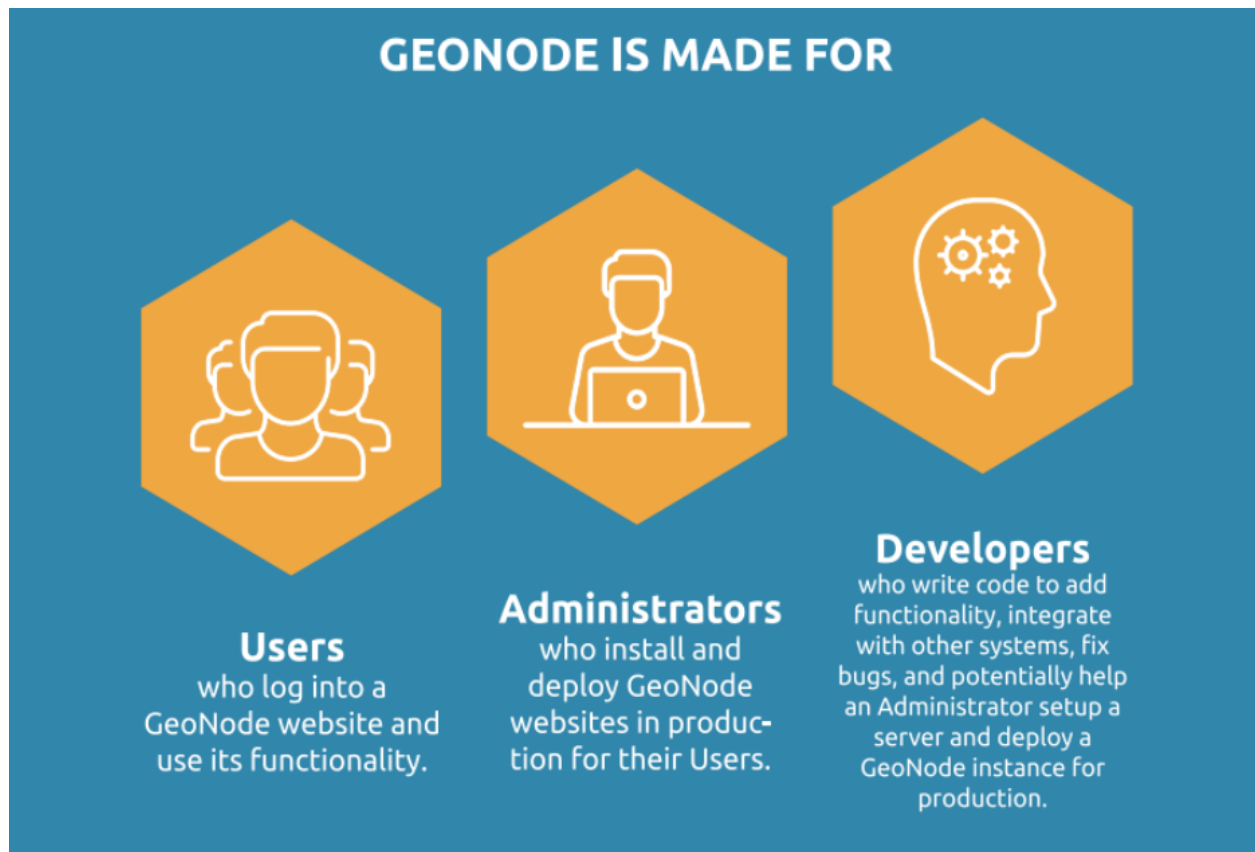


Fig. 1: *GeoNode simplified architecture*



1.6.3 Data mixing, maps creation

Once the data has been uploaded, GeoNode lets the user search for it geographically or via keywords in order to create fancy maps.

All the datasets are automatically re-projected to web Mercator for maps display, making it possible to use different popular base datasets, like Open Street Map, Google Satellite or Bing datasets.

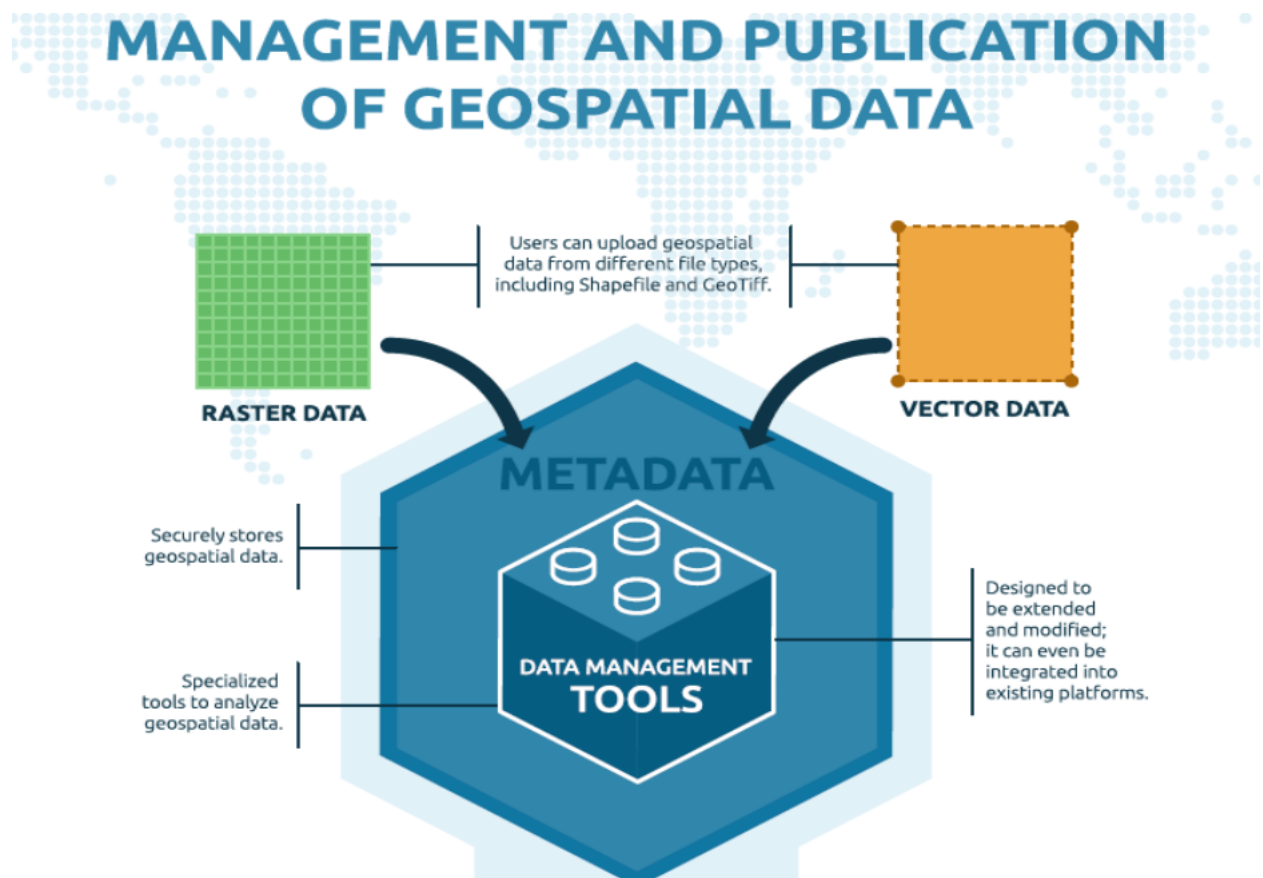
Once the maps are saved, it is possible to embed them in any web page or get a PDF version for printing.

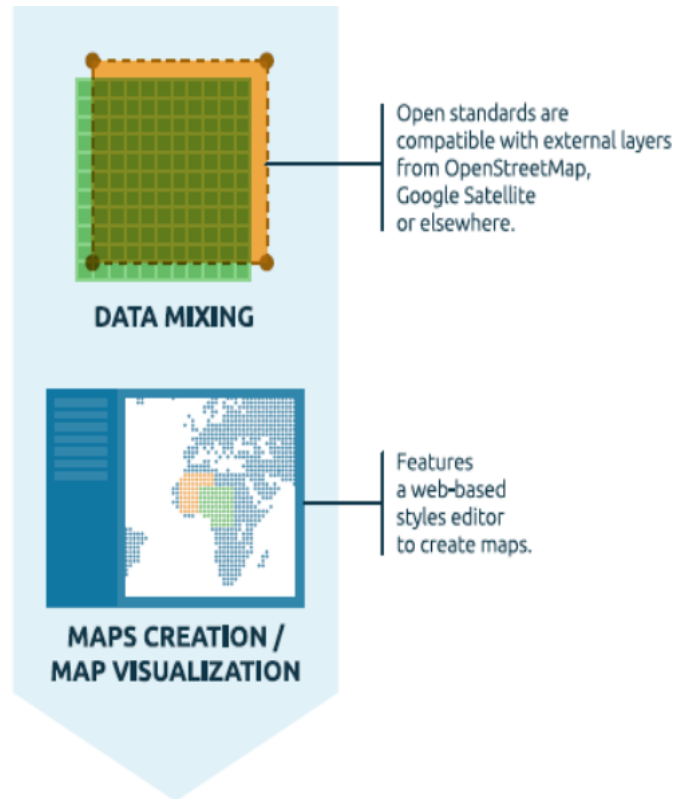
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1.6.5 Convinced! Where do I sign?

The next steps are:

1. Make a ride on the *Online Demo*
2. Follow the *Quick Installation Guide* in order to play with your own local instance and access all the admin functionalities
3. Read the documentation starting from the *user guide* to the *admin guide*
4. Subscribe to the [geonode-users](#) and/or [geonode-devel](#) mailing lists to join the community. See also the section *Get in touch with the community* for more info.

Thanks for your interest!

1.7 Supported Browsers

GeoNode is known to be working on all modern web browsers.

This list includes (but is not limited to):

- Google Chrome.
- Apple Safari.
- Mozilla Firefox.
- Microsoft Edge.

Note: The vast majority of GeoNode developers prefer using Google Chrome.

1.8 Online Demo

Note: Disclaimer we do not guarantee for any data published on this Demo Site. Publish the data at your own risk. Every dataset will be removed automatically every Sunday. If you find some dataset that shouldn't be there, please write suddenly to developers and maintainers.

See the section *Get in touch with the community* for details.

A live demo of the latest stable build is available at <http://master.demo.geonode.org/>.

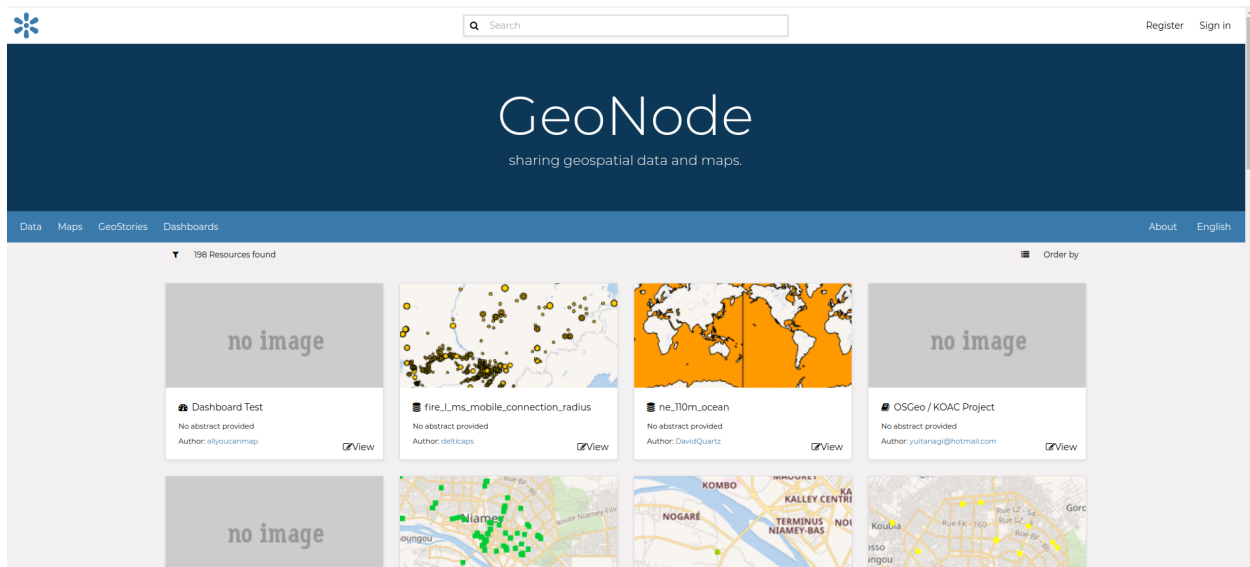


Fig. 2: Online Demo @ master.demo.geonode.org

Anyone may sign up for a user account, upload and style data, create and share maps, and change permissions. Since it is a demo site, every sunday all the datasets will be wiped out. Users, passwords and groups will be preserved. It should hopefully allow you to easily and quickly make a tour of the main capabilities of GeoNode.

Warning: This GeoNode instance is configured with standards settings and a very low security level. This is a demo only not to be considered a really production ready system. For a complete list of settings, refer to the section: *Settings*

1.9 Quick Installation Guide

1.9.1 Quick Installation Guide

Introduction

The following is a quick guide to get started with GeoNode in most common operating systems.

Note: For a full setup and deployment, please refer to the *complete installation guides*

This is meant to be run on a fresh machine with no previously installed packages or GeoNode versions.

Warning: The methods presented here are meant to be used for a limited internal demo only. Before exposing your GeoNode instance to a public server, please read carefully the *hardening guide*

Recommended Minimum System Requirements

A definite specification of technical requirements is difficult to recommend. Accepted performance is highly subjective. Furthermore, the performance depends on factors such as concurrent users, records in the database or the network connectivity of your infrastructure.

For deployment of GeoNode on a single server, the following are the *bare minimum* system requirements:

- 8GB of RAM (16GB or more preferred for a production deployment).
- 2.2GHz processor with 4 cores. (Additional processing power may be required for multiple concurrent styling renderings)
- 30 GB software disk usage (Reserved to OS and source code only).
- Additional disk space for any data hosted with GeoNode, data stored on the DataBase and tiles cached with GeoWebCache. For db, spatial data, cached tiles, and “scratch space” useful for administration, a decent baseline size for GeoNode deployments is between 50GB and 100GB.
- 64-bit hardware **strongly** recommended.

OSGeo Live CD



OSGeoLive is a self-contained bootable DVD, USB thumb drive or Virtual Machine based on Lubuntu, that allows you to try a wide variety of open source geospatial software without installing anything.

It is composed entirely of free software, allowing it to be freely distributed, duplicated and passed around.

It provides pre-configured applications for a range of geospatial use cases, including storage, publishing, viewing, analysis and manipulation of data.

It also contains sample datasets and documentation.

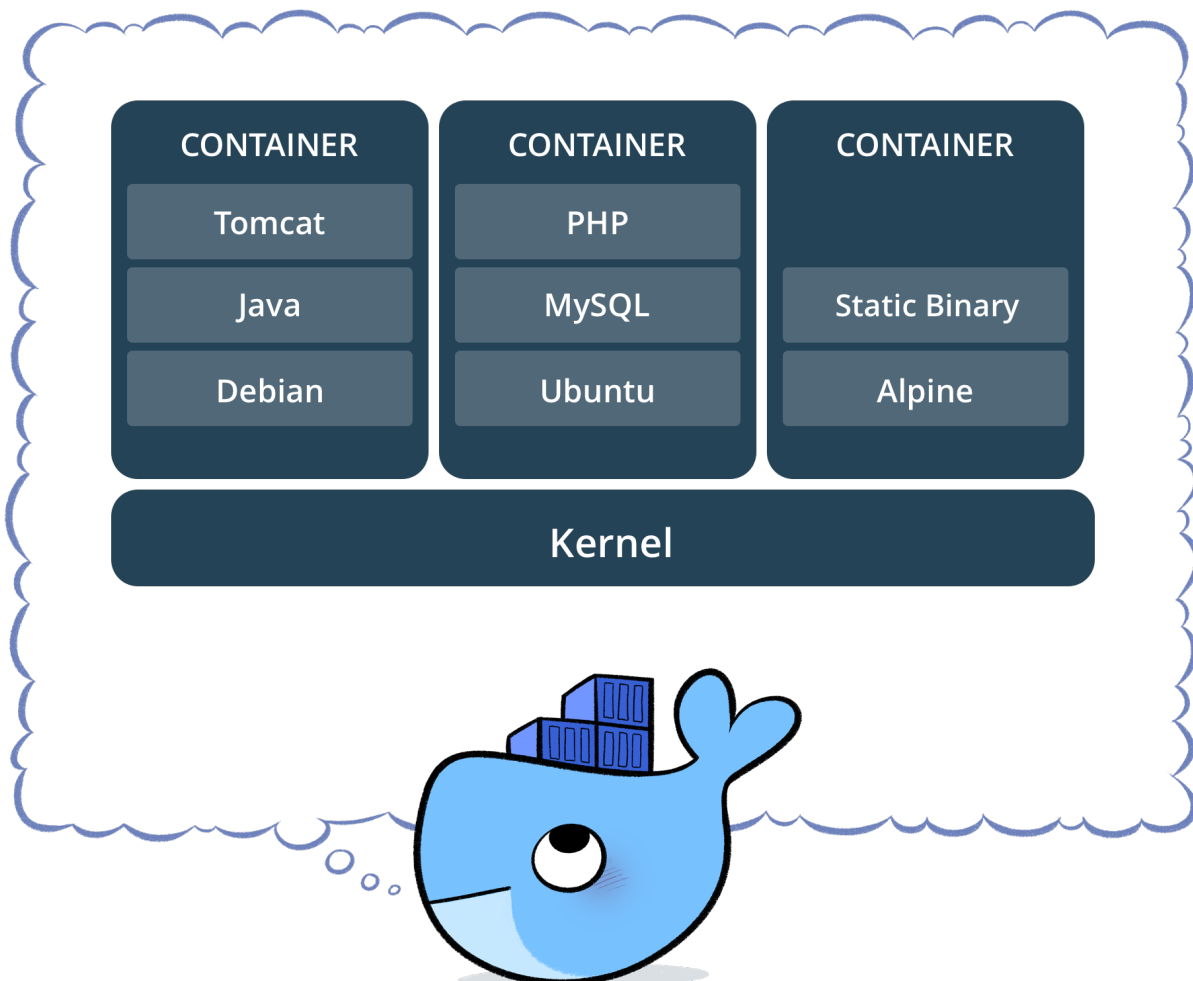
To try out the applications, simply:

- Insert DVD or USB thumb drive in computer or virtual machine.
- Reboot computer. (verify boot device order if necessary)
- Press *Enter* to startup & login.
- Select and run applications from the *Geospatial* menu.

OSGeoLive is an [OSGeo Foundation](#) project. The [OSGeo Foundation](#) is a not-for-profit supporting Geospatial Open Source Software development, promotion and [education](#).

Install via Docker

[Docker](#) is a free software platform used for packaging software into standardized units for development, shipment and deployment.



Note: credits to Docker

Introducing main concepts

A container image is a lightweight, stand-alone, executable package of a piece of software that includes everything needed to run it: code, runtime, system tools, system libraries, settings.

Docker containers running on a single machine share that machine's operating system kernel; they start instantly and use less compute and RAM.

Containers can share a single kernel, and the only information that needs to be in a container image is the executable and its package dependencies, which never need to be installed on the host system.

Multiple containers can run on the same machine and share the OS kernel with other containers, each running as isolated processes in user space.

The following tutorials will introduce the use of Docker community edition on:

- [Ubuntu 20.04](#)
- [CentOS 7.0](#)

1.10 GeoNode Users Guide

1.10.1 Accounts and User Profile

In GeoNode many contents are public so unregistered users have read-only access to public maps, datasets and documents. In order to create maps, add datasets or documents, edit the data and share these resources with other users, you need to sign in.

GeoNode is primarily a *social* platform, thus a primary component of any GeoNode instance is the user account.

This section will guide you through account registration, updating your account information and preferences, connections with social networks and email addresses.

Creating a New Account

To take full advantage of all the GeoNode features you need a user account. Follow these step to create a new one.

1. From any page in the web interface, you will see a *Register* link. Click that link, and the register form will appear

Note: The registrations in GeoNode must be open, in case you don't see the register link then it's not possible to register unless the administrator of the site does that for you.

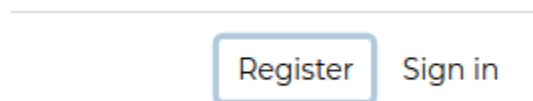
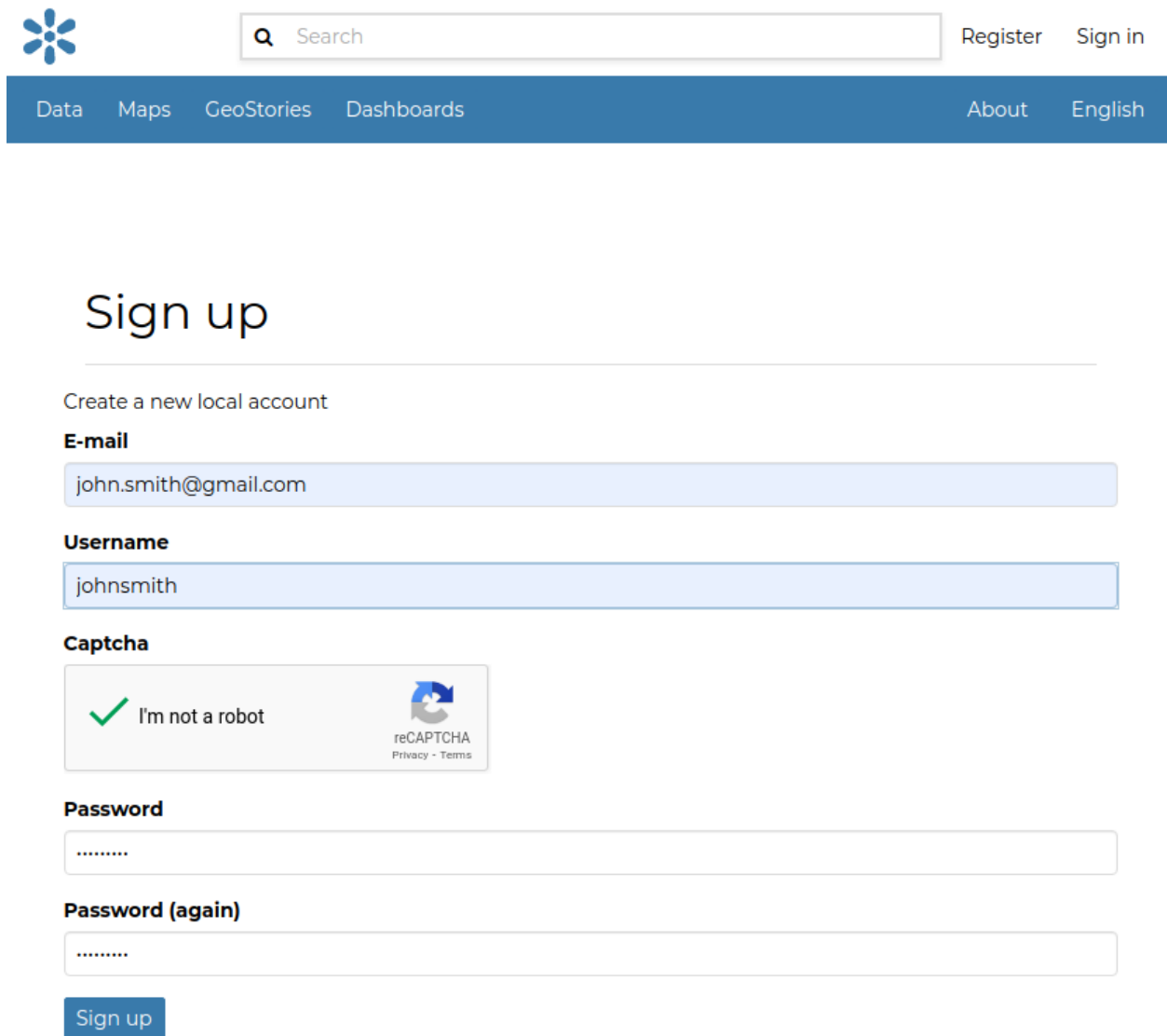


Fig. 3: Register Link

2. On the next page, fill out the form. Enter a username and password in the fields. Also, enter your email address for verification.



The screenshot shows the GeoNode registration interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a logo on the left, a search bar, and links for 'Register' and 'Sign in'. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with links for 'Data', 'Maps', 'GeoStories', 'Dashboards', 'About', and 'English'. The main content area is titled 'Sign up' and contains a form to create a new local account. The form includes fields for 'E-mail' (containing 'john.smith@gmail.com'), 'Username' (containing 'johnsmith'), a 'Captcha' section with a reCAPTCHA widget, 'Password' and 'Password (again)' fields (both masked with dots), and a 'Sign up' button at the bottom.

Fig. 4: Registering for a new account

3. You will be automatically logged in and redirected to the Profile page. An email will be sent confirming that you have signed up. If no errors occur during the registration, the following alerts will appear on the screen:

To log out click on the *Log out* link of the user menu.

You have to confirm this action as described in the picture below.

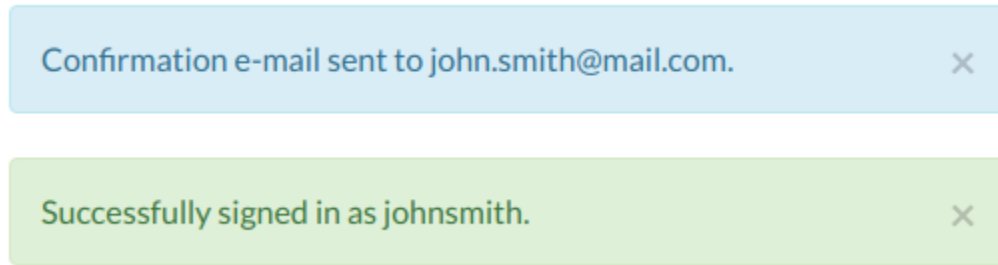


Fig. 5: Alerts

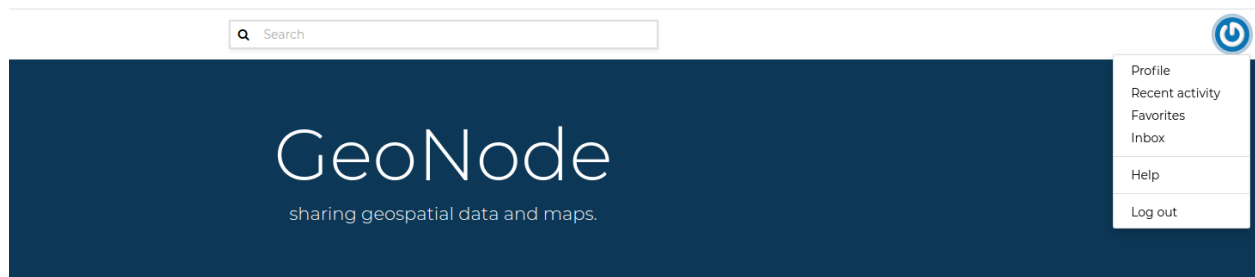


Fig. 6: Logout link

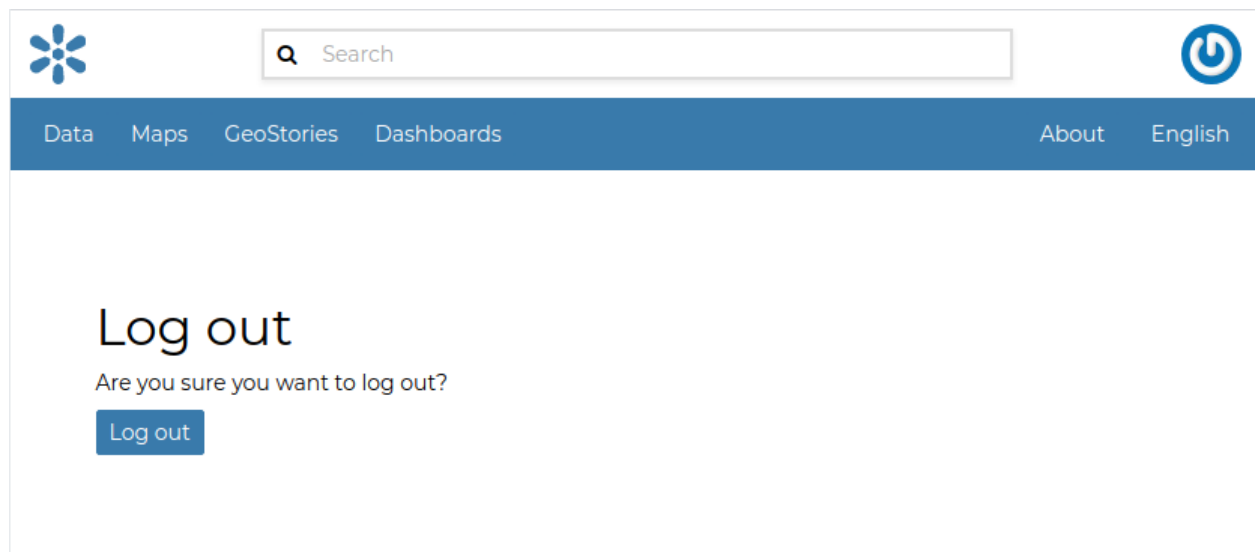


Fig. 7: Confirm Log out

Updating the Profile

Once having an account you can enrich your profile with useful information, you can also edit or delete the existing ones. You can connect the account with your social network, associate many e-mail addresses to it and manage many options such as preferences about notifications.

You can update these information anytime from your *Profile* page which is accessible from the user menu.

So, click on your profile picture in the top right of the screen. A drop-down list will show. Click on *Profile* to enter the *Profile* settings page.

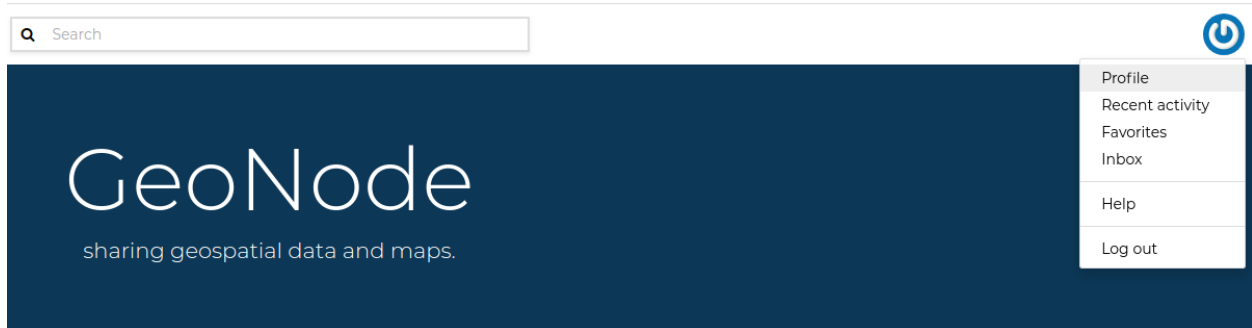


Fig. 8: *Link to your profile*

The *Profile* page looks like the one shown in the picture below.

Your personal information is shown under the username. At the bottom of the page are listed all the resources associated to your *Profile*, you can decide to view only datasets or maps or documents by clicking on the corresponding tab.

Through the link `User datasets WMS GetCapabilities document` you can retrieve an XML document with the list of the available datasets.

On the right side of the page there are many useful links to edit personal information, to upload and create datasets or maps, to update your *Profile* settings and to get in touch with other GeoNode users.

The *Favorites* link, also accessible from the user menu, drive you to the list of the resources marked as your favorites.

Click the *Delete from Favorites* button to remove the resource from the list.

The *My Activities* link allows to see all your recent activities on GeoNode such as datasets uploading and maps creation.

This link is also available in the user menu.

All other links and their functionalities will be described in depth in the following sections.


Editing Profile Information


Your *Profile* contains personal information such as your address, your telephone number, your organization and so on but it is empty by default at the beginning.

Through the *Edit profile* button of the *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)) you can set your details, including your avatar.

When finished, click *Update profile*. You will be redirected to the *Profile* page.


A message will confirm the profile has been correctly updated.





[Data](#)
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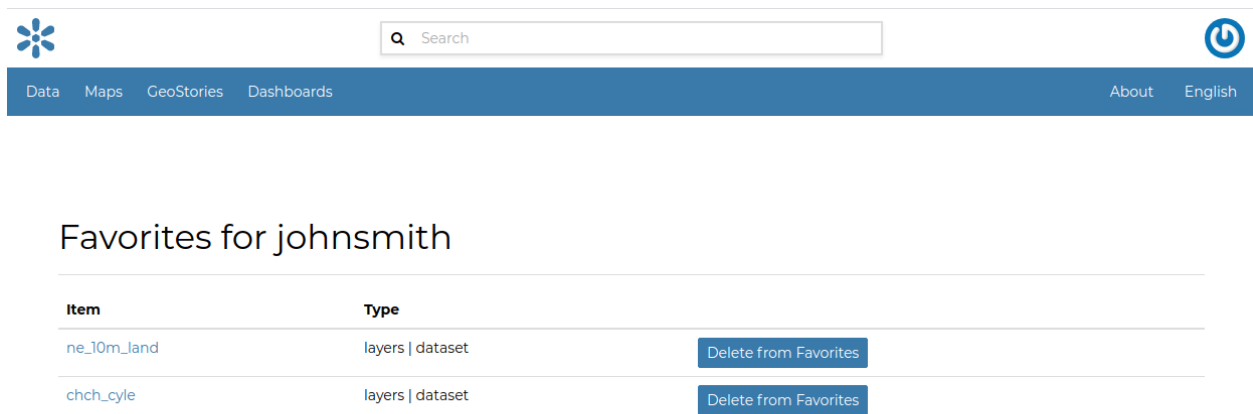
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Fig. 9: User profile page

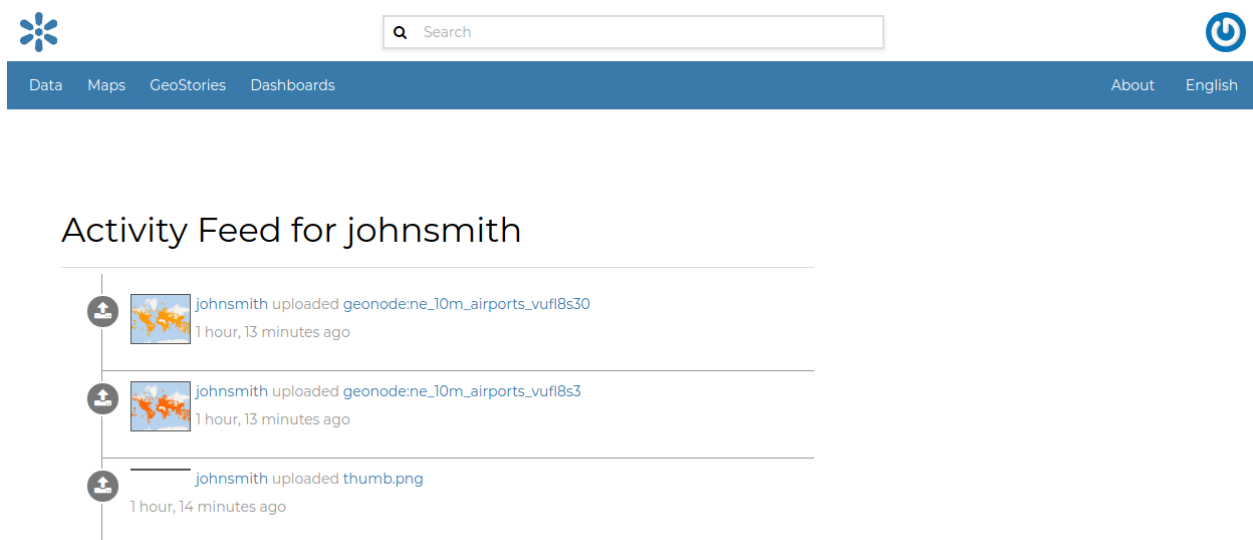


Search

Data Maps GeoStories Dashboards About English

Favorites for johnsmith

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chch_cyle	layers dataset	Delete from Favorites

Fig. 10: *Favorites*

Search

Data Maps GeoStories Dashboards About English

Activity Feed for johnsmith







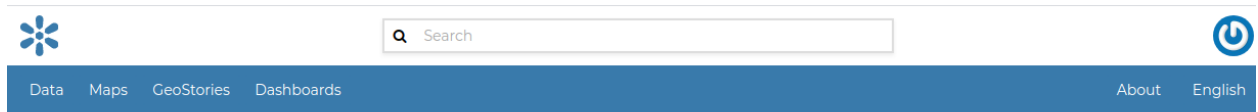
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1 hour, 14 minutes ago

Fig. 11: *Recent activities*



Edit Your Profile

The form is titled "Edit Your Profile". On the left is a blue square placeholder for an avatar with a white power button icon and the text "Change your avatar". To the right of the avatar are several form fields:

- First name**: A text input field.
- Last name**: A text input field.
- Email address**: A text input field containing "john.smith.primary@gmail.com".
- Organization Name**: A text input field.
- Profile**: A large text area for a bio or description.
- Position Name**: A text input field.
- Voice**: A text input field.
- Facsimile**: A text input field.
- Delivery Point**: A text input field.
- City**: A text input field.
- Administrative Area**: A text input field.
- Postal Code**: A text input field.
- Country**: A dropdown menu with a downward arrow.

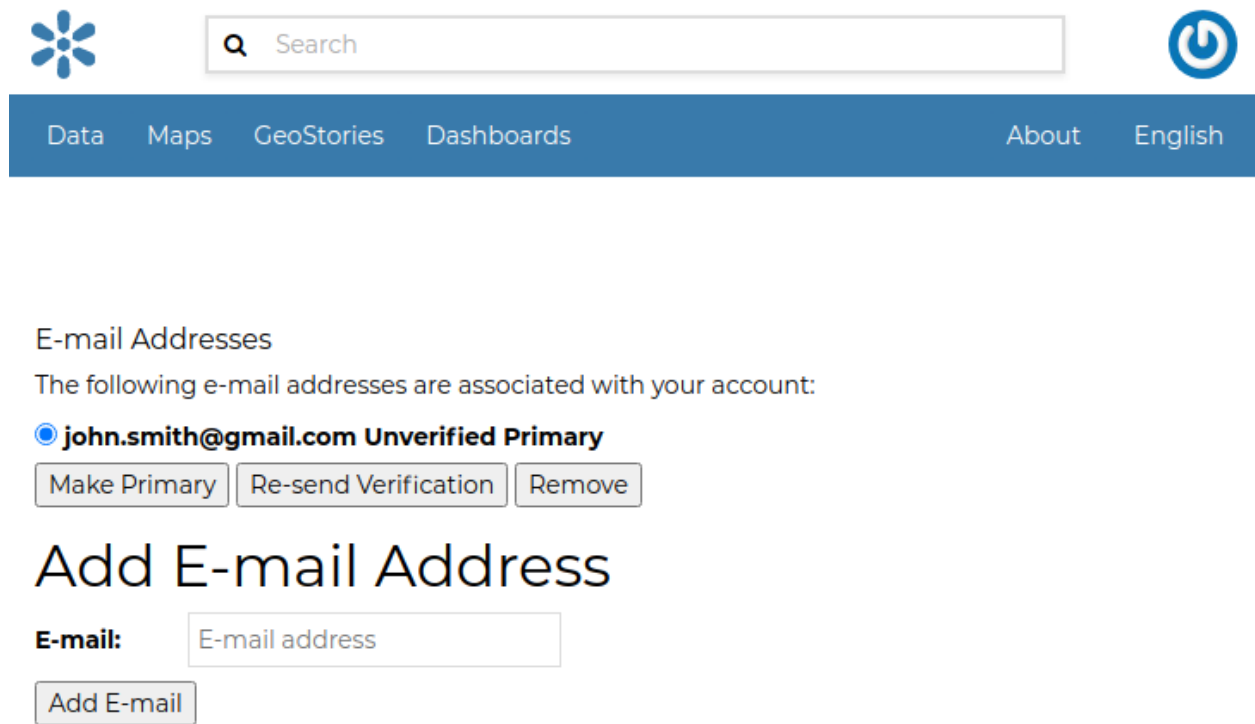
Fig. 12: Updating Profile information



Fig. 13: Updating Profile correctly finalized

Associating your Account with an e-mail

Your account is automatically associated with the e-mail that you used to register yourself on the platform.



E-mail Addresses

The following e-mail addresses are associated with your account:

- ☒ **john.smith@gmail.com Unverified Primary**
[Make Primary](#) [Re-send Verification](#) [Remove](#)

Add E-mail Address

E-mail:

[Add E-mail](#)

Fig. 14: Accounts e-mail

By clicking on *Associated e-mails* of the *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)), you will have the possibility to fill up a new e-mail address. Type it in the *E-mail* input field then click on *Add E-mail* to perform a new association.



You can make it primary if necessary, in order to receive the notification on this address. To do that, select the e-mail that you want, then click on *Make Primary*.

Managing the Password

To change your password, click on the *Set/Change password* link of the *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)). You will be asked to enter your current password and the new one (two times). Click on *Change my password* to perform the change.

If no errors occur you will see a confirmation message.

Next time you sign in, you will have to use the new password.



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E-mail Addresses

The following e-mail addresses are associated with your account:

- ☒ **john.smith@gmail.com Unverified Primary**
- ☐ **john.smith.primary@gmail.com Unverified**



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Add E-mail Address

E-mail:

[Add E-mail](#)

Fig. 15: *New e-mail association*



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E-mail Addresses

The following e-mail addresses are associated with your account:

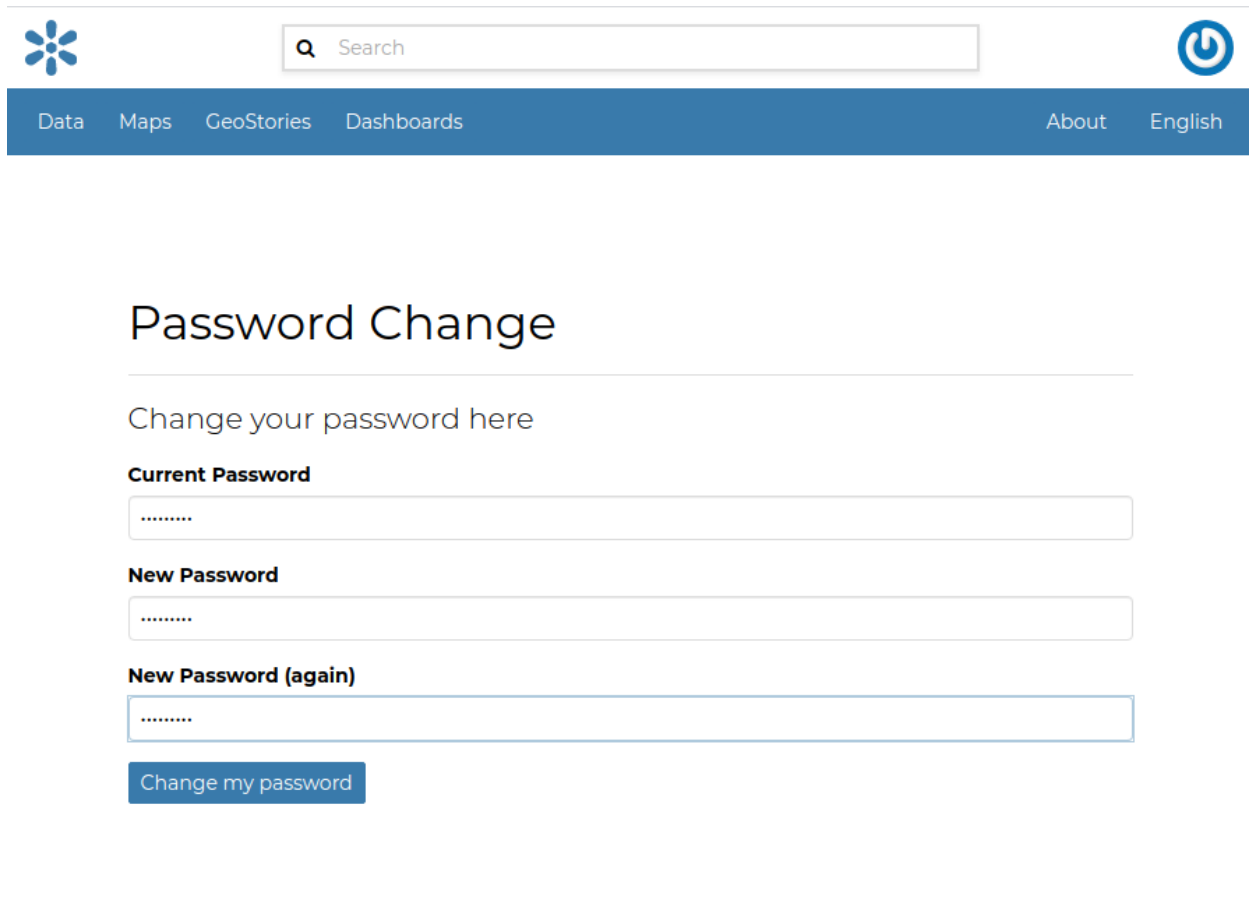
- ☐ **john.smith@gmail.com Unverified**
- ☒ **john.smith.primary@gmail.com Unverified Primary**

Add E-mail Address

E-mail:

Primary e-mail address set.

Fig. 16: *Primary e-mail address*



The screenshot shows the GeoNode web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a logo on the left, a search bar in the center, and a power icon on the right. Below the navigation bar, there is a horizontal menu with links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, Dashboards, About, and English. The main content area is titled "Password Change" and contains the instruction "Change your password here". Below this, there are three input fields: "Current Password", "New Password", and "New Password (again)". Each field contains a series of dots representing masked text. At the bottom of the form, there is a blue button labeled "Change my password".

GeoNode logo

Search

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Password Change

Change your password here

Current Password

.....

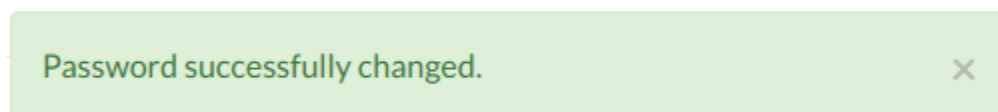
New Password

.....

New Password (again)

.....

Change my password

Fig. 17: *Change your password*Fig. 18: *Change password confirmation*

Setting Notification Preferences

By default GeoNode sends notifications to the users for events that they could be subscribed to such as a new dataset uploaded or a new rate added to a map. You can adjust your notification settings by clicking on the *Notifications* link of the *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)).

Note: Make sure to have a verified email address to which notices can be sent. If not see [Associating your Account with an e-mail](#).

Now check/uncheck the notification types you wish to receive or not receive. It is possible to be notified for the events shown in the picture below.

1.10.2 Interacting with Users and Groups

The GeoNode platform allows you to communicate by message with other GeoNode users and groups of users.

You can also invite external users to join your GeoNode. In order to do that, click on *Invite Users* in the *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)) or in the *About* menu in the *Home* page.

You can invite your contacts typing their email addresses in the input field as shown in the picture below. Click on *Submit* to perform the action.

A message will confirm that invitations have been correctly sent.

Note: You can invite more than one user at the same time by typing the email addresses inline with a semi-colon separator.

The next sections will show you how to view information about other users and how to contact them.

Viewing other users information

Once your account is created, you can view other accounts on the system.

To see information about other users on the system, click the *People* link of the *About* menu in *Home* page.

You will see a list of users registered on the system.

The *Search* tool is very useful in case of many registered users, type the name of the user you are looking for in the input text field to filter the users list.

Select a user and click on its *username* to access to the user details page.

In this page the main information about the user are shown: personal information (organization) and the resources the user owns (datasets, maps, documents and other apps).

Through the *User Activities* link, in right side of the page, it is possible to visualize all the activities the user has been done.

The *Message User* link lets you to contact other users, see the next section to read more about that.



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Notification Settings

Notification Type	Email
Request to download a resource A request for downloading a resource was sent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Request resource change Owner has requested permissions to modify a resource	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Created A Dataset was created	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Updated A Dataset was updated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Approved A Dataset was approved by a Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Published A Dataset was published	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Deleted A Dataset was deleted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Comment on Dataset A layer was commented on	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rating for Dataset A rating was given to a layer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Map Created A Map was created	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Map Updated A Map was updated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Map Approved A Map was approved by a Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Map Published A Map was published	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Map Deleted A Map was deleted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Comment on Map A map was commented on	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rating for Map A rating was given to a map	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
App Created A App was created	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
App Updated A App was updated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

App Approved A App was approved by a Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
App Published A App was published	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
App Deleted A App was deleted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Comment on App An App was commented on	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rating for App A rating was given to an App	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Document Created A Document was created	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Document Updated A Document was updated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Document Approved A Document was approved by a Manager	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Document Published A Document was published	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Document Deleted A Document was deleted	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Comment on Document A Document was commented on	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Rating for Document A rating was given to a document	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
User following you Another user has started following you	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
User requested access A new user has requested access to the site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Account activated This account is now active and can log in the site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dataset Uploaded A layer was uploaded	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Message received New message received in one of your threads	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Change	

Fig. 19: *Notifications settings*



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Invite Users

Email

[Submit](#)

Fig. 20: *Invite users to join GeoNode*

Invitations successfully sent to 'john.friend1@mail.com, john.friend2@mail.com, john.friend3@mail.com'

Fig. 21: *Invitations confirm message*

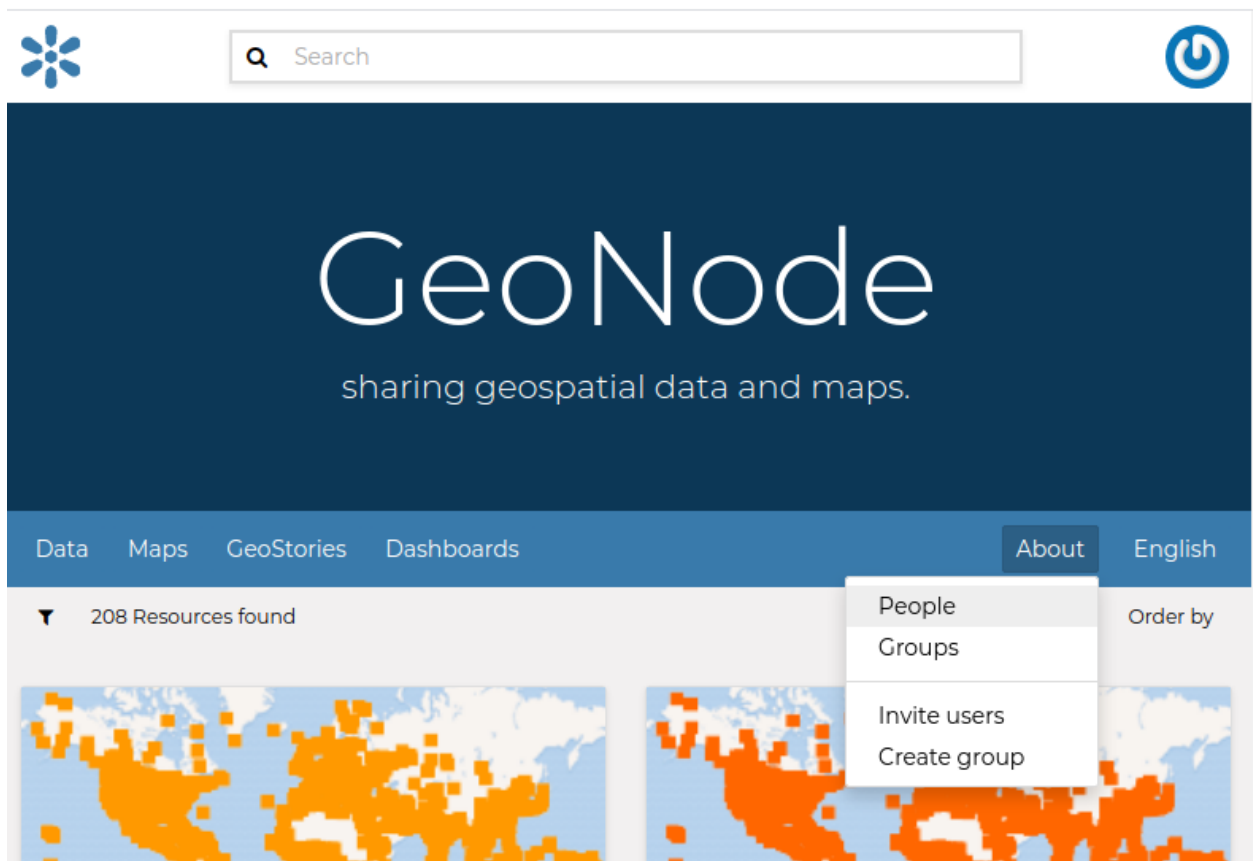
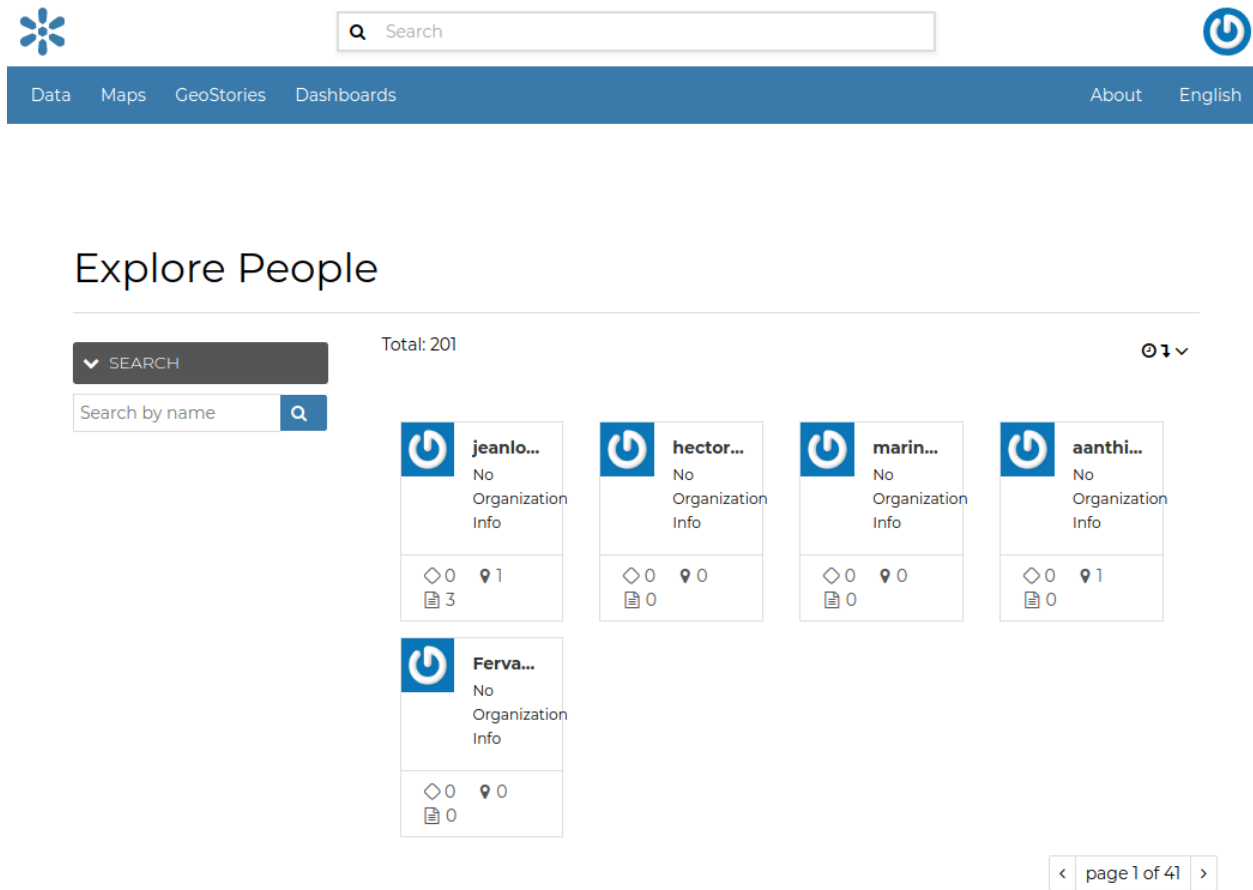


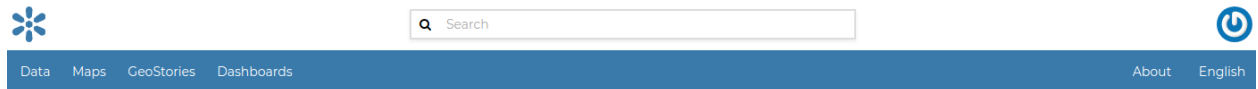
Fig. 22: About menu - People link



The screenshot shows the 'Explore People' interface on the GeoNode website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, and Dashboards, along with a search bar and a power icon. Below the navigation bar, the 'Explore People' title is displayed. A search bar with a dropdown arrow and the text 'SEARCH' is present, followed by a text input field labeled 'Search by name' and a search button. The main content area displays a list of users, each represented by a card. Each card includes a power icon, a username, a status 'No Organization Info', and statistics for diamonds, location pins, and documents. The total number of users is indicated as 'Total: 201'. A pagination bar at the bottom right shows 'page 1 of 41'.

Username	Status	Diamonds	Location Pins	Documents
jeanlo...	No Organization Info	0	1	3
hector...	No Organization Info	0	0	0
marin...	No Organization Info	0	0	0
aanthi...	No Organization Info	0	1	0
Ferva...	No Organization Info	0	0	0

Fig. 23: List of the registered users



julia254



julia254

Organization

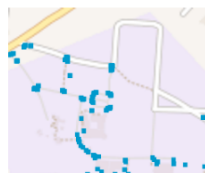
Not provided.

[Message User](#)**User layers** WMS GetCapabilities document[User Activities](#)**Resources**[All contents](#) [Layers](#) [Maps](#) [Documents](#)

My map

[julia254](#) 10 Nov 2021 0 0 0

My map

[julia254](#) 10 Nov 2021 0 0 0

Kimathi

[julia254](#) 10 Nov 2021 4 0 0

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Fig. 24: *User details*

Activity Feed for julia254

No actions yet

Fig. 25: *User activities*

It is also possible, in GeoNode, to see the recent activities of all users through the *Recent Activities* link of the user menu.

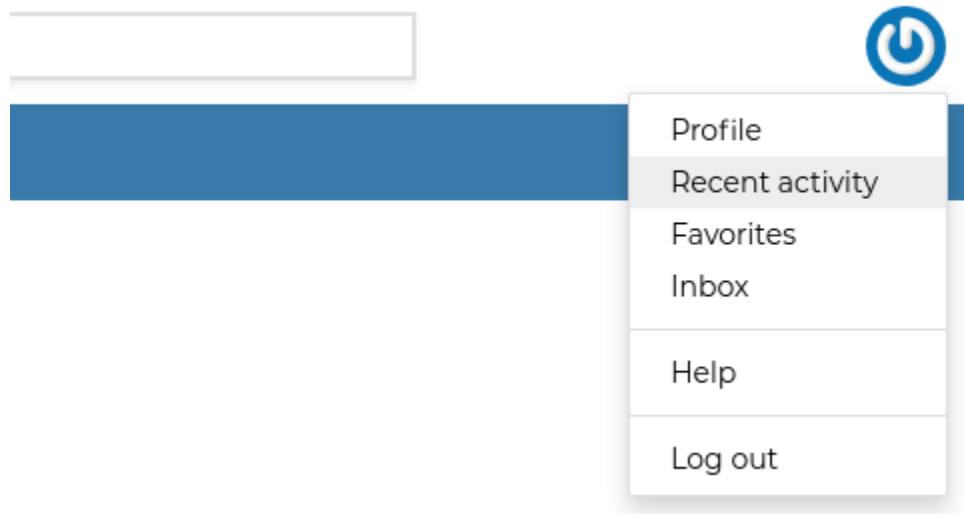


Fig. 26: *Recent Activities* link

In the picture below an example.

As you can see, you can decide whether to see only the activities related to datasets or those related to maps or comments by switching the tabs.

Contacting other users

GeoNode allows you to communicate by message with other registered users and groups.

To send a message to some user and/or groups you can follow the link *Message User* from your *Profile* page (see [Updating the Profile](#)) or from the *Profile* details page (see the previous section [Viewing other users information](#)) of that user.

Insert your content, type a subject and click on *Send message* to send the message to the users and groups you have selected.

You will be redirected to the *Conversation* details page related to the subject.

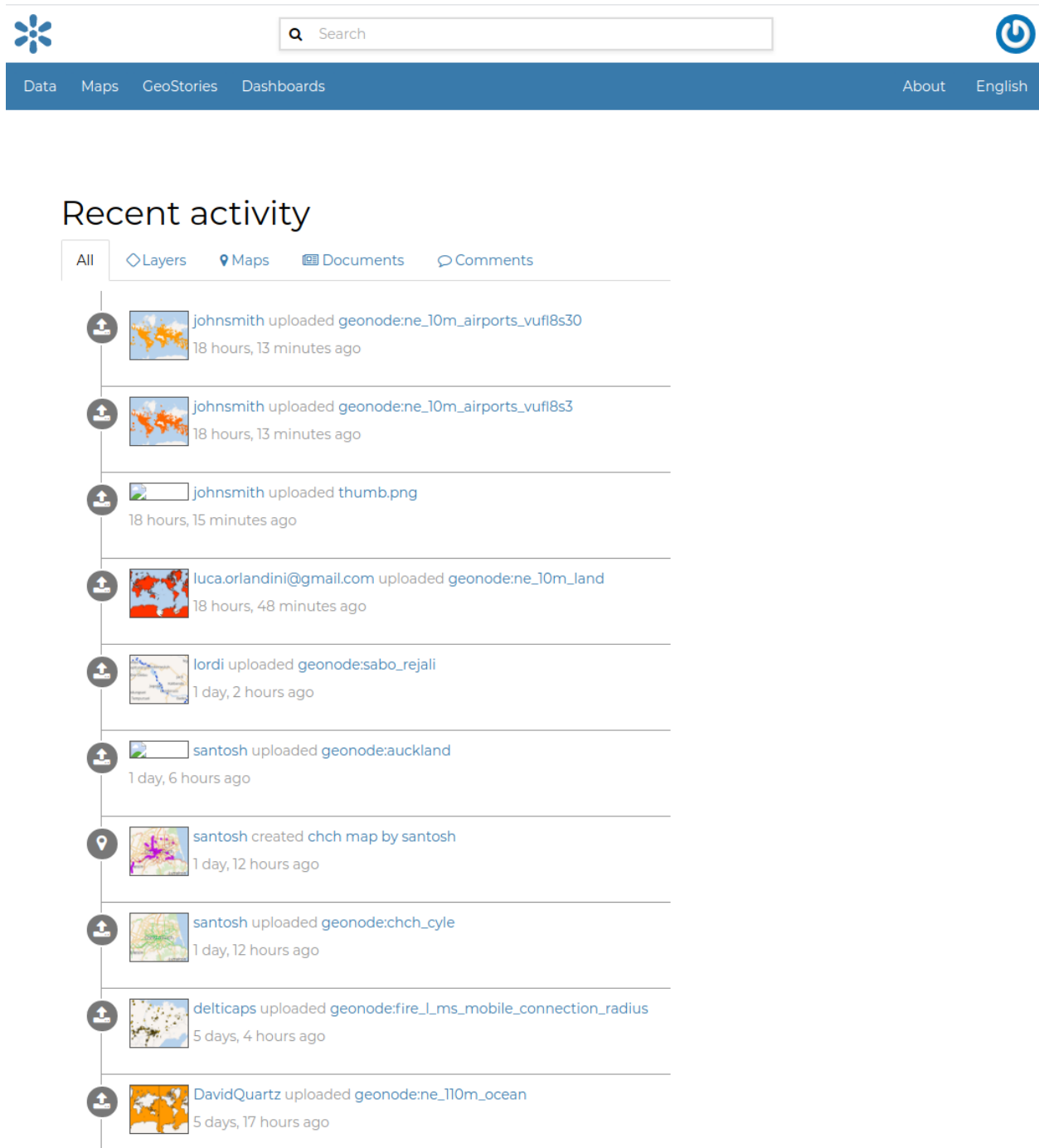
The Inbox page

You can view your conversations in your *Inbox* page, reachable through the *Back to inbox* button (see the picture above) or from the *Inbox* link of the user menu.

The picture below shows how your *Inbox* page should look like.

In *Inbox* all the unread messages are listed. You haven't received any message yet so your *Inbox* is empty. If you switch to the *All* tab you can see all the conversations you are involved in.



When some user send a reply to your message your *Inbox* shows it, see the picture below for an example.



The screenshot displays the 'Recent activity' section of the GeoNode interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the GeoNode logo, a search bar, and links for 'Data', 'Maps', 'GeoStories', 'Dashboards', 'About', and 'English'. Below the navigation bar, the 'Recent activity' title is followed by a filter menu with options: 'All', 'Layers', 'Maps', 'Documents', and 'Comments'. The main content area lists recent activities, each with a user profile picture, a map thumbnail, the user's name, the activity description, and the time elapsed since the activity.

User	Activity	Time Ago
johnsmith	uploaded geonode:ne_10m_airports_vufl8s30	18 hours, 13 minutes ago
johnsmith	uploaded geonode:ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3	18 hours, 13 minutes ago
johnsmith	uploaded thumb.png	18 hours, 15 minutes ago
luca.orlandini@gmail.com	uploaded geonode:ne_10m_land	18 hours, 48 minutes ago
lordi	uploaded geonode:sabo_rejali	1 day, 2 hours ago
santosh	uploaded geonode:auckland	1 day, 6 hours ago
santosh	created chch map by santosh	1 day, 12 hours ago
santosh	uploaded geonode:chch_cyle	1 day, 12 hours ago
delticaps	uploaded geonode:fire_l_ms_mobile_connection_radius	5 days, 4 hours ago
DavidQuartz	uploaded geonode:ne_110m_ocean	5 days, 17 hours ago

Fig. 27: Recent Activities



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Create Message [Back to Inbox](#)


To users

To groups

Subject

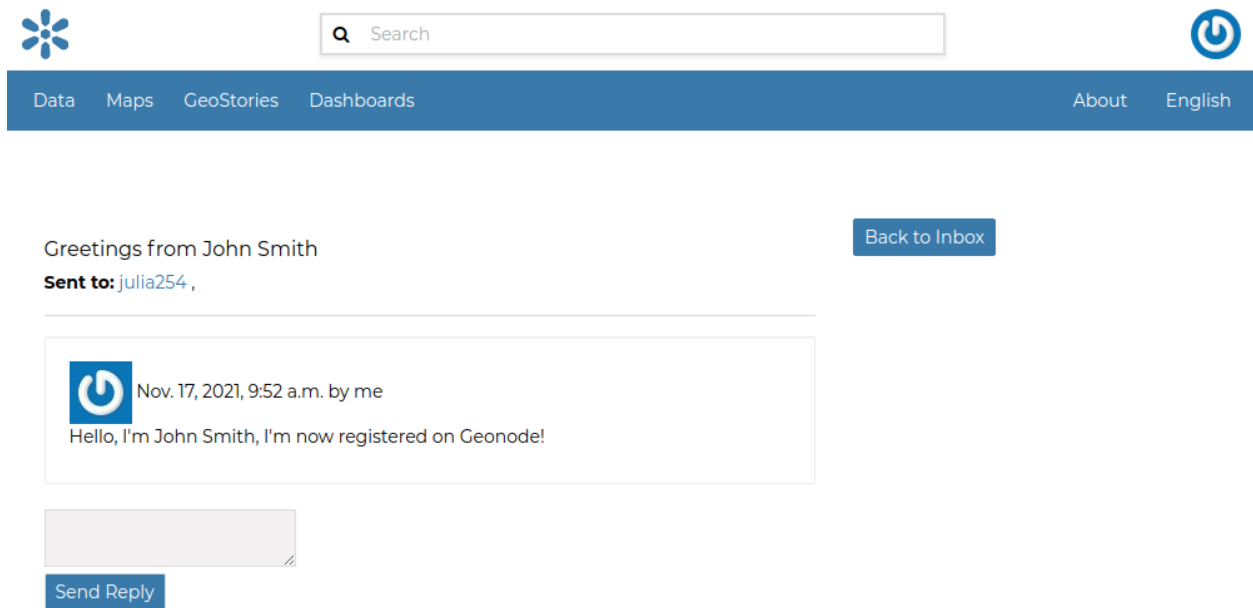
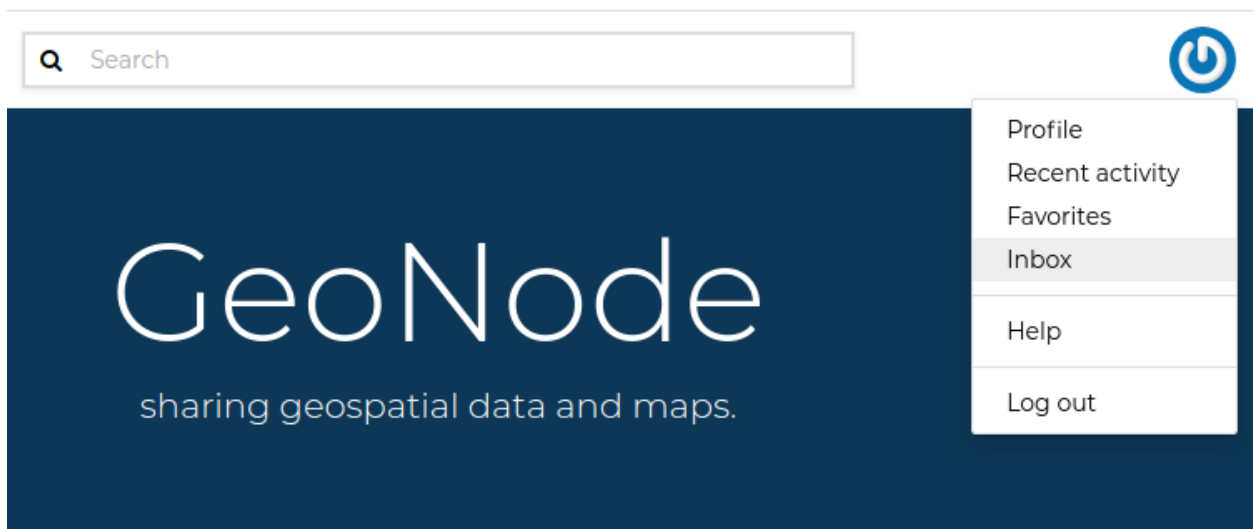
Content

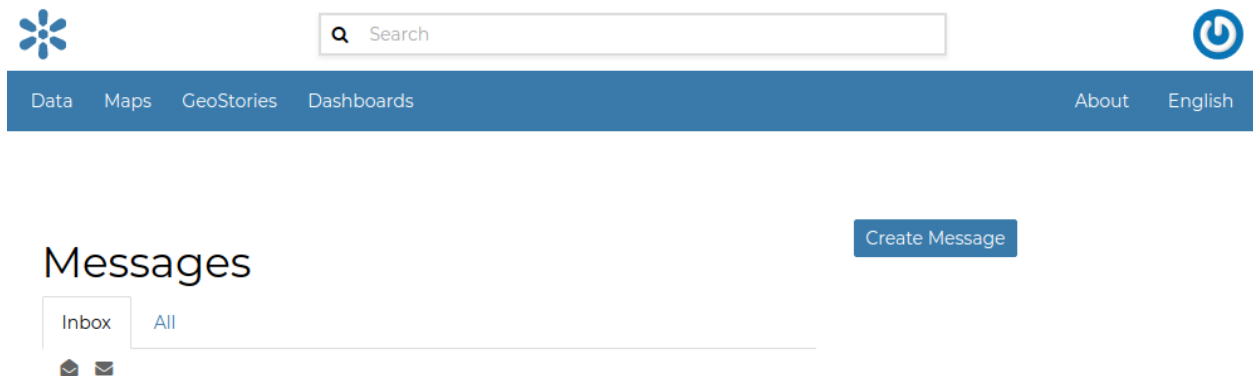
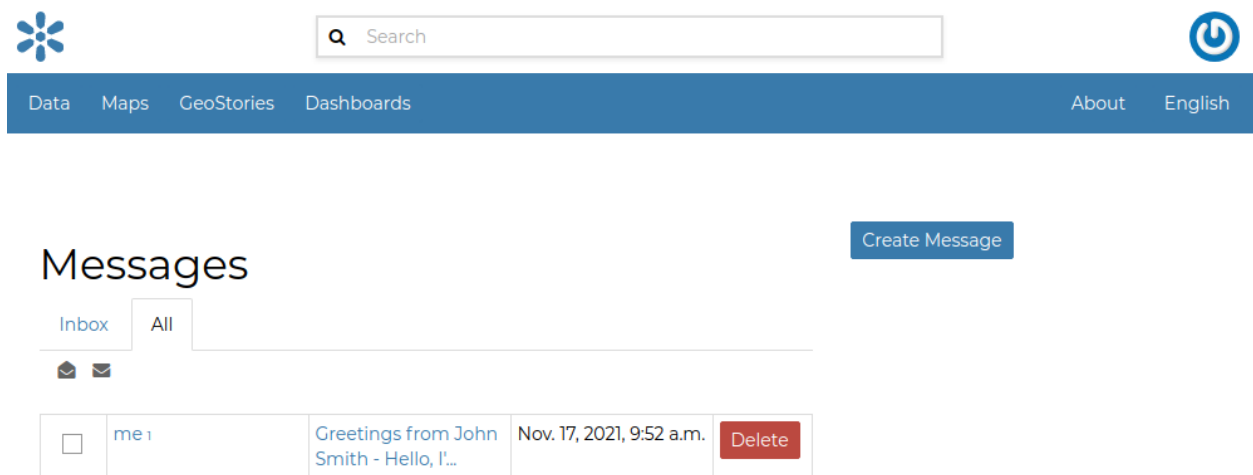
Hello,
I'm John Smith, I'm now registered on Geonode!



[Send message](#)

Fig. 28: *Send message to users and groups*

Fig. 29: *Your message*Fig. 30: *Inbox link*

Fig. 31: *Inbox page*Fig. 32: *All your conversations*

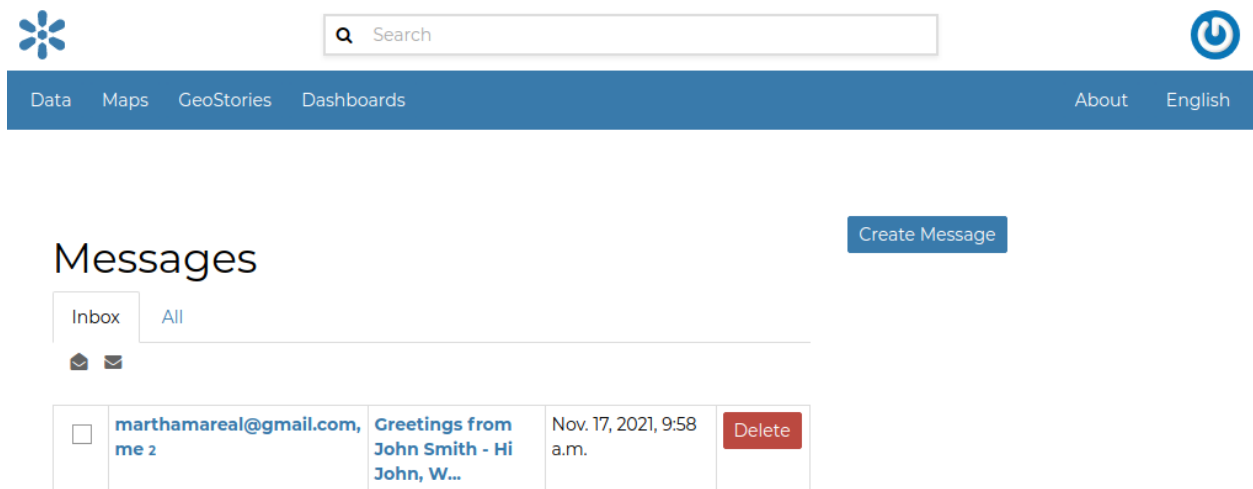


Fig. 33: A reply to your message

You can open the *Conversation* details by clicking on the *Subject* link.

As you can see in the picture above, in the *Conversation* page you have the ability to write a quick reply. Type your message in the text box and click on *Send Reply* to do that.

In the *Inbox* page there is also the *Create Message* button that provides you a quick link to the message creation form.

1.10.3 Data

Data management tools built into GeoNode allow integrated creation of resources eg datasets, documents, link to external documents, map visualizations and other configured geonode apps. Each resource in the system can be shared publicly or restricted to allow access to only specific users. Social features like user profiles and commenting and rating systems allow for the development of communities around each platform to facilitate the use, management, and quality control of the data the GeoNode instance contains.

The following sections will explain more in depth what data can be managed in GeoNode and how to easily find that data.

Data Types

GeoNode welcome page shows a variety of information about the current GeoNode instance.

You can explore the existing data using many search tools and filters (see [Finding Data](#)) or through the links of the navigation bar at the top of the page.

There are three main types of resources that GeoNode can manage:

1. Documents
2. Datasets
3. Maps

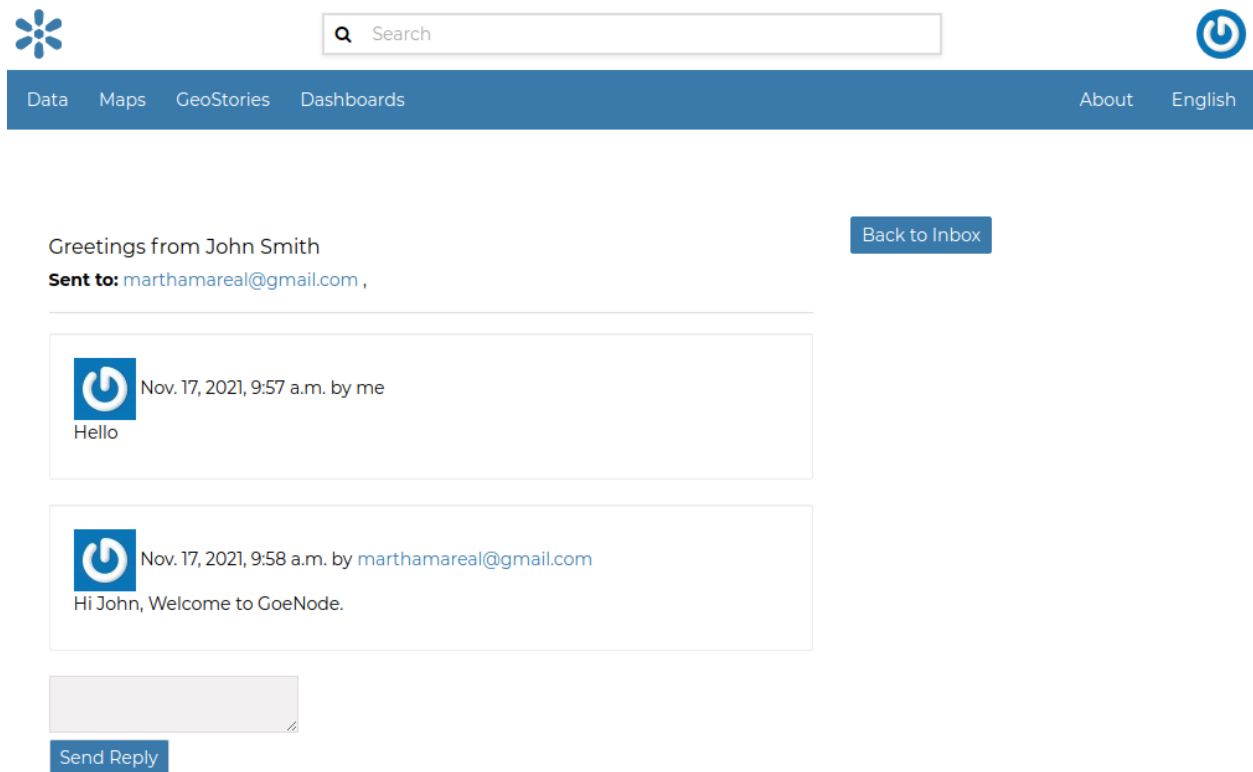


Fig. 34: Conversation details

Datasets, Documents and Remote Services can be accessed from the *Data* menu of the navigation bar. The *Maps* menu lets you filter only maps in the available resource. This applies to other existing menu items like *GeoStories*.

Note: *GeoStories* and *Dashboards* In the screenshot below are GeoApp resource types which are added by the client.

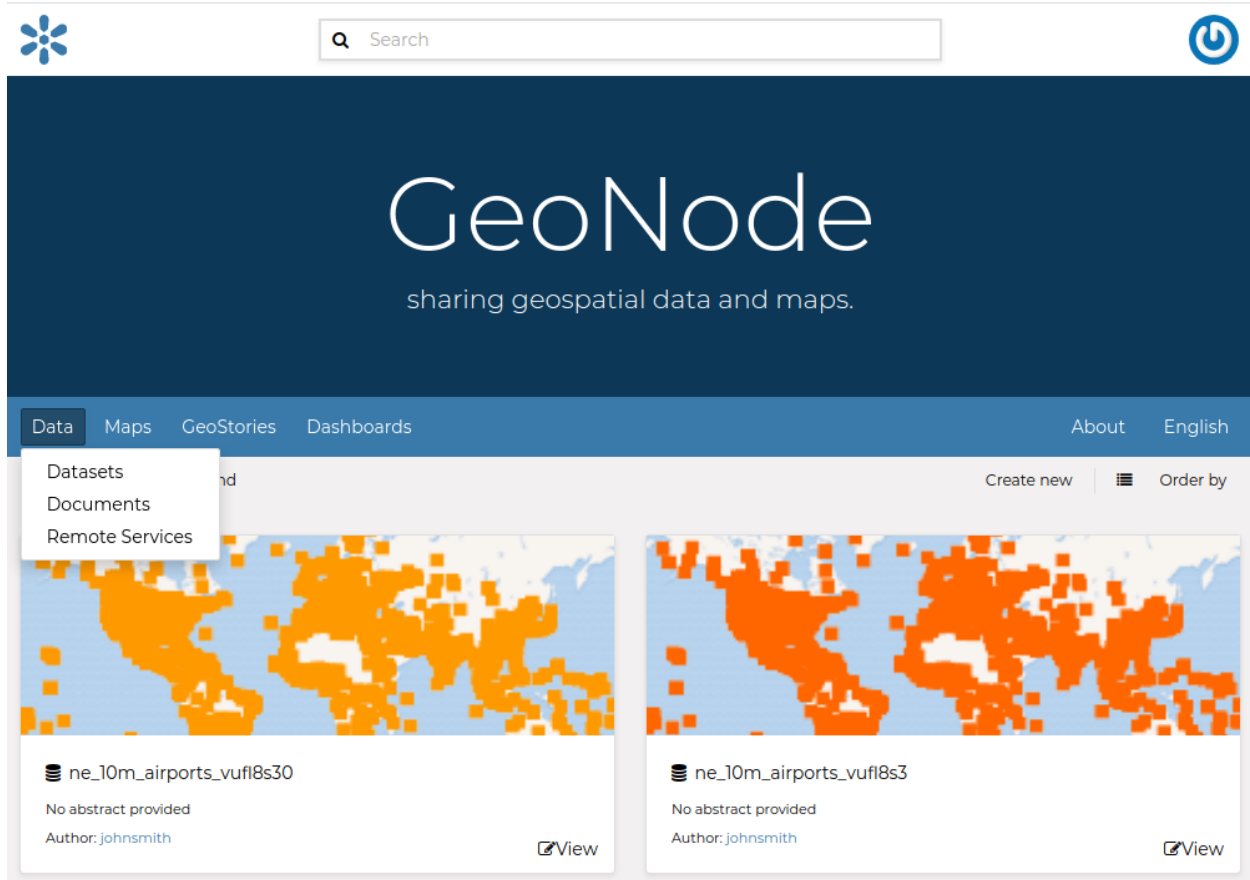


Fig. 35: *Data menu*

Documents

GeoNode allows to publish tabular and text data and to manage metadata and associated documents.

Documents can be uploaded directly from your disk (see [Uploading Documents](#) for further information).

The following documents types are allowed: *.doc*, *.docx*, *.gif*, *.jpg*, *.jpeg*, *.ods*, *.odt*, *.odp*, *.pdf*, *.png*, *.ppt*, *.pptx*, *.rar*, *.sld*, *.tif*, *.tiff*, *.txt*, *.xls*, *.xlsx*, *.xml*, *.zip*, *.gz*, *.qml*.

Through the document detailed page is possible to view, download and manage a document.

Datasets

Datasets are a primary component of GeoNode.

Datasets are publishable resources representing a raster or vector spatial data source. Datasets also can be associated with metadata, ratings, and comments.

By clicking the Datasets link you will get a list of all published datasets. If logged in as an administrator, you will also see the unpublished datasets in the same list.

GeoNode allows the user to upload vector and raster data in their original projections using a web form.

Vector data can be uploaded in many different formats (ESRI Shapefile, KML and so on...). Satellite imagery and other kinds of raster data can be uploaded as GeoTIFFs.

Maps

Maps are a primary component of GeoNode.

Maps are comprised of various datasets and their styles. Datasets can be both local datasets in GeoNode as well as remote datasets either served from other WMS servers or by web service datasets such as Google or MapQuest.

GeoNode maps also contain other information such as map zoom and extent, dataset ordering, and style.

You can create a map based on uploaded datasets, combine them with some existing datasets and a remote web service dataset, share the resulting map for public viewing. Once the data has been uploaded, GeoNode lets the user search for it geographically or via keywords and create maps. All the datasets are automatically reprojected to web mercator for maps display, making it possible to use popular base maps such as [OpenStreetMap](#).

Finding Data

This section will guide you to navigate GeoNode to find datasets, maps and documents and other resource types by using different routes, filters and search functions.

On every page you can find some quick search tool.

The *Search* box in the navigation bar (see the picture below) let you type a text and find all the data which have to deal with that text.

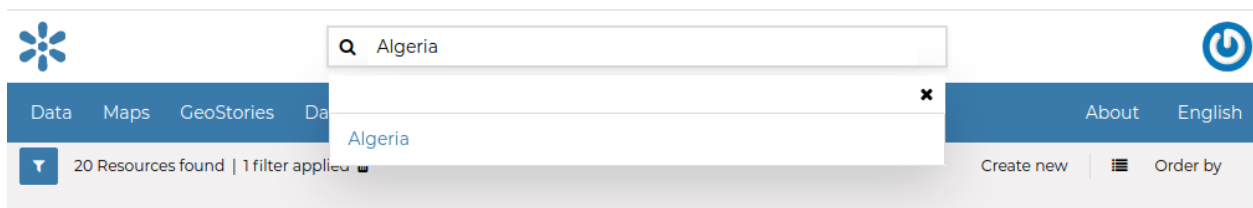


Fig. 36: Search tool in GeoNode welcome page

When you trigger a search you are brought to the *Search* page which shows you the search result through all data types.

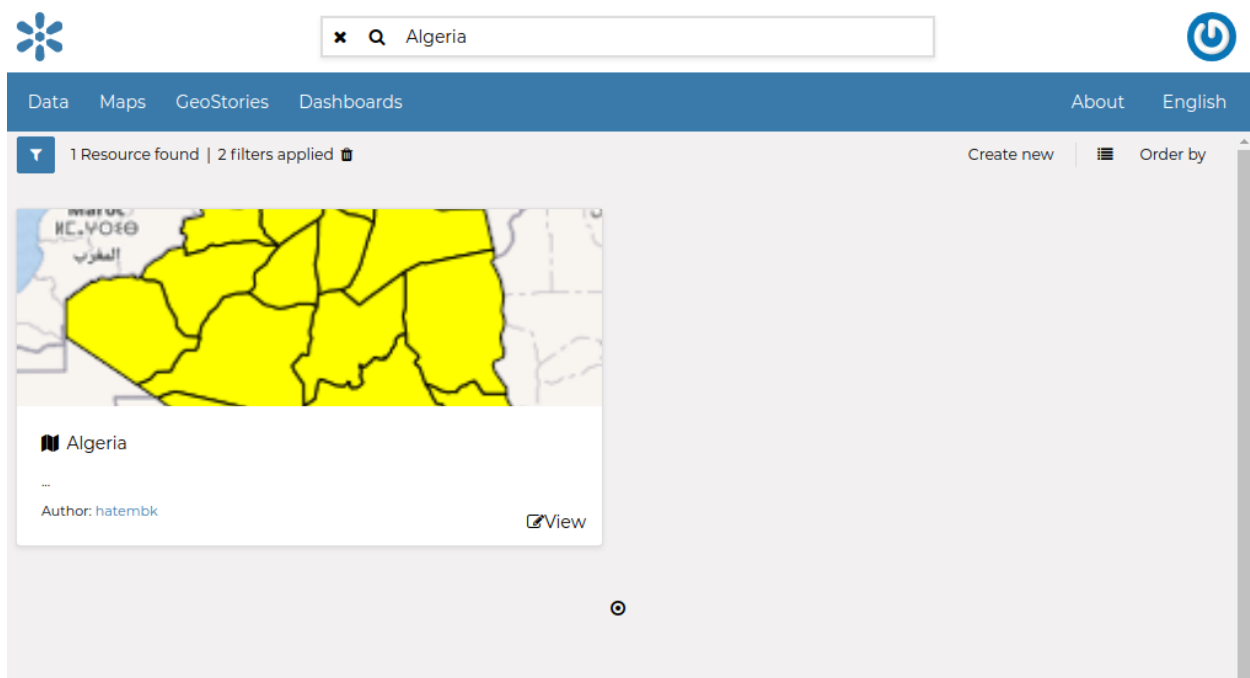


Fig. 37: The Search page

This page contains a wealth of options for customizing a search for various information on GeoNode. This search form allows for much more fine-tuned searches than the simple search box is available at the top of every page. It is possible to search and filter data by Text, Types, Categories, Keywords, Owners, Regions or Extent.

Try to set some filter and see how the resulting data list changes accordingly. An interesting type of filter is *EXTENT*: you can apply a spatial filter by moving or zooming a map within a box as shown in the picture below.

Data can be ordered by Most recent, Less recent, Name and Popularity.

For *Users* see [Viewing other users information](#).

1.10.4 Managing Documents

In this section all the aspects concerning [Documents](#) will be discussed.

You will learn how to upload a document and how to inspect its metadata and details. All the editing tools will be also explained.

The screenshot displays the GeoNode search interface. At the top, there is a search bar with the text "Algeria" and a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar is a power icon. Below the search bar is a navigation bar with links: Data, Maps, GeoStories, Dashboards, About, and English. On the left side, there is a "Filters" panel. It includes a search bar with "Algeria" and a list of "Resources" with checkboxes: My resources, Pending approval, Datasets, Documents, Maps (checked), GeoStories, Dashboards, and Favorites. Below this are "Categories", "Keywords", "Regions", and "Owners" sections, each with a "Select" dropdown menu. At the bottom of the filters panel, there is a checked checkbox for "Extent" and a world map thumbnail. The main content area shows "1 Resource found | 3 filters applied" and a "Create new" button. It features a map of Algeria with a yellow overlay and a card for "Algeria" by "Author: hatembk" with a "View" link. A "Clear filters" button is at the bottom of the filters panel. The footer contains links to "geonode.org", "Developers", and "About".

Fig. 38: Search filter by *EXTENT*

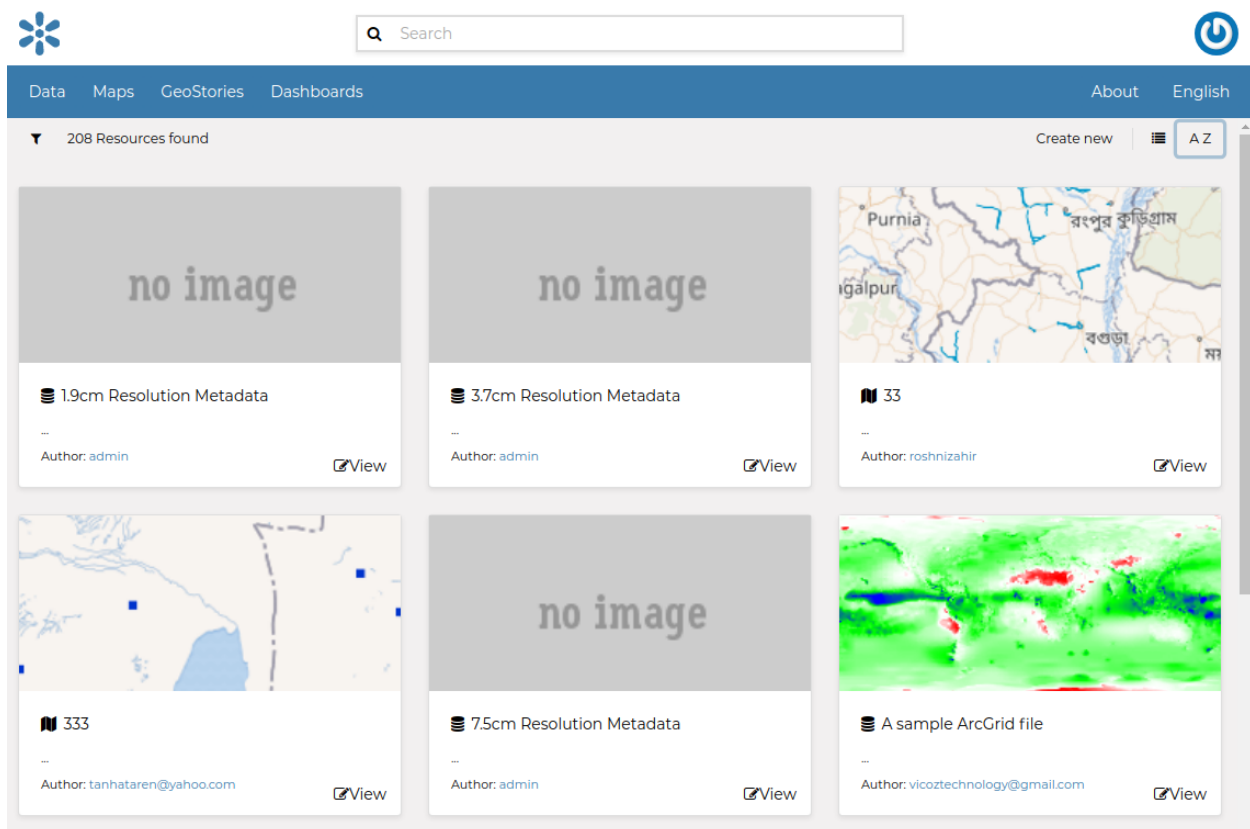


Fig. 39: Ordering Data

Uploading Documents

GeoNode allows to share reports, conceptual notes, posters, spreadsheets, etc. A wide range of documents files can be hosted on the platform, including text files (.doc, .docx, .txt, .odt), spreadsheets (.xls, .xlsx, .ods), presentations (.ppt, .pptx, .odp), images (.gif, .jpg, .png, .tif, .tiff), PDF, zip files (.rar, .zip, .gz), SLD, XML or QML files.

Warning: Only authenticated users can upload data into GeoNode.

Documents uploading is accessible by clicking *Create new* which displays a list including *upload document link*:

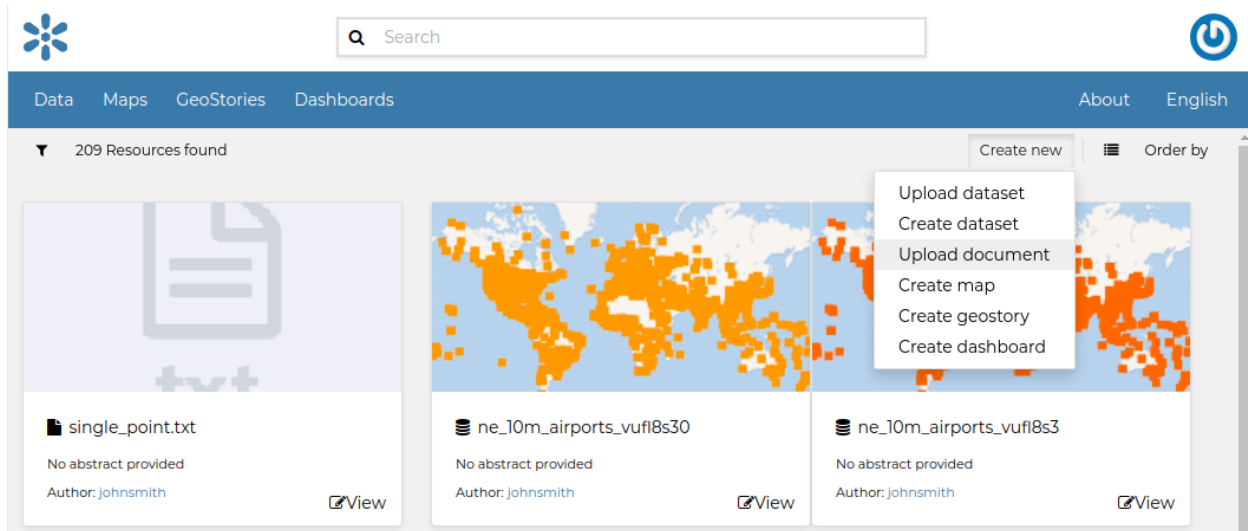


Fig. 40: Document Upload link

The *Document Upload* page looks like the one shown in the picture below.

In order to upload a document:




1. Select a file from your disk or enter a URL address if the document is stored on the internet.
2. Insert the title of the document.
3. Select one or more published resources the document can be linked to (optional).
4. Click the red *Upload* button

At the end of the uploading process you will be driven to the *Detail* page with a menu to save, view more info, edit metadata, share, download and delete the document. See the next section to know more about Metadata.

Note: If you get the following error message:

Total upload size exceeds 100.0 MB. Please try again with smaller files.

This means that there is an upload size limit of 100 MB. An user with administrative access can change the upload limits at the [admin panel](#).



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Upload Documents

[Explore Documents](#)

Allowed document types:

.txt .log .doc .docx .ods .odt .sld .qml .xls .xlsx .xml .bm .bmp .dwg .dxf .tif .gif .jpg .jpe .jpeg .png .tif .tiff .pbm

.odp .ppt .pptx .pdf .tar .tgz .rar .gz .7z .zip .aif .aifc .aiff .au .mp3 .mpga .wav .afl .avi .avs .fli .mp2 .mp4 .mpg

.ogg .webm .3gp .flv .vdo

Title:

name by which the cited resource is known

File:


No file chosen

URL:

The URL of the document if it is external.

Link to:


Permissions


Who can view it? 

☒ Anyone

The following users:

The following groups:

Who can download it? 

Who can change metadata for it? 


Who can manage it? (update, delete, change permissions, publish/unpublish it) 

Fig. 41: Document Upload page

Filling the Document Metadata

You can open the Metadata form by clicking on the *Edit* link in the document details menu and then *Edit Metatadata* Link.

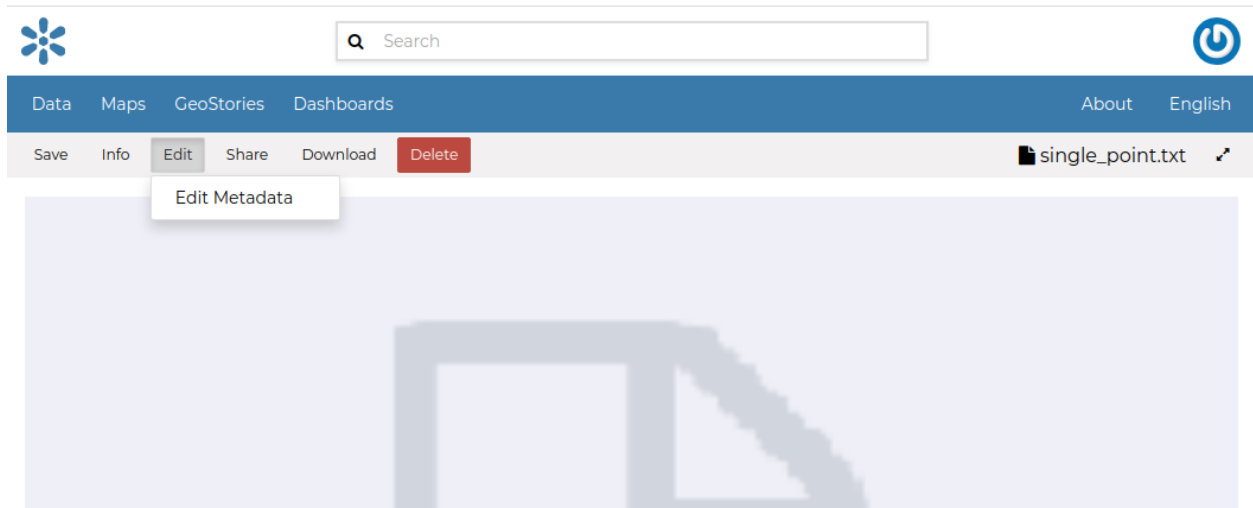


Fig. 42: *Edit Metadata Link*


Metadata contains all the information related to the document: they are its ID card. They provide essential information for its identification and its comprehension. Metadata also make the document more easily retrievable through search by other users.


Editing a document's metadata is done in three steps (*Basic Metadata*, *Location and Licenses*, *Optional Metadata*). The first two steps are mandatory (no documents will be published if the required information are not provided) whereas the last one is optional.

1. On the **Basic Metadata** page, the essential information that has to be filled is:
 - The *Title* of the document, which should be clear and understandable;
 - The *Resources* the document should be linked to;
 - An *Abstract* on the document;
 - The *Creation/Publication/Revision* dates which define the time period that is covered by the document;
 - The *Keywords*, which should be chosen within the available list. The contributor search for available keywords by clicking on the searching bar, or on the folder logo representing, or by entering the first letters of the desired word. Key-words should be relevant to the imported document;
 - The *Category* in which the document belongs;
 - The *Group* to which the document is linked.

Once all the fields are filled, click on the blue button *Next >>* in the bottom right corner of the page.



2. On the **Location and Licenses** page, the following information should be filled:
 - The *Language* of the document;
 - The *Regions*, which informs on the spatial extent covered by the document. Proposed extents cover the following scales: global, continental, regional, national;





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Metadata for single_point.txt

 Edit
  Settings

Advanced Metadata

Mandatory


Mandatory

Optional

1 Basic Metadata

2 Location and Licenses

3 Optional Metadata

Thumbnail

 Choose file








Title

Link to

Abstract

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help


No abstract provided

P 3 WORDS POWERED BY TINY

Date type

Creation

Date



Category

* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Group

Free-text Keywords

Update

Next >>

Fig. 43: Document Basic Metadata

- The *Data Quality statement* (general explanation of the data producer's knowledge about the lineage of a dataset);
- Potential *Restrictions* to sharing the document should be provided in the Restrictions box.

Metadata for single_point.txt

Completeness: Check Schema mandatory fields 83 %

Advanced Metadata

1 Basic Metadata

2 Location and Licenses

3 Optional Metadata

Language: English

License: Not Specified

Attribution: authority or function assigned, as to a ruler, ie...
* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Regions: Global

Data quality statement

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

0 WORDS POWERED BY TINY

Restrictions: *

* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Other constraints

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

0 WORDS POWERED BY TINY

<< Back Update Next >>

Fig. 44: Document Location and Licenses

Click on the blue button *Next >>* to go ahead to the next step.


3. On the **Optional Metadata** page, complementary information can be added:


- The *Edition* to indicate the reference or the source of the document;
- The *Purpose* of the document and its objectives;
- Any *Supplemental information* that can provide a better understanding of the uploaded document;
- The *Maintenance frequency* of the document;
- The *Spatial representation type* used.

Responsible Parties, *Owner* and *Share options* are listed on the right side of the page, you can edit them.

If all the mandatory information is filled out the document can be published, if not the **Completeness** progress bar warns you that something is missing.

Click on the blue button *Update* to save information on the system.





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Completeness

✖ Check Schema mandatory fields

83 %

Advanced Metadata

Mandatory

Mandatory

Optional

1

2

3

Basic Metadata

Location and Licenses

Optional Metadata

Other, Optional, Metadata

Edition ⓘ

DOI ⓘ

Purpose

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

↶ ↷
 B *I* U ...

P 0 WORDS POWERED BY TINY

Supplemental information

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

↶ ↷
 B *I* U ...

No information provided

P 3 WORDS POWERED BY TINY

temporal extent start

temporal extent end

Maintenance frequency ⓘ

Spatial representation type ⓘ

Responsible Parties

Point of Contact

Responsible and Permissions

Owner

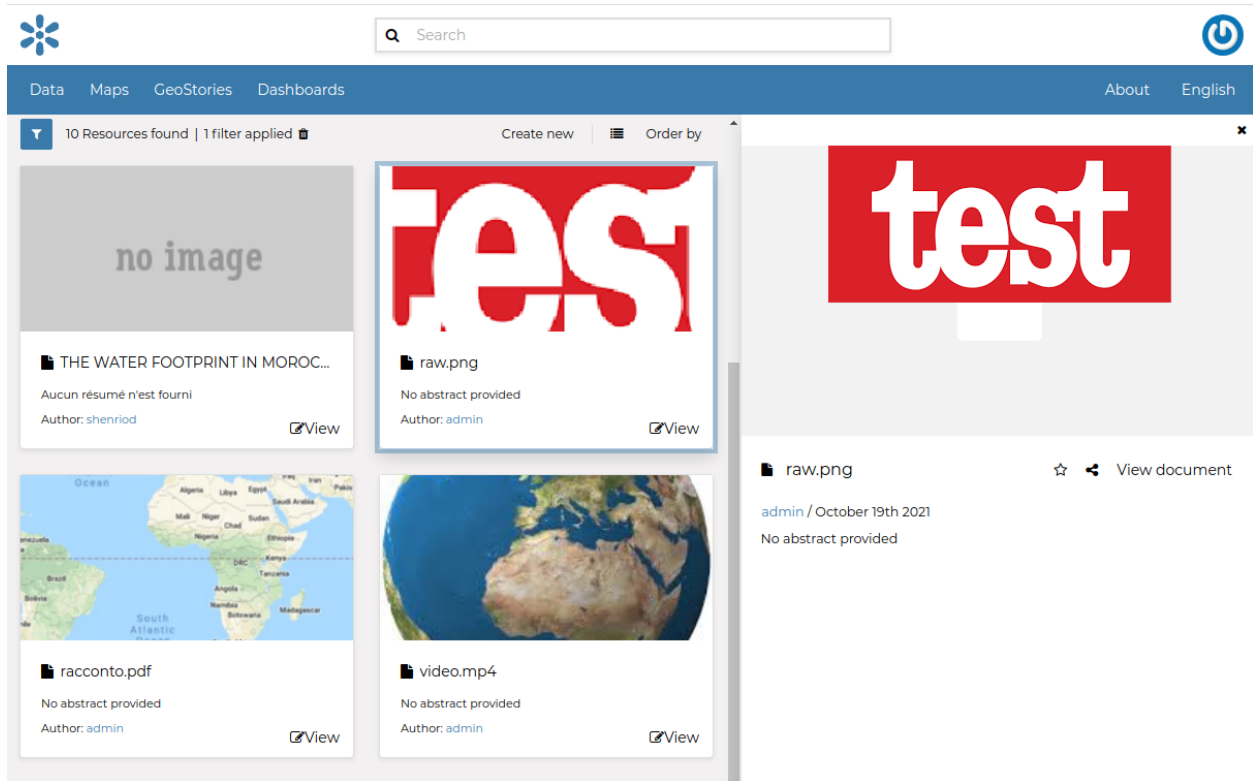
Metadata Author

[<< Back](#)
[Update](#)

Fig. 45: Document Optional Metadata

Document Information

From the *Documents Search Page* (see *Finding Data*) you can select the document you are interested in and click on its name to see an overview about it.



You can access the document details page by clicking on *View document* in the overview panel. That page looks like the one shown in the picture below.

On the page of a document, the resource is either directly displayed on the page or accessible by clicking on the link provided under the title.

Exploring the Document detail menu Sections

The **Info link** section shows the document metadata such as its title, abstract, date of publication etc. The metadata also indicates the user who is responsible for uploading and managing this content, as well as the group to which it is linked.

The **Share link** provides the document link to share.

If you want to download the document, click on the *Download* link in the menu and the document will be downloaded automatically.

If you want this document in your *Favorites* (see *Updating the Profile*), click the **Info link** and click on the start icon.

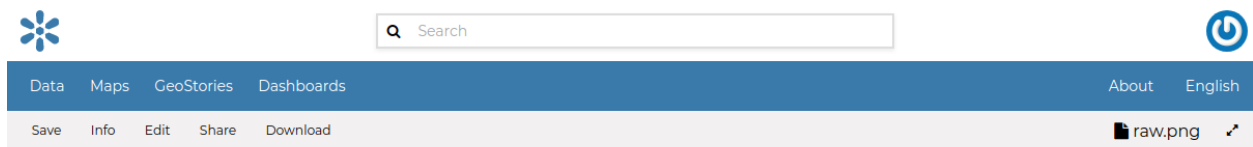
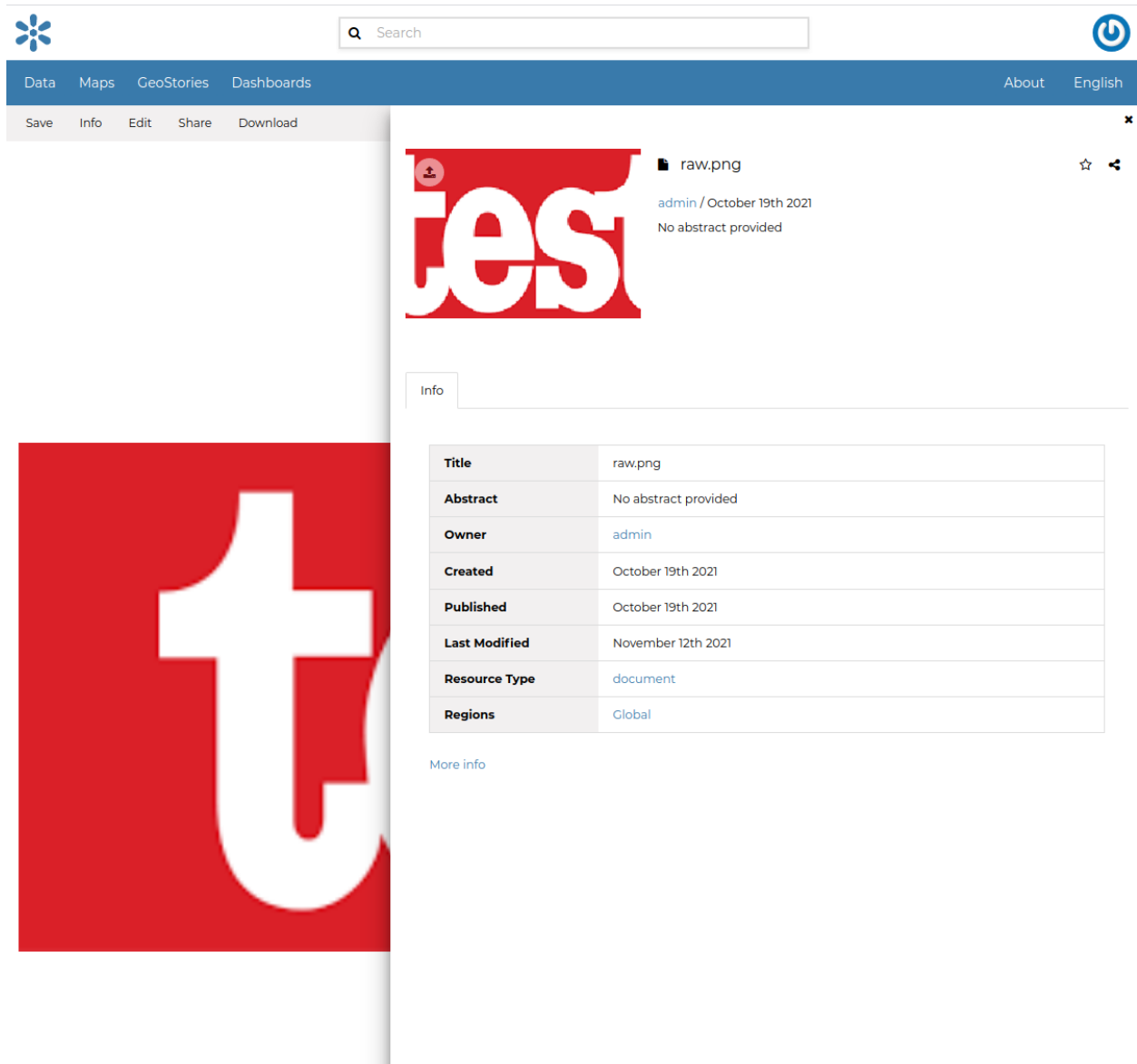


Fig. 46: *Document Information page*



The screenshot displays the GeoNode web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a search bar and a 'Search' button. Below the navigation bar, there are tabs for 'Data', 'Maps', 'GeoStories', and 'Dashboards'. On the right side of the navigation bar, there are links for 'About' and 'English'. Below the navigation bar, there is a sidebar with a 'Save' button and a 'Download' button. The main content area shows a document titled 'raw.png' with a thumbnail image of a red square with a white 't' logo. The document is owned by 'admin' and was created on October 19th 2021. The document has no abstract provided. Below the document information, there is a table with the following data:

Title	raw.png
Abstract	No abstract provided
Owner	admin
Created	October 19th 2021
Published	October 19th 2021
Last Modified	November 12th 2021
Resource Type	document
Regions	Global

Below the table, there is a link for 'More info'.

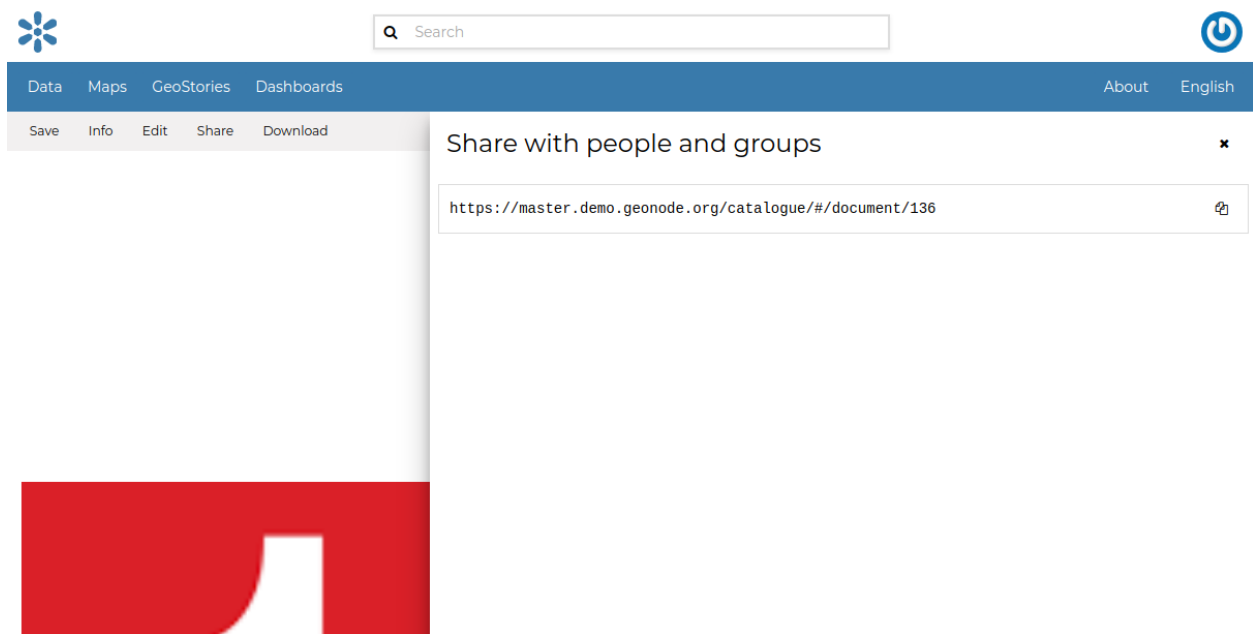


Fig. 47: Document Sharing

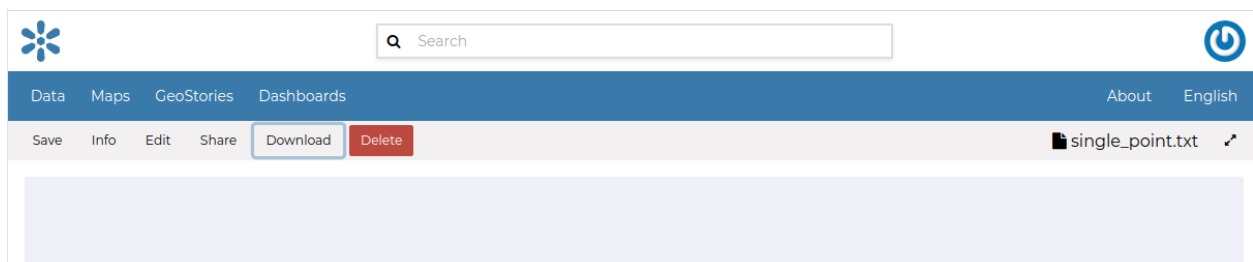


Fig. 48: Document Metadata download

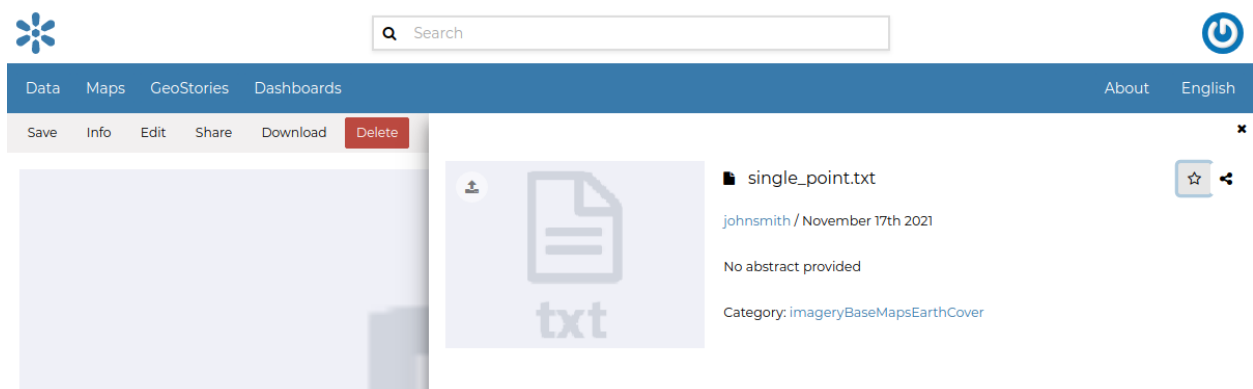


Fig. 49: Favorite document

Document Editing

The *Document Information* page makes available useful menu for document editing. Click on the *Edit* link then *Edit Metadata* to see editing forms.

Setting the Document Thumbnail

From the *Metadata Form*, it is possible to *Set the Thumbnail* of the document. Click on *Choose file* to open the *Thumbnail Uploading* page and chose the image that will illustrate your document. Once this is done, click on the ok button and save. If the thumbnail has been successfully uploaded you can see it by coming back to the document list.

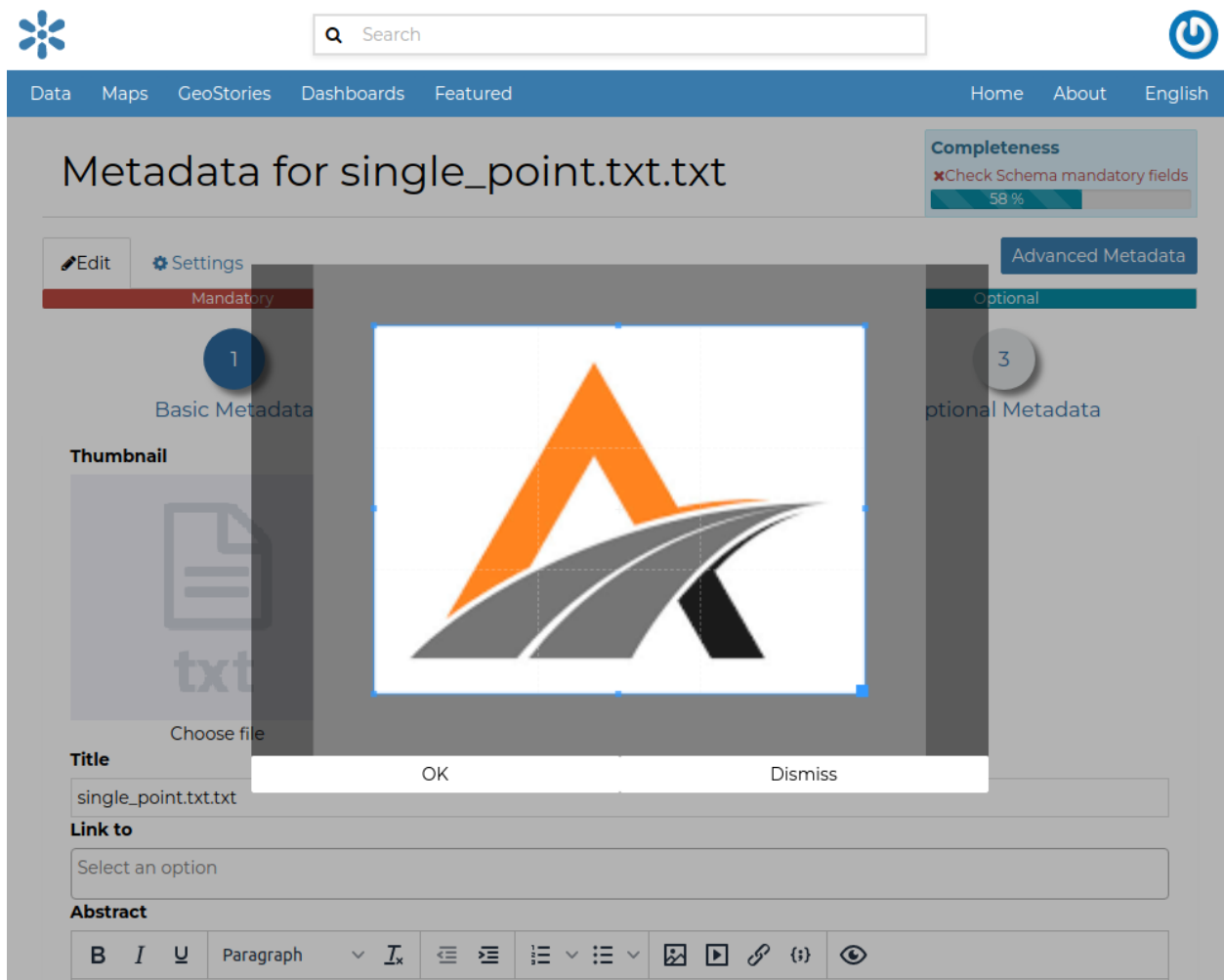


Fig. 50: Upload Document's Thumbnail

If no errors occur, the new selected thumbnail will be shown.

Metadata for single_point.txt.txt

Completeness: 59% (Check Schema mandatory fields)

Edit Settings

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata

Thumbnail: Choose file

2 Location and Licenses

3 Optional Metadata

Title: single_point.txt.txt

Link to: Select an option

Abstract: No abstract provided

Date type: Creation

Date: 2021-11-29 11:36 am

Category: (Empty, red border)

Group: (Empty)

Free-text Keywords: (Empty)

Advanced Metadata

Fig. 51: Uploading success

Editing the Document Metadata

You can edit the metadata of your document as described in the *Filling the Document Metadata* section or by using The *Advanced Metadata* option below.

Metadata for single_point.txt

Completeness: 67% (Check Schema mandatory fields)

Edit Settings

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata

Thumbnail: Choose file

2 Location and Licenses

3 Optional Metadata

Title: single_point.txt

Link to: Select an option

Abstract: No abstract provided

Date type: Creation

Date: 2021-11-29 11:36 am

Category: (Empty, red border)

Group: (Empty)

Free-text Keywords: (Empty)

Advanced Metadata

The *Advanced Metadata* button takes you to a big form where all the available metadata of the document can be edited. Some information are mandatory such as the *Title* or the *Category* the document belongs to, some others are optional.

In the example shown in the picture above, the information inside the red rectangles have been changed. To save the changes click on *Update*, you will be redirected to the document page.

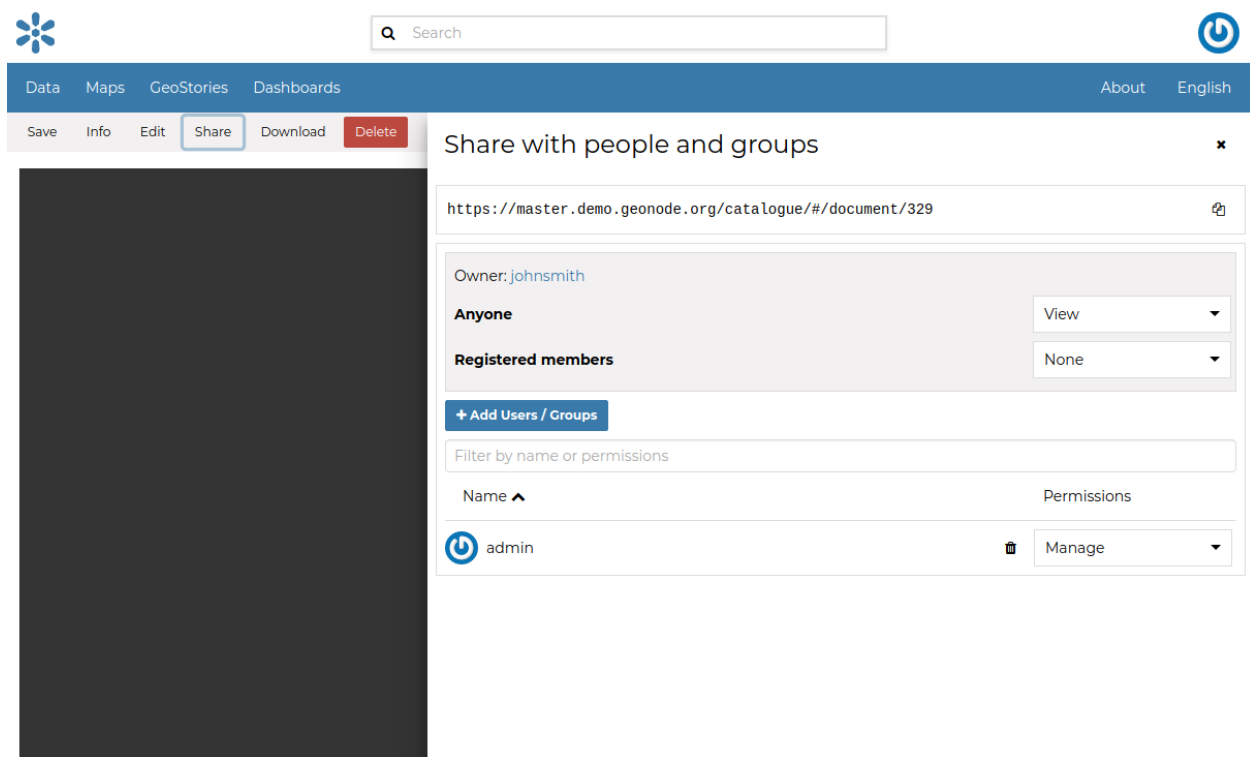


Share Options

GeoNode encourages to publicly, share and make available for download information uploaded on the platform. By default, anyone can see and download a document. However, the document responsible can choose to limit access to the document to some contributors and/or groups.

Through the *Share* Link shown in the menu it is possible to manage the document share options. it opens a form where set up who can:

- View (allows to view the document).
- Download (allows to view and download the document).
- Edit (allows to change the document metadata and attributes).
- Manage it (allows to update, delete, change share options, publish/unpublish).



The screenshot displays the 'Share with people and groups' modal in GeoNode. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation links. The modal title is 'Share with people and groups'. Below the title, the document URL is shown: `https://master.demo.geonode.org/catalogue/#!/document/329`. The owner is listed as 'johnsmith'. There are two permission dropdowns: 'Anyone' set to 'View' and 'Registered members' set to 'None'. A button '+ Add Users / Groups' is present. Below this is a filter bar 'Filter by name or permissions'. A table lists users with their names and permissions:

Name	Permissions
admin	Manage

See an example in the picture below.

Note: After making changes, always save them with the *Save* Link in the menu

Usually those with options of editing metadata and the management of a document are in charge and responsible of the document, i.e. the contributor who uploaded it has those options by default.

Once the share options are set, click *Save* link in the menu to save them.

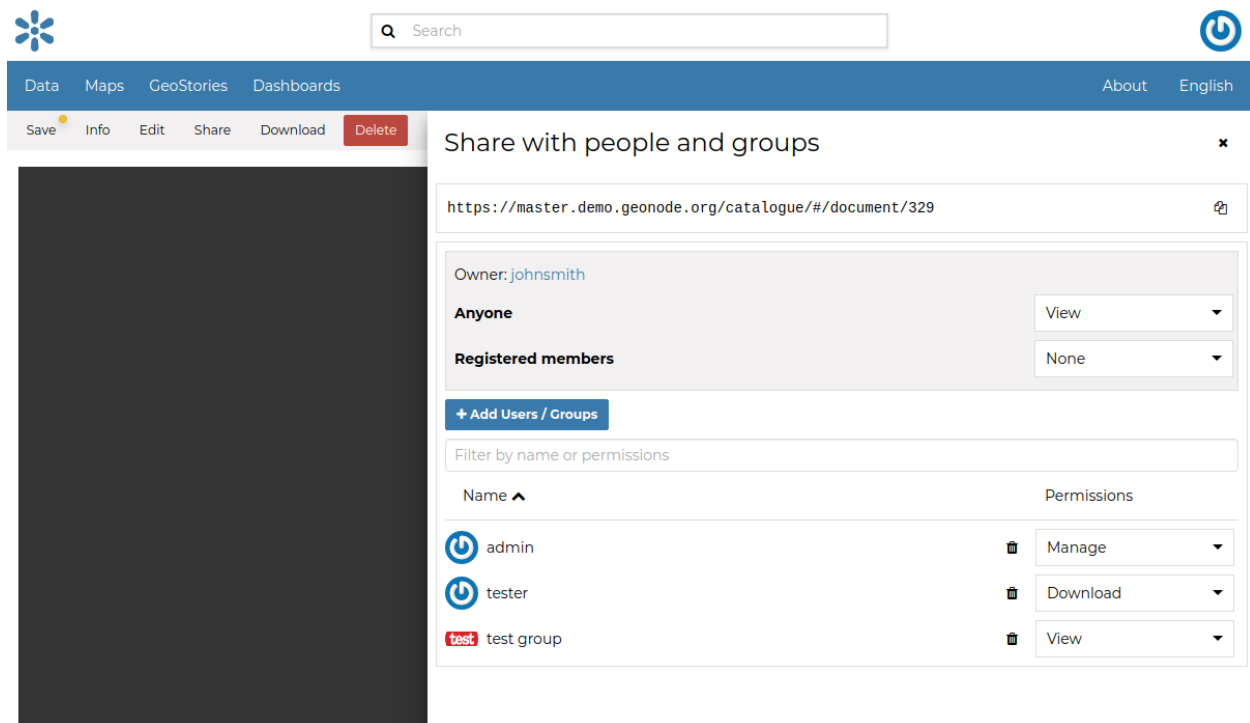


Fig. 53: Changing the Document share options

1.10.5 Managing Datasets

Datasets are published resources representing raster or vector spatial data sources. Datasets can also be associated with metadata, ratings, and comments.

In this section, you will learn how to create a new dataset by uploading a local data set, add dataset info, change the style of the dataset, and share the results.

Datasets Uploading

The most important resource type in GeoNode is the *Dataset*. A dataset represents spatial information so it can be displayed inside a map.

To better understand what we are talking about let's upload your first dataset.

The *Dataset Uploading* page can be reached from the *Upload dataset* link of the *Create new* menu above the resources list page.

The *Datasets Uploading* page looks like the one in the picture below.

Through the *Choose Files* button you can select files from your disk, make sure they are valid raster or vector spatial data. You can also change the default *Share options* settings (see [Share Options](#) for further information on how to set share options).

Select the *charset*, then click on *Upload files* to start the process or click *Clear* to remove all the loaded files from the page.

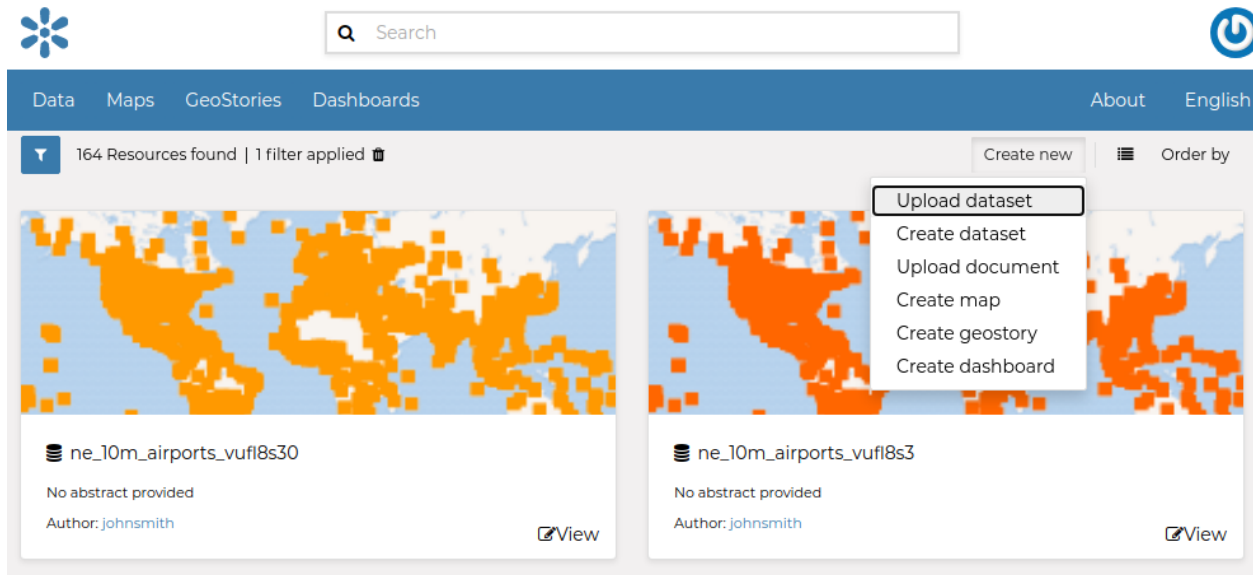


Fig. 54: Link for Datasets Uploading

In this example the `ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3` ESRI Shapefile, with all its mandatory files (`.shp`, `.shx`, `.dbf` and `.prj`), has been chosen. A progress bar shows the operation made during the dataset upload and alerts you when the process is over. When the process ends click the dataset name in the table to check the dataset has been correctly uploaded.

Note: There are lot of free spatial dataset available in the Internet. In this example, an extract of the Berlin city center roads map from the [BBBike extracts OpenStreetMap](#) dataset has been used.

In the next paragraphs you will learn how to create a dataset from scratch, how to set share options, how to explore the dataset properties and how to edit them.

Note: If you get the following error message:

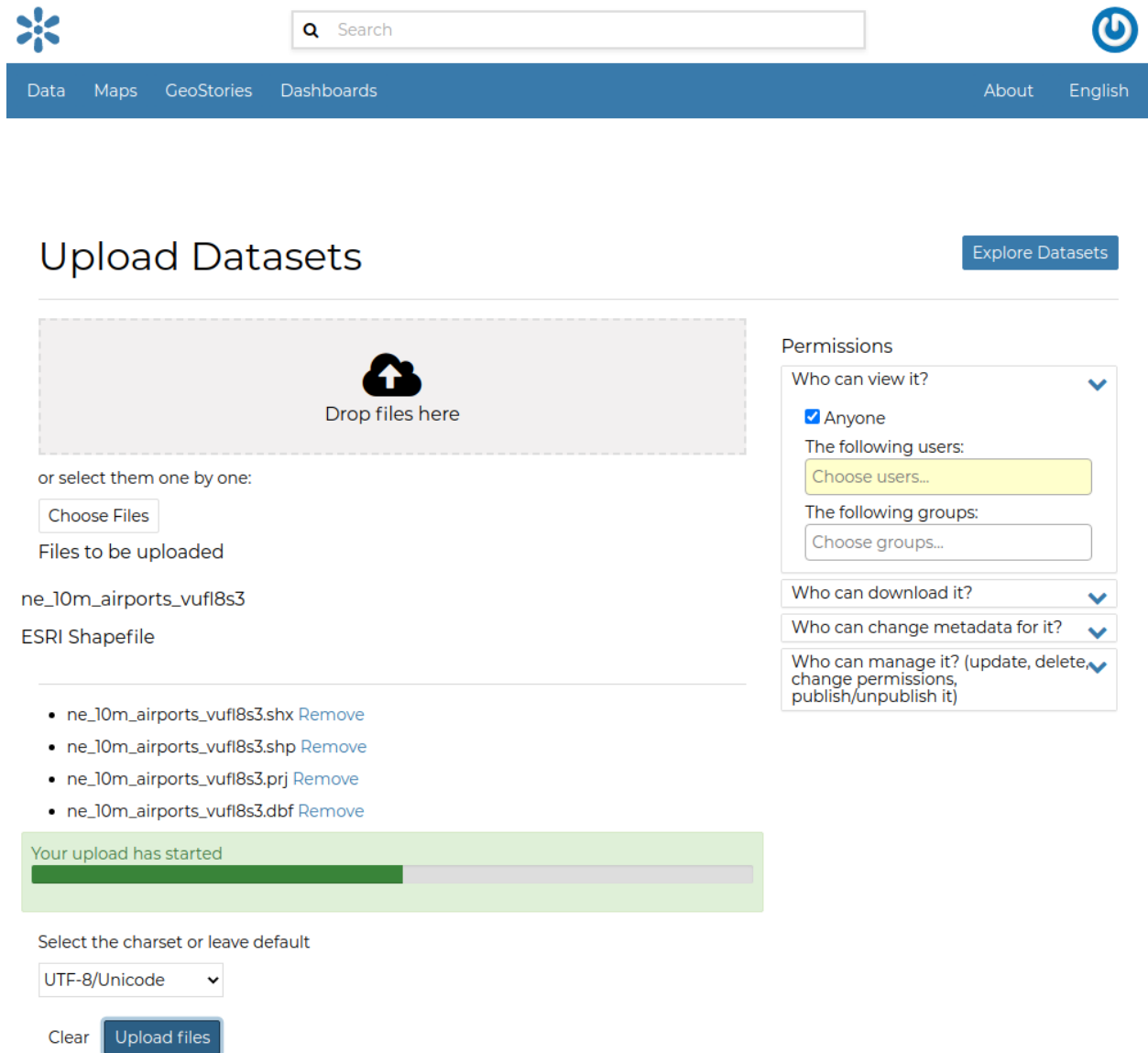
Total upload size exceeds 100.0 MB. Please try again with smaller files.



This means that there is an upload size limit of 100 MB. An user with administrative access can change the upload size limits at the [admin panel for size limits](#).

Similarly, for the following error message:

The number of active parallel uploads exceeds 5. Wait for the pending ones to finish.


You can modify the upload parallelism limits at the [admin panel for parallelism limits](#).



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Drop files here

or select them one by one:
[Choose Files](#)
Files to be uploaded
ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3
ESRI Shapefile

- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.shx [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.shp [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.prj [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.dbf [Remove](#)


Your upload has started

Select the charset or leave default

UTF-8/Unicode

Clear [Upload files](#)


Permissions


Who can view it? 
☒ Anyone
The following users:

Choose users...

The following groups:

Choose groups...

Who can download it? 

Who can change metadata for it? 




Who can manage it? (update, delete, change permissions, publish/unpublish it) 

Fig. 55: The Datasets Uploading page

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Upload status

Name	Created	Progress		
ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3_vb9b	11/17/2021, 6:05:13 PM	100%		

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Drop files here

or select them one by one:

[Choose Files](#)

Files to be uploaded

ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3
ESRI Shapefile

- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.shx [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.shp [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.prj [Remove](#)
- ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3.dbf [Remove](#)

Performing Final GeoServer Config Step. Check the Upload status above!

Select the charset or leave default

UTF-8/Unicode

Clear [Upload files](#)

Permissions

Who can view it?

☒ Anyone

The following users:

[Choose users...](#)

The following groups:

[Choose groups...](#)

Who can download it?

Who can change metadata for it?

Who can manage it? (update, delete, change permissions, publish/unpublish it)

Fig. 56: Dataset uploading finished

Creating a Dataset from scratch

An interesting tool that GeoNode makes available to you is the *Create dataset*. It allows you to create a new vector dataset from scratch. The *Dataset Creation Form* is reachable through the *Create dataset* link shown in the picture below.

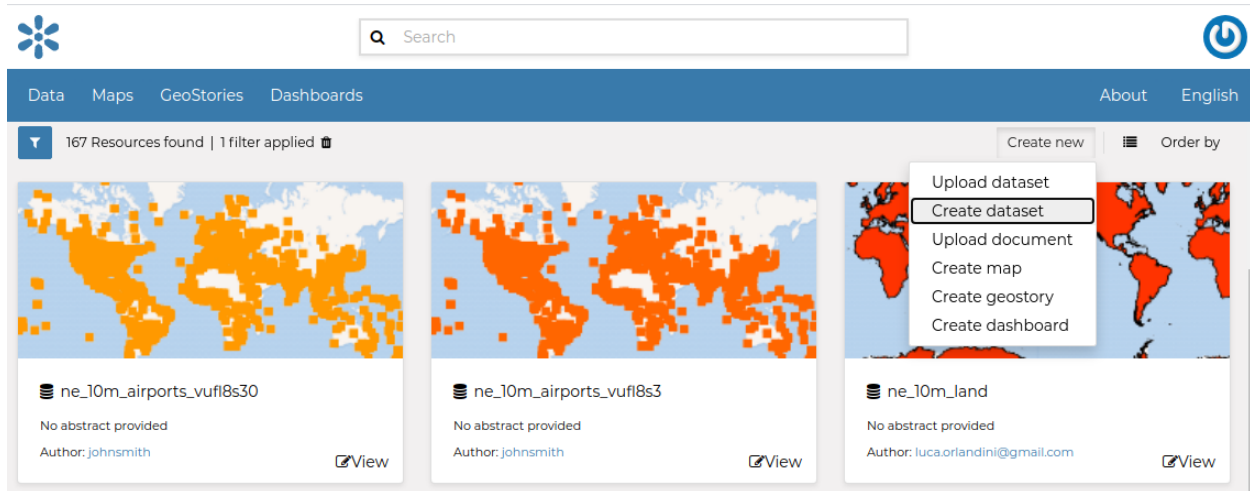


Fig. 57: *Create dataset link*

In order to create the new Dataset you have to fill out the required fields:

- *Name*
- *Title*
- *Geometry type*

Geometry type

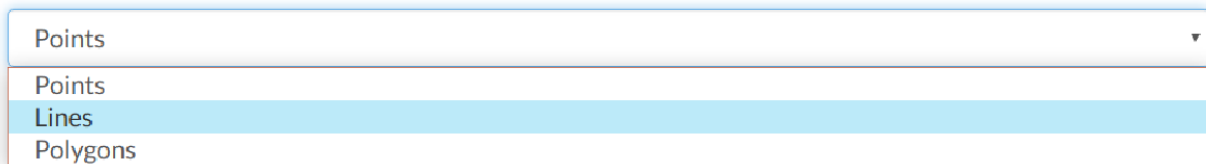



Fig. 58: *Geometry types*

Usually the datasets features should have some *Attributes* that enrich the amount of information associated with each of them. Through the *Add Attribute* button you can add new attributes.

At this time you can also change the default *Share options* settings, see [Share Options](#) to learn how.

Once the form has been filled out, click on *Create*. You will be redirected to the *Dataset Page* (see [Dataset Information](#)). Now your Dataset is created but is still empty, no features have been added yet. See the [Dataset Editing](#) section to learn how to add new features.



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Dataset name

Dataset title

Geometry type

Add Attribute

String
Remove

String
Remove

Float
Remove

Create

Permissions

Who can view it?
☒ Anyone
The following users:

The following groups:

Who can download it?

Who can change metadata for it?

Who can manage it? (update, delete, change permissions, publish/unpublish it)

Fig. 59: New Dataset creation from scratch

Using Remote Services

In GeoNode you can add new datasets not only by loading them from your disk but also using *Remote Services*. In this section you will learn how to add a new service and how to load resources in GeoNode through that.

Let's try it!

Click on the *Remote Services* link of the *Data* menu in the navigation bar.

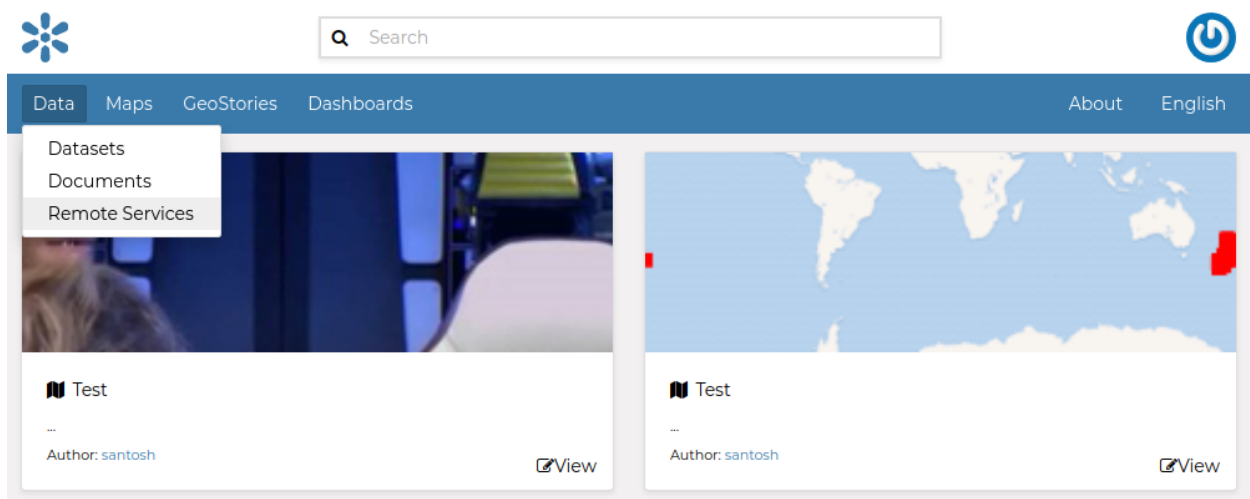


Fig. 60: *Remote Services* link

The page that opens will contain the list of the available services.

To configure a new service:

- click on *Add Remote Service*
- type the *Service URL*
- select the *Service Type*
- click on *Create*

GeoNode supports four **types of remote services**:

- *Web Map Service*

Generic Web Map Service (WMS) based on a standard protocol for serving georeferenced map images over the Internet. These images are typically produced by a map server (like [GeoServer](#)) from data provided by one or more distributed geospatial databases. Common operations performed by a WMS service are: *GetCapabilities* (to retrieves metadata about the service, including supported operations and parameters, and a list of the available datasets) and *GetMap* (to retrieves a map image for a specified area and content).

Note: Lots of WMS services are available on the internet, in this example we used the <https://demo.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/wms>.

- *GeoNode Web Map Service*

Generally a WMS is not directly invoked; client applications such as GIS-Desktop or WEB-GIS are used that provide the user with interactive controls. A GeoNode WMS automatically performs some operations and lets you to immediately retrieve resources.



Remote Services

[Add Remote Service](#)

Title	URL	Type
GeoServer Web Map Service 19	https://portal.ric.gob.gt/geoserver/wms	Web Map Service
GeoServer Web Map Service 37	https://demo.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/wms	Web Map Service
Mapa Base de España 4	https://www.ign.es/wms-inspire/ign-base	Web Map Service
World Imagery 8	https://server.arcgisonline.com/ArcGIS/rest/services/World_Imagery/MapServer	ArcGIS REST MapServer
USA Topo Maps 0	http://services.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/USA_Topo_Maps/MapServer	ArcGIS REST MapServer
USA Topo Maps 0	http://services.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/USA_Topo_Maps/MapServer/0	ArcGIS REST MapServer

Fig. 61: *Remote Services*

Service Type

Web Map Service
 GeoNode (Web Map Service)
 ArcGIS REST MapServer
 ArcGIS REST ImageServer

Fig. 62: *Service Types*

Note: An example of GeoNode WMS is available at <http://dev.geonode.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/wms>.

- *ArcGIS REST MapServer*

This map service provides basic information about the map, including the datasets that it contains, whether the map is cached or not, its spatial reference, initial and full extents, whether the service is allowed to export tiles and max tiles export count, etc. A set of operations that manage the state and contents of the service are allowed: Edit Service, Refresh, Update Tiles. The URL should follow this pattern: <https://<servicecatalog-url>/services/<serviceName>/MapServer>.

Note: Try the following service to better understand how it works: <https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/USA/MapServer>.

- *ArcGIS REST ImageServer*

This Image Server allows you to assemble, process, analyze, and manage large collections of overlapping, multiresolution imagery and raster data from different sensors, sources, and time periods. You can also publish dynamic image services that transform source imagery and other raster data into multiple image products on demand—without needing to preprocess the data or store intermediate results—saving time and computer resources. In addition, ArcGIS Image Server uses parallel processing across multiple machines and instances, and distributed storage to speed up large raster analysis tasks. The URL should follow this pattern: <https://<servicecatalog-url>/services/<serviceName>/ImageServer>.

Note: Try the following service to better understand how it works: <https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/Toronto/ImageServer>.

Once the service has been configured, you can load the resources you are interested in through the *Import Resources* page where you will be automatically redirected to.

From the page where the services are listed, it is possible to click on the *Title* of a service. It opens the *Service Details* page.

Each service has its own metadata such as the *Service Type*, the *URL*, an *Abstract*, some *Keywords* and the *Contact* user.

You can edit those metadata through the form available from the *Edit Service Metadata* link of the *Service Details* page (see the picture below).

Share Options

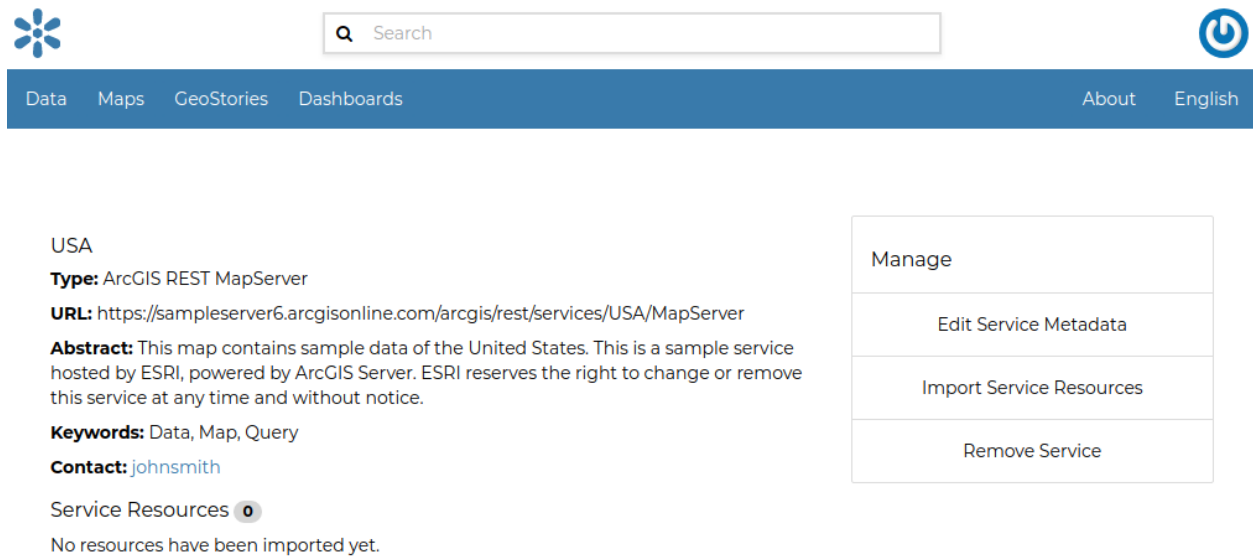
When creating or uploading a new Dataset you have to set who can view, download, edit and manage that Dataset. By default only owners can edit and manage datasets, anyone can view them.

In order to modify the Dataset *Share options* settings, On the detail page of the dataset click the *Share* link in the menu.

Through the *Share options Settings Panel* you can add or remove options for users and groups. The picture below shows an example.

You can set the following share options:

- *View* (allows to view the dataset).



The screenshot shows the GeoNode web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a logo on the left, a search bar in the center, and a power icon on the right. Below the navigation bar, there are links for 'Data', 'Maps', 'GeoStories', and 'Dashboards' on the left, and 'About' and 'English' on the right. The main content area displays the metadata for a service named 'USA'. On the left, the service details are listed: 'Type: ArcGIS REST MapServer', 'URL: https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/USA/MapServer', 'Abstract: This map contains sample data of the United States. This is a sample service hosted by ESRI, powered by ArcGIS Server. ESRI reserves the right to change or remove this service at any time and without notice.', 'Keywords: Data, Map, Query', and 'Contact: johnsmith'. Below this, there is a section for 'Service Resources' with a plus icon and the text 'No resources have been imported yet.' On the right, there is a 'Manage' menu with four options: 'Edit Service Metadata', 'Import Service Resources', and 'Remove Service'.

USA


Type: ArcGIS REST MapServer

URL: https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/USA/MapServer

Abstract: This map contains sample data of the United States. This is a sample service hosted by ESRI, powered by ArcGIS Server. ESRI reserves the right to change or remove this service at any time and without notice.

Keywords: Data, Map, Query

Contact: johnsmith

Service Resources 

No resources have been imported yet.

Manage
Edit Service Metadata
Import Service Resources
Remove Service

Fig. 63: Remote Service metadata

- *Download* (allows to view and download the dataset).
- *Edit* (allows to change the dataset metadata, change attributes and properties of the datasets features and change the dataset style).
- *Manage* (allows to update, delete, change share options, publish and unpublish the dataset).

Warning: When assigning options to a group, all the group members will have those options. Be careful in case of editing them.

Click on *Save* link in the menu to save these settings.

Dataset Information

In this section you will learn more about datasets. In the *Finding Data* section we explain how to find datasets, now we want to go more in depth showing you how to explore detailed information about that.

From the resource list page, filter with datasets, click on the dataset you are interested in. The overview page will be shown on the right, Then click on *View dataset*, The dataset detail page will open.

The Dataset page has a menu which helps us to view and update dataset attributes.

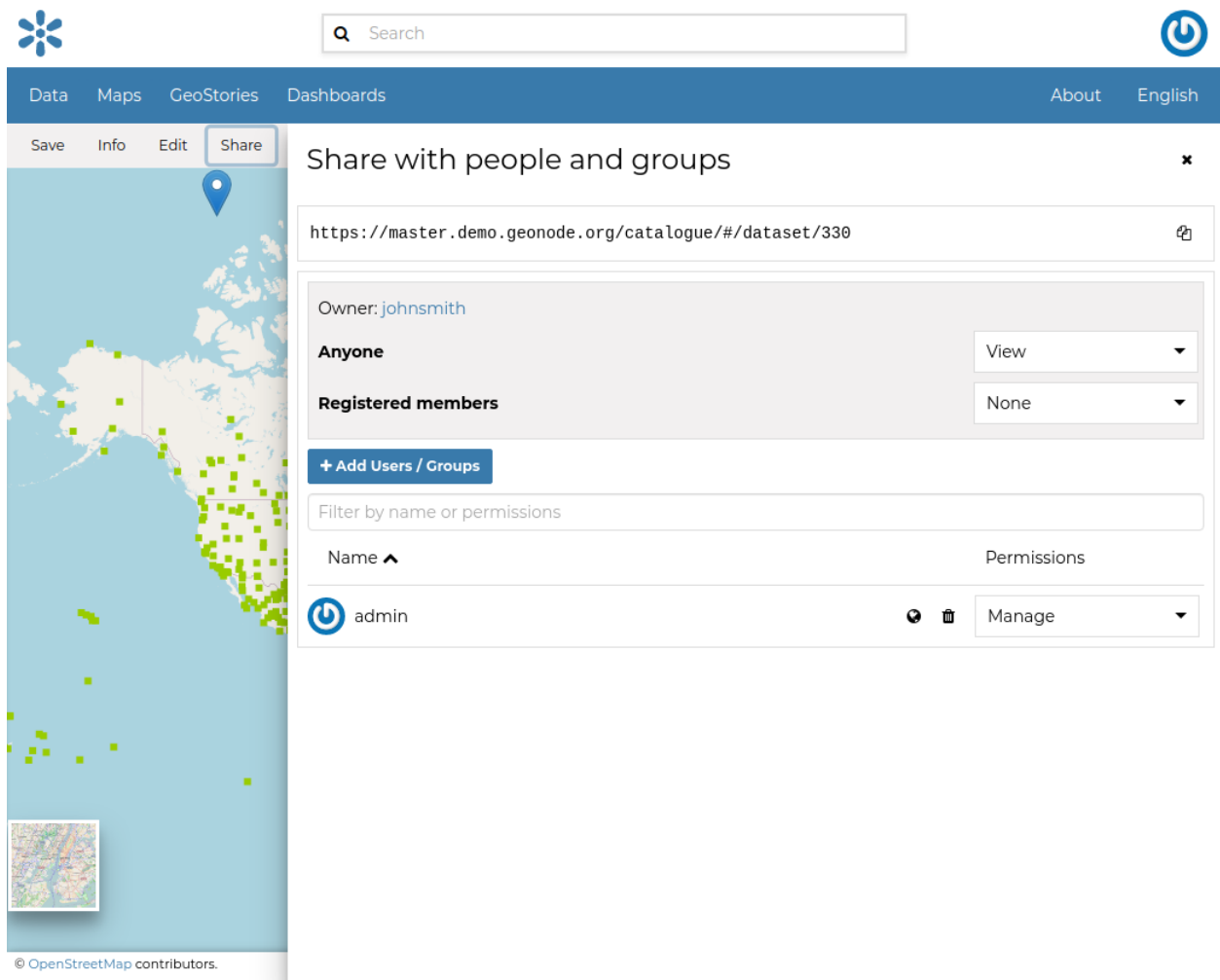


Fig. 64: Change Dataset Share options

Save Info Edit Share

Share with people and groups

<https://master.demo.geonode.org/catalogue/#/dataset/330>

Owner: johnsmith

Anyone View

Registered members View

+ Add Users / Groups

Filter by name or permissions

Name	Permissions
admin	Manage
tester	View
test group	Download
emtester	Edit

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Fig. 65: Dataset Share options settings for users and groups

Save Info Edit Share Create Map Print Export Measure Delete

ne_10m_airports_vufl8s30

Search by location name

Fig. 66: Dataset Menu

Dataset Info

When you click the *Info* link in the menu, a new page will be opened on right.

- The *Info* tab is active by default. This tab section shows some dataset metadata such as its title, the abstract, date of publication etc. The metadata also indicates the dataset owner, what are the topic categories the dataset belongs to and which regions are affected.

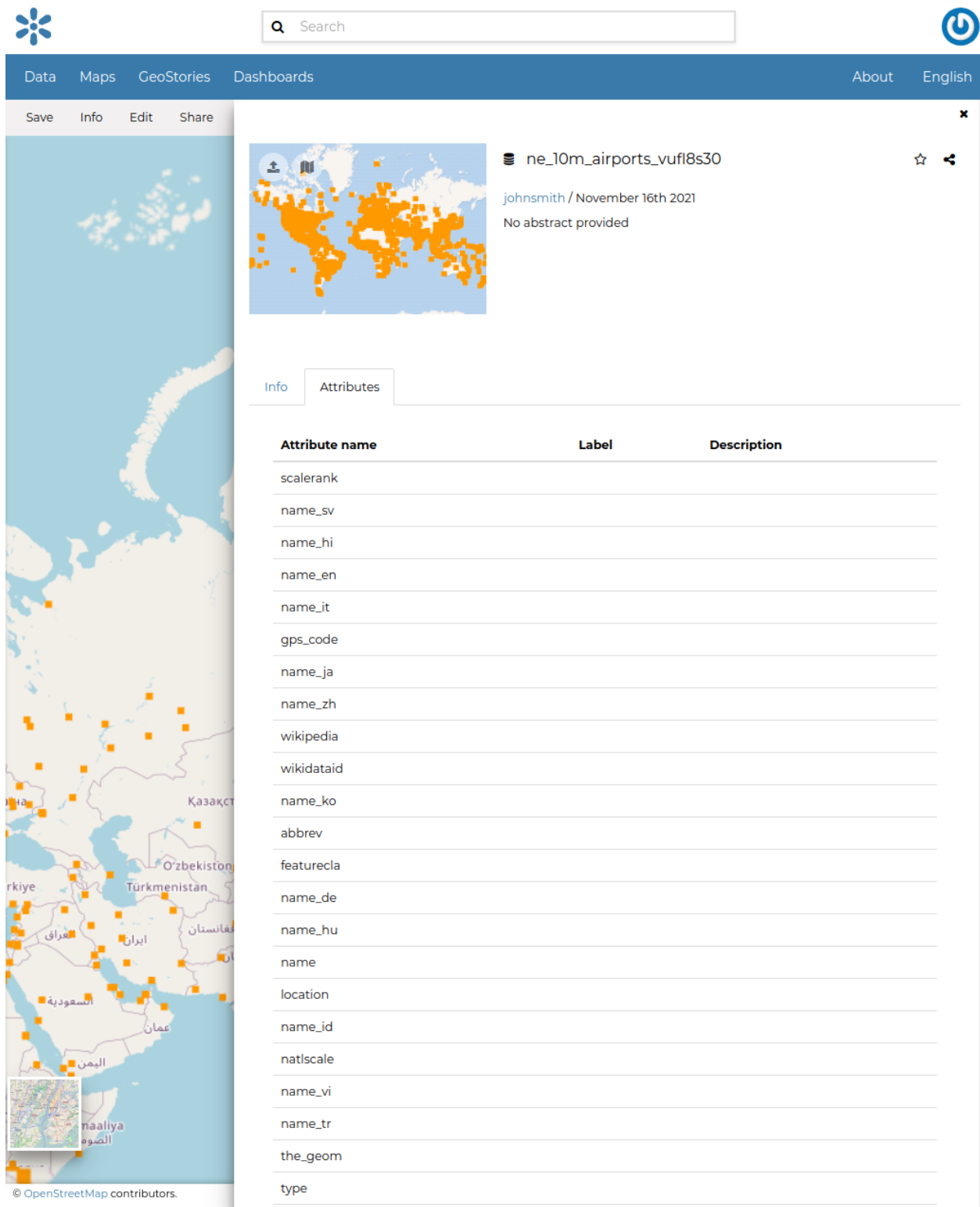
The screenshot shows the GeoNode interface. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, and Dashboards. The 'Info' tab is selected in the dataset's menu. On the left, a map displays the dataset's spatial distribution with orange squares representing airports. The main content area shows the dataset's metadata:

- Title:** ne_10m_airports_vufl8s30
- Abstract:** No abstract provided
- Owner:** johnsmith
- Created:** November 16th 2021
- Published:** November 16th 2021
- Last Modified:** November 16th 2021
- Resource Type:** dataset
- Regions:** Global

Below the metadata table, there is a 'More info' link. The 'Attributes' tab is also visible but not selected.

Fig. 67: Dataset Info tab

- The *Attributes* tab shows the data structure behind the dataset. All the attributes are listed and for each of them some statistics (e.g. the range of values) are estimated (if possible).
- If you want this dataset in your *Favorites* (see [Updating the Profile](#)), You can click on star icon near the dataset name.



The screenshot displays the GeoNode web interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, and Dashboards, along with a search bar and a language selector set to English. Below the navigation bar, a sidebar on the left contains buttons for Save, Info, Edit, and Share. The main content area is divided into two sections. The top section shows a map of the world with orange dots representing airport locations, and a metadata panel on the right for the dataset 'ne_10m_airports_vufi8s30' by 'johnsmith' from November 16th 2021. The bottom section is titled 'Info' and 'Attributes', and contains a table listing the dataset's attributes.

Attribute name	Label	Description
scalerank		
name_sv		
name_hi		
name_en		
name_it		
gps_code		
name_ja		
name_zh		
wikipedia		
wikidataid		
name_ko		
abbrev		
featurecla		
name_de		
name_hu		
name		
location		
name_id		
natlscale		
name_vi		
name_tr		
the_geom		
type		

Fig. 68: Dataset Attributes tab

Downloading Datasets

At the top of the *Dataset Menu* there is an *Export* link . It provides access to the ability to extract geospatial data from within GeoNode.

You will be able to select from a list of options of the supported export file formats.

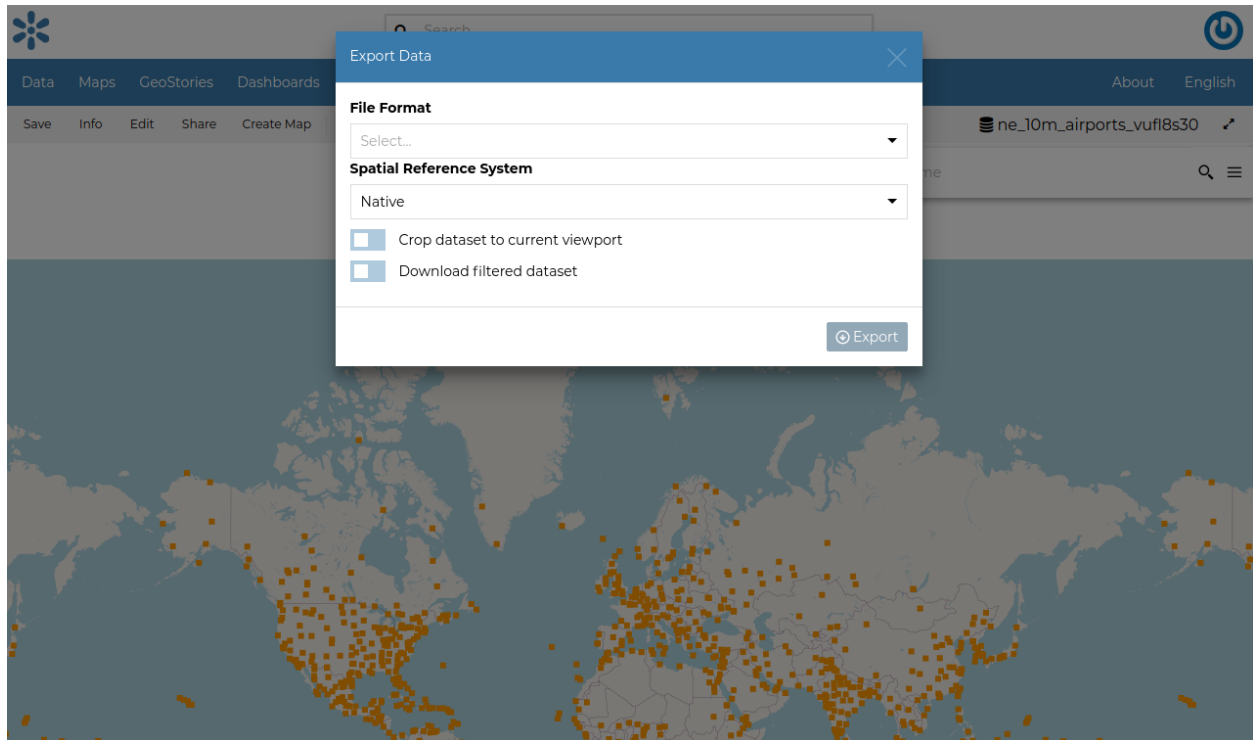


Fig. 69: *Downloading Datasets*

As shown in the image above, GeoNode allows you to download a subset of data. Click on *Download filtered dataset* to download filtered data.

On clicking Export, the file is prepared and a notification is showed when file is ready

To download the file to your machine, click on the export dataset icon. This opens the prepared export files and you can save the files on your by clicking on the save icon on each item.

Printing

The [MapStore](#) based map viewer of GeoNode allows you to print the current view with a customizable layout. Click the *Print* option from the *Menu*, the **Printing Window** will open.

From this window you can:

- enter *Title* and *Description*;
- choose the *Resolution* in dpi;
- customize the *Layout*

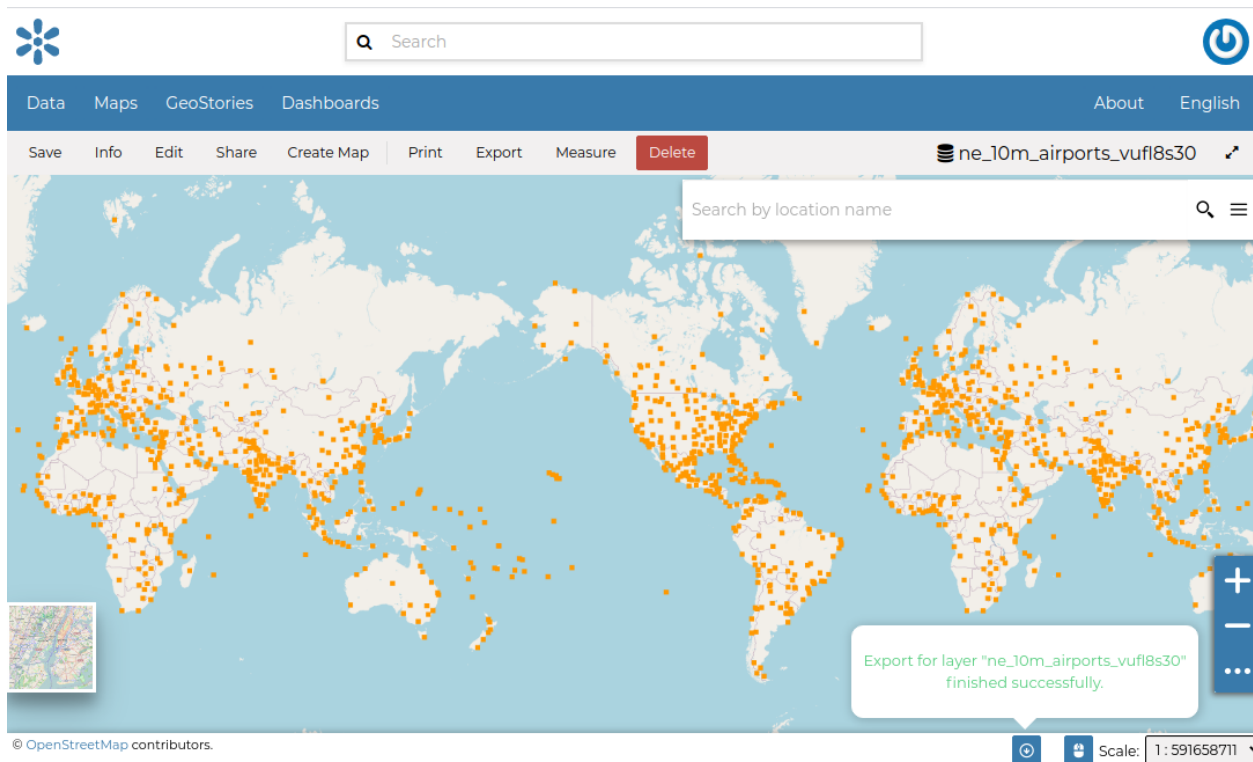
Fig. 70: *Export Ready*

Fig. 71: *Export Results Icon *

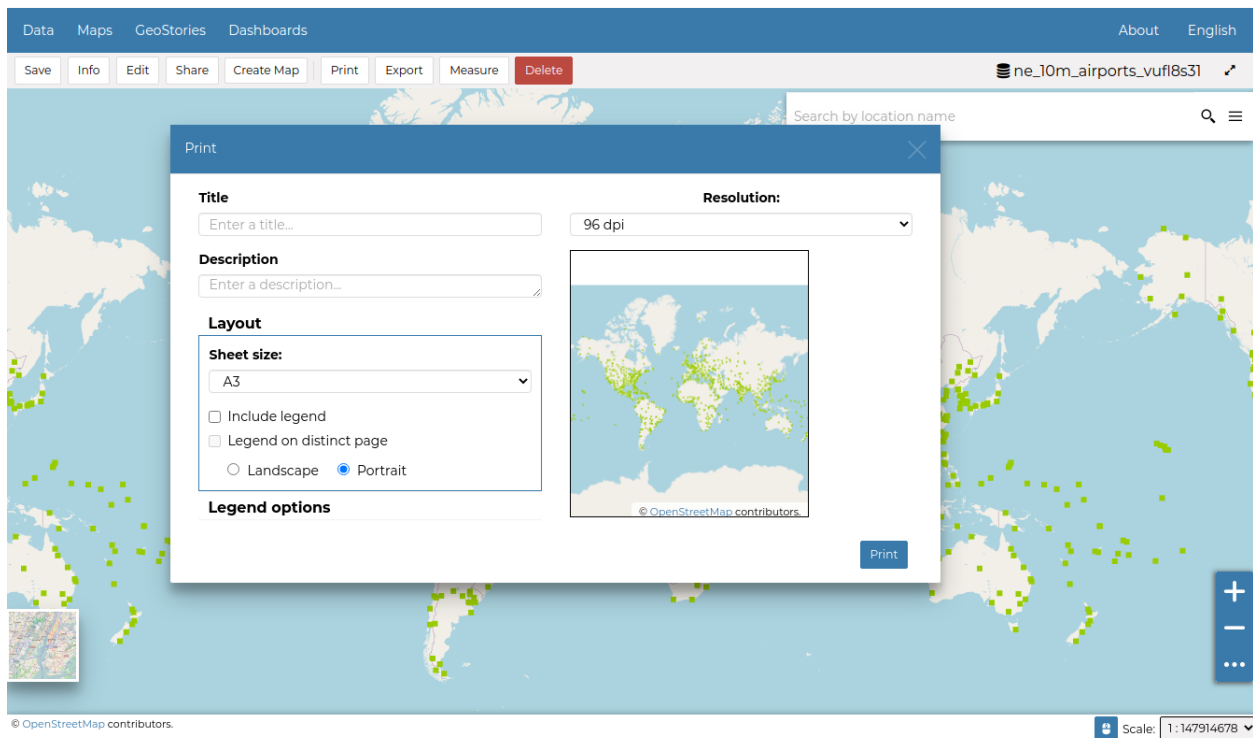
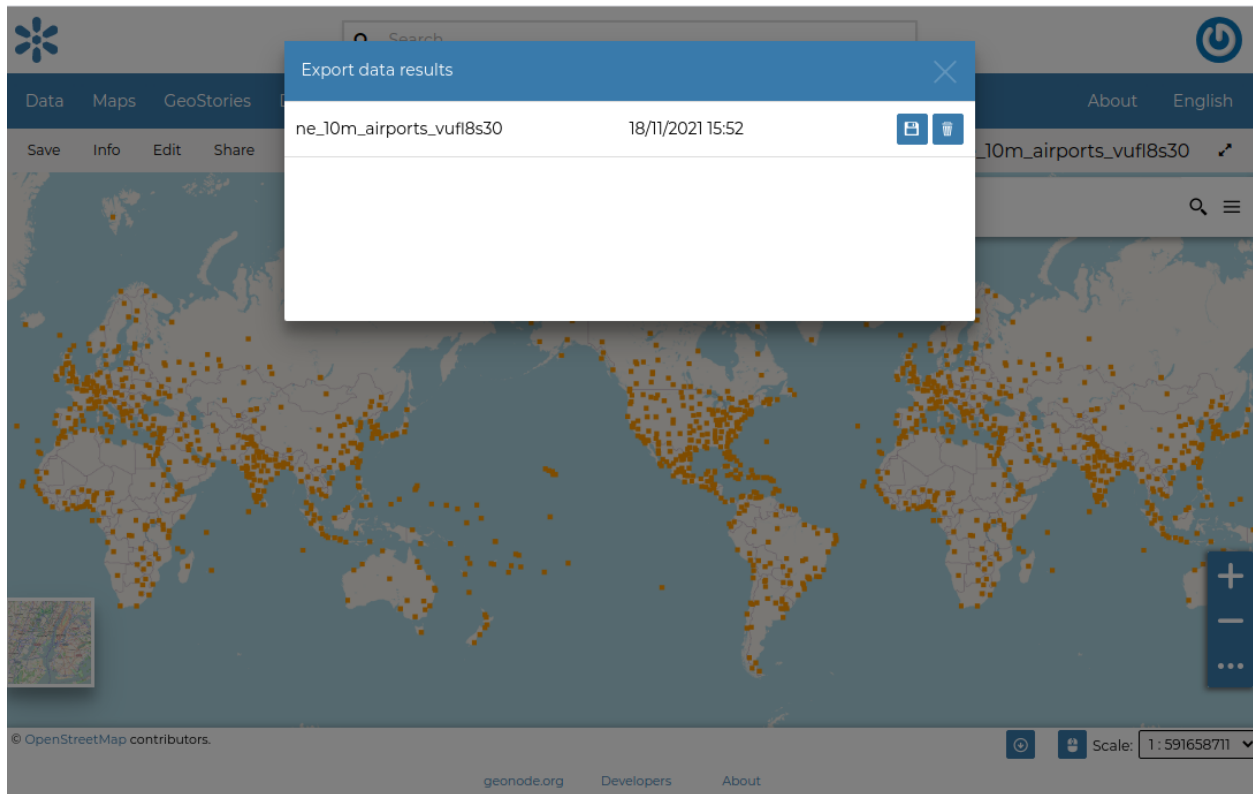


Fig. 72: The Printing Window

- the *Sheet size* (A3, A4);
- if include the legend or not;
- if to put the legend in a separate page;
- the page *Orientation* (Landscape or Portrait);
- customize the *Legend*
 - the *Label Font*;
 - the *Font Size*;
 - the *Font Emphasis* (bold, italic);
 - if *Force Labels*;
 - if use *Anti Aliasing Font*;
 - the *Icon Size*;
 - the *Legend Resolution* in dpi.

To print the view click on *Print*.

Performing Measurements

Click on the *Measure* option of the *Menu* to perform a measurement. As you can see in the picture below, this tool allows you to measure *Distances*, *Areas* and the *Bearing* of lines.

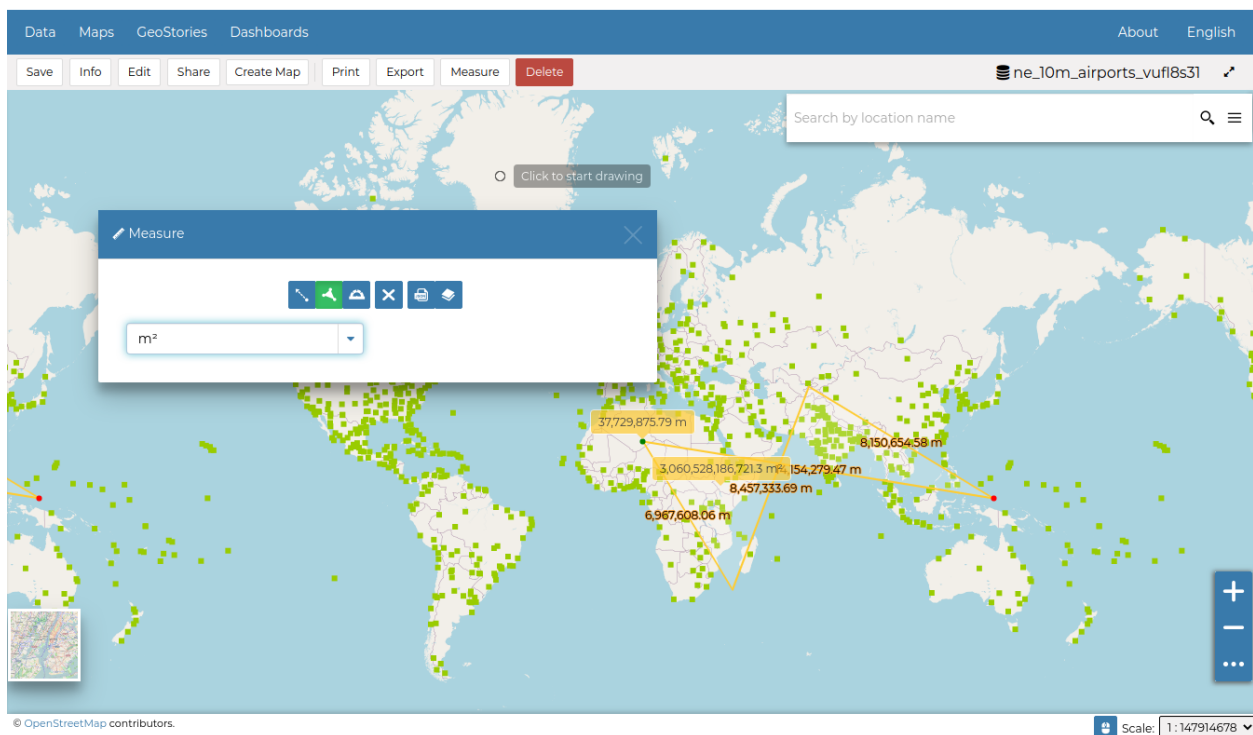


Fig. 73: *The Measure Tool*

Dataset Editing

The *Edit* link in the menu of the *Dataset Page* opens a list of options like ones shown in the picture below.

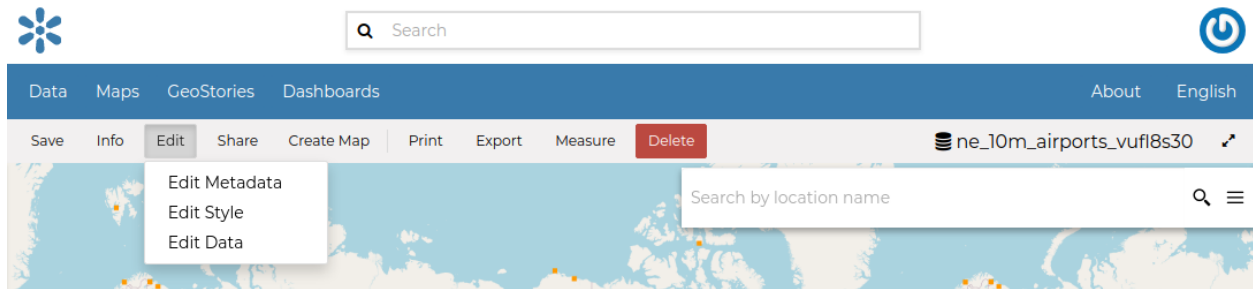


Fig. 74: Dataset Editing Link


In that options list, you can see three options listed as:


1. *Edit Metadata*
2. *Edit Styles*
3. *Edit Data*

In this section you will learn how to edit a *Dataset*, and its data. See [Datasets Metadata](#) to learn how to explore the dataset *Metadata*, how to upload and edit them. The *Styles* will be covered in a dedicated section, see [Dataset Styling](#).

Editing the Dataset Data





The *Edit data* link of the *Dataset Editing* options opens the *Dataset* within a *Map*.

The *Attribute Table* panel of the *Dataset* will automatically appear at the bottom of the *Map*. In that panel all the features are listed. For each feature you can zoom to its extent by clicking on the corresponding *magnifying glass* icon  at the beginning of the row, you can also observe which values the feature assumes for each attribute.

Click the *Edit Mode*  button to start an editing session.

Now you can:

- *Add new Features*

Through the *Add New Feature* button  it is possible to set up a new feature for your dataset. Fill the attributes fields and click  to save your change. Your new feature doesn't have a shape yet, click on  to draw its shape directly on the *Map* then click on  to save it.

Note: When your new feature has a multi-vertex shape you have to double-click the last vertex to finish the drawing.

- *Delete Features*

If you want to delete a feature you have to select it on the *Attribute Table* and click on .

GeoNode interface showing a world map with orange dots representing airports. Below the map is a table with columns: fid, scalerank, featurecla, type, and name. The table lists 6 airports: Sahnewal, Solapur, Birsamunda, Ahwaz, Gwalior, and Hodeidah Int'l. The interface includes a search bar, navigation tabs (Data, Maps, GeoStories, Dashboards), and a scale indicator at the bottom.

	fid	scalerank	featurecla	type	name
	Type number or expression	Type number or expression	Type text to filter...	Type text to filter...	Type text to filter...
	1	9	Airport	small	Sahnewal
	2	9	Airport	mid	Solapur
	3	9	Airport	mid	Birsamunda
	4	9	Airport	mid	Ahwaz
	5	9	Airport	mid and military	Gwalior
	6	9	Airport	mid	Hodeidah Int'l

891 items

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Fig. 75: Editing the Dataset Data

GeoNode interface showing a map and a data table for the dataset `ne_10m_airports_vuf18s3`.

The map displays a region with labels for *Ellesmere Island*, *Helberg Island*, *Kalaallit Nunaat*, and *Norge*. A red box highlights a new feature being created on the map.

The data table below shows the attributes for the features:

	fid	scalerank	featurecla	type	name	abbrev	loci
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	999	8	Point	mid	My new feature	MNF	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	9	Airport	small	Sahnewal	LUH	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	9	Airport	mid	Solapur	SSE	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	9	Airport	mid	Birsa Munda	IXR	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	9	Airport	mid	Ahwaz	AWZ	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	9	Airport	mid and military	Gwalior	GWL	terr
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	9	Airport	mid	Hodeidah Int'l	HOD	terr

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Fig. 76: Create New Feature


- *Change the Feature Shape*

You can edit the shape of an existing geometry dragging its vertices with the mouse. A blue circle lets you know what vertex you are moving.

Features can have *multipart shapes*. You can add parts to the shape when editing it.

- *Change the Feature Attributes*

When you are in *Edit Mode* you can also edit the attributes values changing them directly in the corresponding text fields. You can achieve this by going into the edit mode and double click in the values.

Once you have finished you can end the *Editing Session* by clicking on the .

By default the GeoNode map viewer is [MapStore](#) based, see the [MapStore Documentation](#) for further information.

Datasets Metadata

In GeoNode special importance is given to *Metadata* and their standard formats.

Editing Metadata

Metadata contains all the information related to the dataset. They provide essential information for its identification and its comprehension. Metadata also make the dataset more easily retrievable through search by other users.

The *Metadata* of a dataset can be changed through a *Edit Metadata* form which involves four steps, one for each type of metadata considered:

You can open the *Metadata* form of a *Dataset* by clicking the *Edit Metadata* link from the *Edit* options on the *Dataset Page*.

- **Basic Metadata**

The first two steps are mandatory (no datasets will be published if the required information are not provided) whereas the last two are optional.

In the first step the system asks you to insert the following metadata:

- The *Thumbnail* of the dataset (click *Edit* to change it);
- The *Title* of the dataset, which should be clear and understandable;
- An *Abstract*; brief narrative summary of the content of the dataset

Note: The *Abstract* panel allows you to insert HTML code through a *wysiwyg* text editor

- The *Creation/Publication/Revision Dates* which define the time period that is covered by the dataset;
- The *Keywords*, which should be chosen within the available list. The contributor search for available keywords by clicking on the searching bar, or on the folder logo representing, or by entering the first letters of the desired word;
- The *Category* which the dataset belongs to;
- The *Group* which the dataset is linked to.

Metadata for ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3

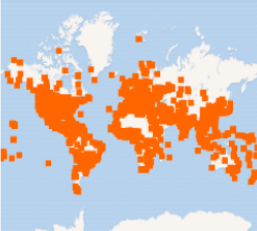
Completeness
✖ Check Schema mandatory fields
58 %

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MandatoryMandatoryOptional

1Basic Metadata

Thumbnail



Edit

2Location and Licenses

Title

ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3

Abstract

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

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No abstract provided

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3Optional Metadata

Date type

Publication

Date

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Category

* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Group

Free-text Keywords

4Dataset Attributes

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Fig. 77: Basic Dataset Metadata

Metadata for ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3

Edit Preview Settings Advanced Metadata

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✖ Check Schema mandatory fields
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Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata 4 Dataset Attributes

Language
English
License
Not Specified
Attribution
authority or function assigned, as to a ruler, le...
* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Regions
Global
Data quality statement
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* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Restrictions
* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema
Other constraints
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* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

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Fig. 78: Location and Licenses Metadata for Datasets

• Location and Licenses

The following list shows what kinds of metadata you are required to enter (see also the picture below):

- The *Language* of the dataset;
- The *License* of the dataset;
- The *DOI* of the dataset; if available, this represents the [Digital Object Identifier](#) of the resource
- The *Attribution* of the dataset; authority or function assigned, as to a ruler, legislative assembly, delegate, or the like
- The *Regions*, which informs on the spatial extent covered by the dataset. Proposed extents cover the following scales: global, continental, regional, national;
- The *Data Quality statement* (general explanation of the data producer's knowledge about the lineage of a dataset);
- Potential *Restrictions* on dataset sharing.

Note: The *Data Quality statement* and *Restrictions* panels allow you to insert HTML code through a wysiwyg text editor

• Optional Metadata

Complementary information are:

- The *Edition* to indicate the reference or the source of the dataset;

Metadata for ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3

Completeness
 ✖ Check Schema mandatory fields
 58 %

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Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata 4 Dataset Attributes

Other, Optional, Metadata

Edition ⓘ

version of the cited resource

DOI ⓘ

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Purpose

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Supplemental information

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Table Help

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temporal extent start

temporal extent end

Maintenance frequency ⓘ

Spatial representation type ⓘ

Responsible Parties

Point of Contact

johnsmith x

Responsible and Permissions

Owner

johnsmith

Metadata Author

johnsmith x

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Fig. 79: Optional Dataset Metadata

- The *Purpose* of the dataset and its objectives;
- Any *Supplemental information* that can provide a better understanding of the uploaded dataset;
- The *Maintenance frequency* of the dataset;
- The users who are *Responsible* for the dataset, its *Owner*, and the *Author* of its metadata;
- The *Spatial representation type* used.

Note: The *Purpose* and *Supplemental information* panels allow you to insert HTML code through a wysiwyg text editor

• Dataset Attributes

Metadata for roads

Completeness: 92 %
 ✖ Check Schema mandatory fields

Edit Preview Settings

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata 4 Dataset Attributes

Use a custom template? ☐ Off

Attribute	Label	Description	Display Order	Display Type	Visible
fid			1	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
the_geom			2	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
cat			3	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
label			4	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Label
 URL
Image
 Video (mp4)
 Video (ogg)
 Video (webm)
 Video (3gp)
 Video (flv)
 Video (YouTube/VIMEO - embedded)
 Audio
 IFRAME

Fig. 80: Dataset Attributes Metadata for Dataset

At this step you can enrich the dataset attributes with useful information like the following:

- The *Label* displayed
- A detailed *Description*
- The *Display Order*
- The *Display Type*; the default value is *Label*, which means that the value of the attribute will be rendered as a plain text. There's the possibility to instruct GeoNode to treat the values as different media-types. As an instance, if the values of the selected attribute will contain image urls, by selecting the *IMAGE Display*

Type you will allow GeoNode to render the image directly when querying the dataset from the maps. The same for VIDEO, AUDIO or IFRAME mime types.

- The *Visible* flag; allows you to instruct GeoNode whether or not hiding an attribute from the *Get Feature Type* outcomes

It is possible to define a completely custom HTML template for the *Get Feature Type* outcome. That is possible by enabling the *Use a custom template* flag as shown in the figure below.

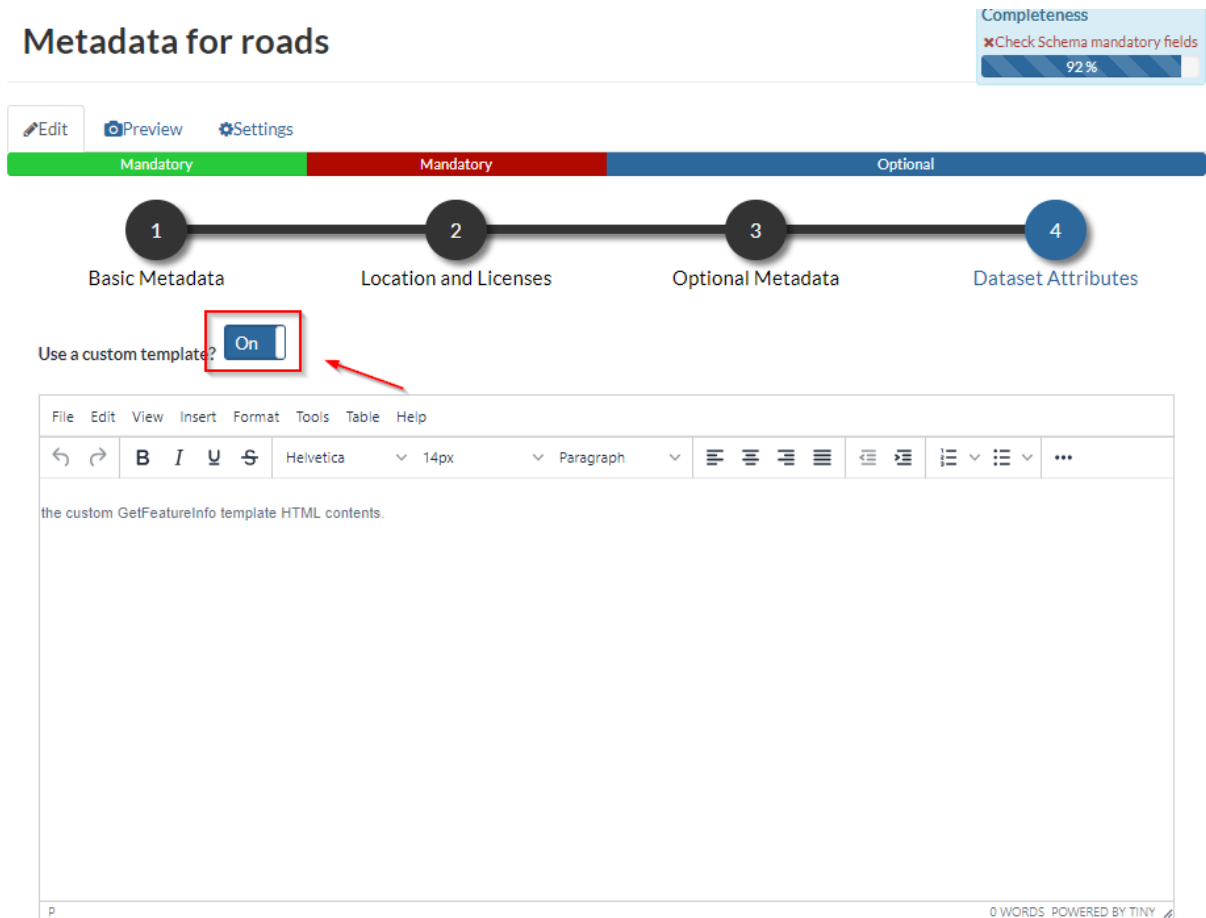


Fig. 81: Use a custom template

By using the keyword `${properties.<attribute_name>}`, you can tell to GeoNode to render the actual value of the attribute on the map.

As an instance, the example below

Will render an HTML Table along with values as shown here below

Use *next* >> or << *back* to navigate through those steps. Once you have finished click on *Update*.

Some metadata are mandatory, if you miss any of that metadata the *Completeness* bar shows you a red message like the one in the picture below.

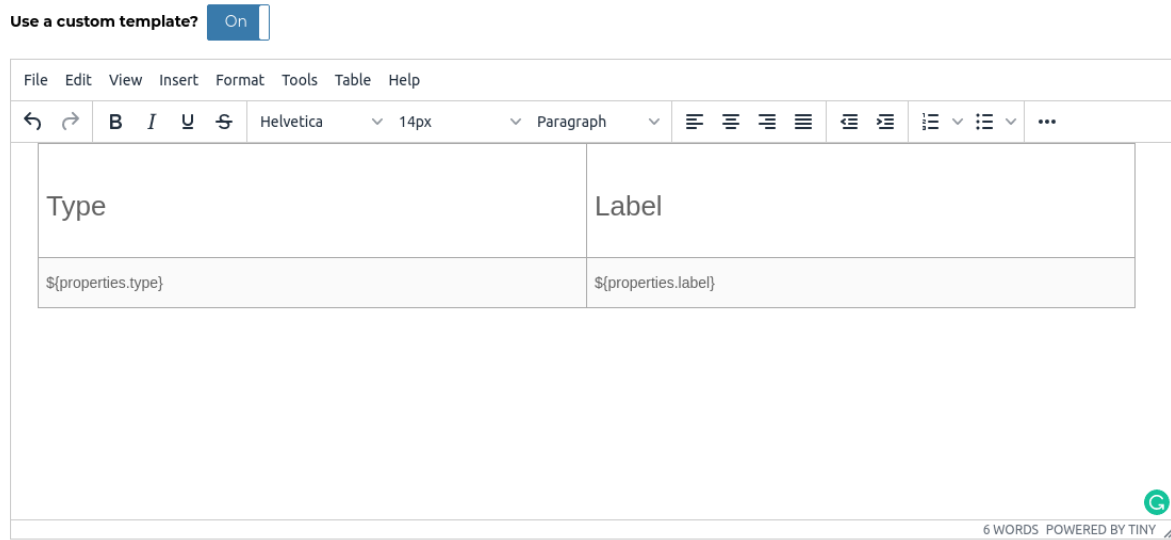


Fig. 82: Use a custom template: HTML

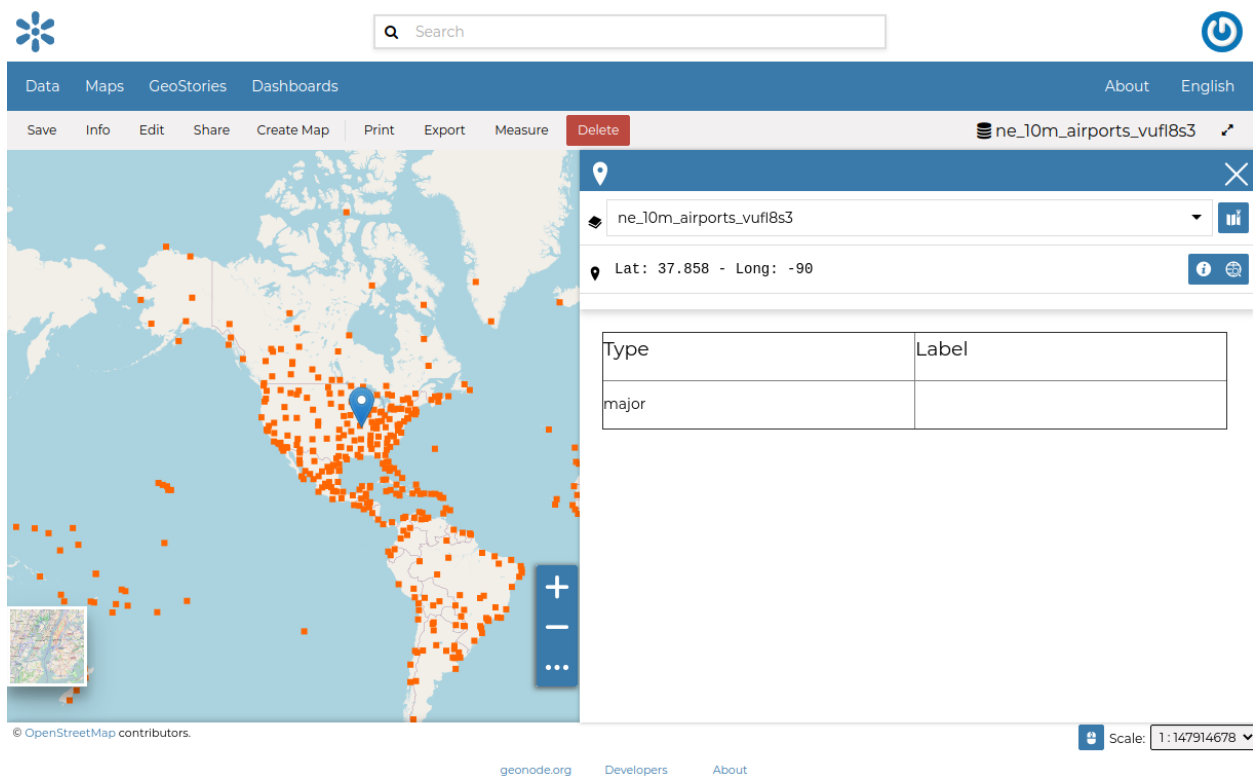
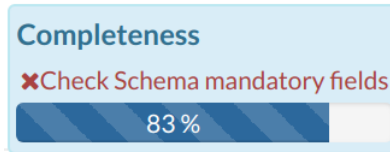
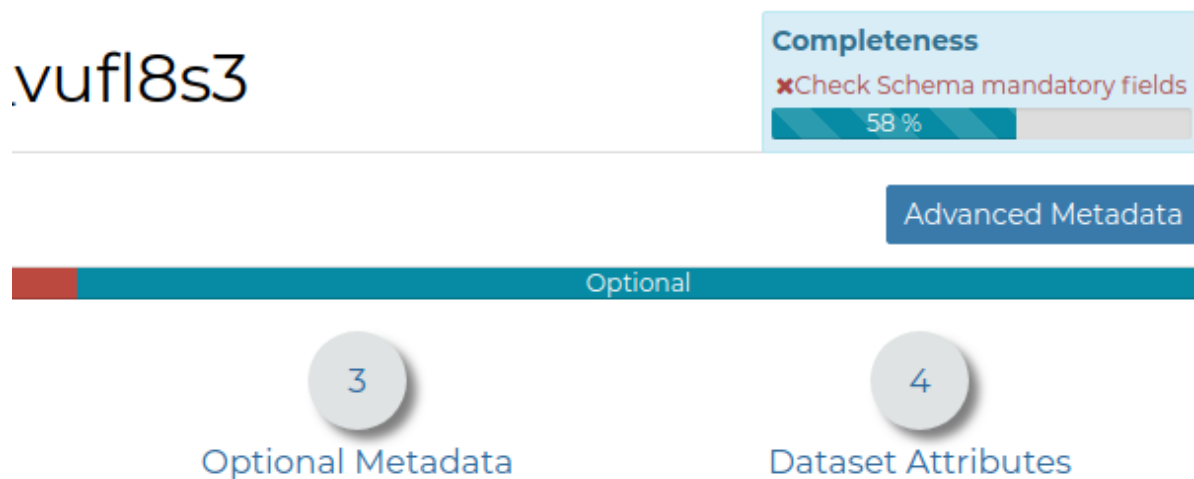


Fig. 83: Use a custom template: Get Feature Info outcome

Fig. 84: *Completeness Progress Bar*

Metadata Advanced Editing

In the *Edit Metadata* page the *Advanced Metadata* button is also available.

Fig. 85: *The Advanced Metadata button*

Click on it to display the *Metadata Advanced Editing Page*. That page allows you to edit all the dataset metadata described in the previous paragraph. Once you have finished to edit them click on *Update* to save your changes.

Dataset Styling

Maps are helpful because they allow you gain a deeper understanding of your data by allowing you to visualize it in many different ways. So you can tell different stories depending on how the data is presented. For any given data or dataset, you should explore different styling options and choose the best style for that.

In GeoNode each dataset has one style referred to as a *Default Style* which is determined by the nature of the data you're mapping. When uploading a new dataset (see [Datasets Uploading](#)) a new default style will be associated to it.

Editing the Dataset Style

In order to edit a dataset style, open the *Dataset Page* (see [Dataset Information](#)) and click on *Edit*. Then click the *Edit Style* link in the *options* (see the picture below).

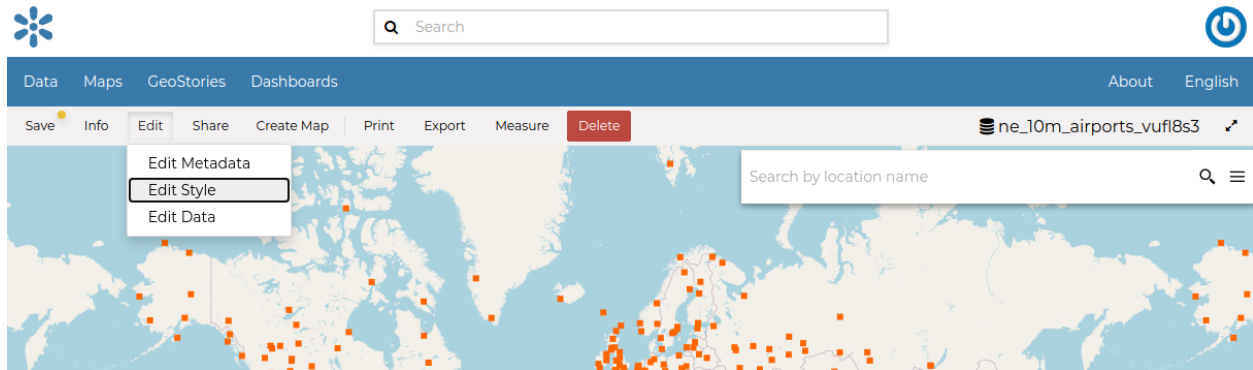


Fig. 86: *Edit Styles button*

The *Dataset* will open in a new *Map*. The *Styles Panel* will show you all the default style for the dataset and some useful tools. By default, the style will be shown in a text editor form.

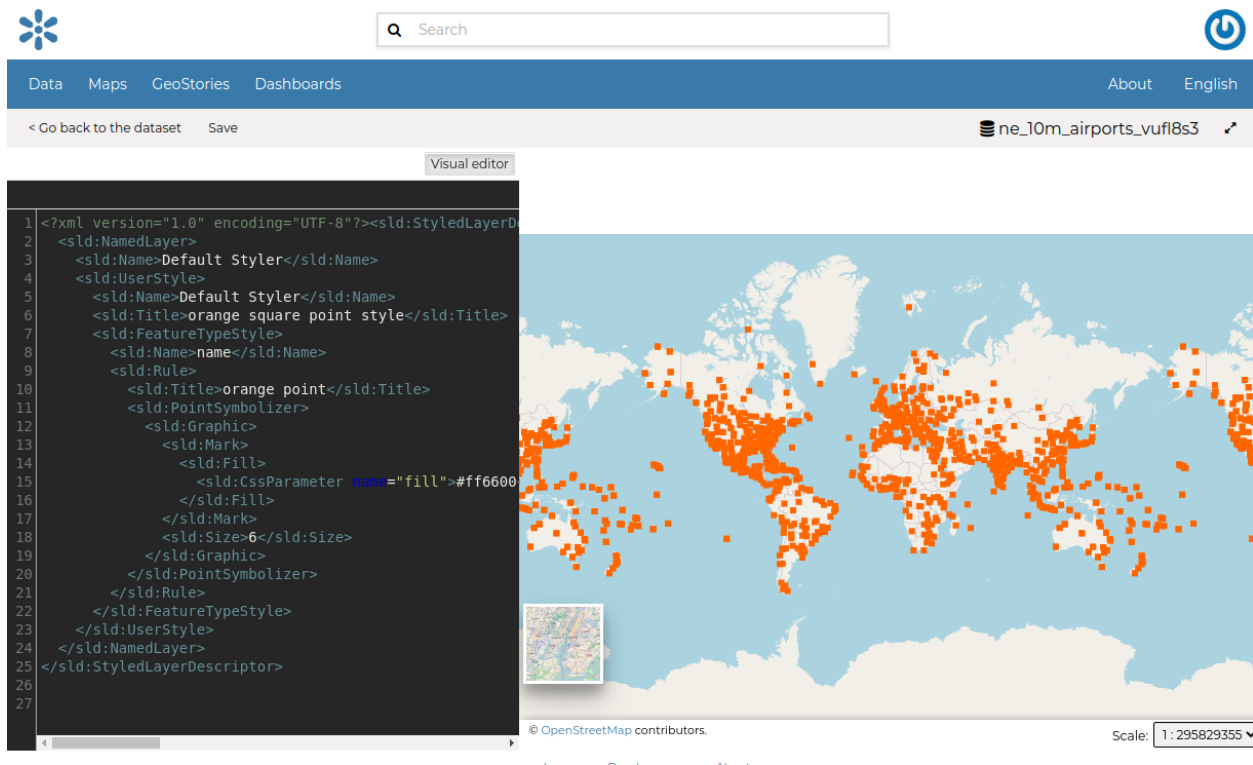


Fig. 87: *The Styles Panel in the Map*

You could continue to change the style with the text editor or switch to a visualized editor using the *Visual editor* above the text editor.

The visual editor looks like this

You can then edit the style by clicking on each attribute of the style.

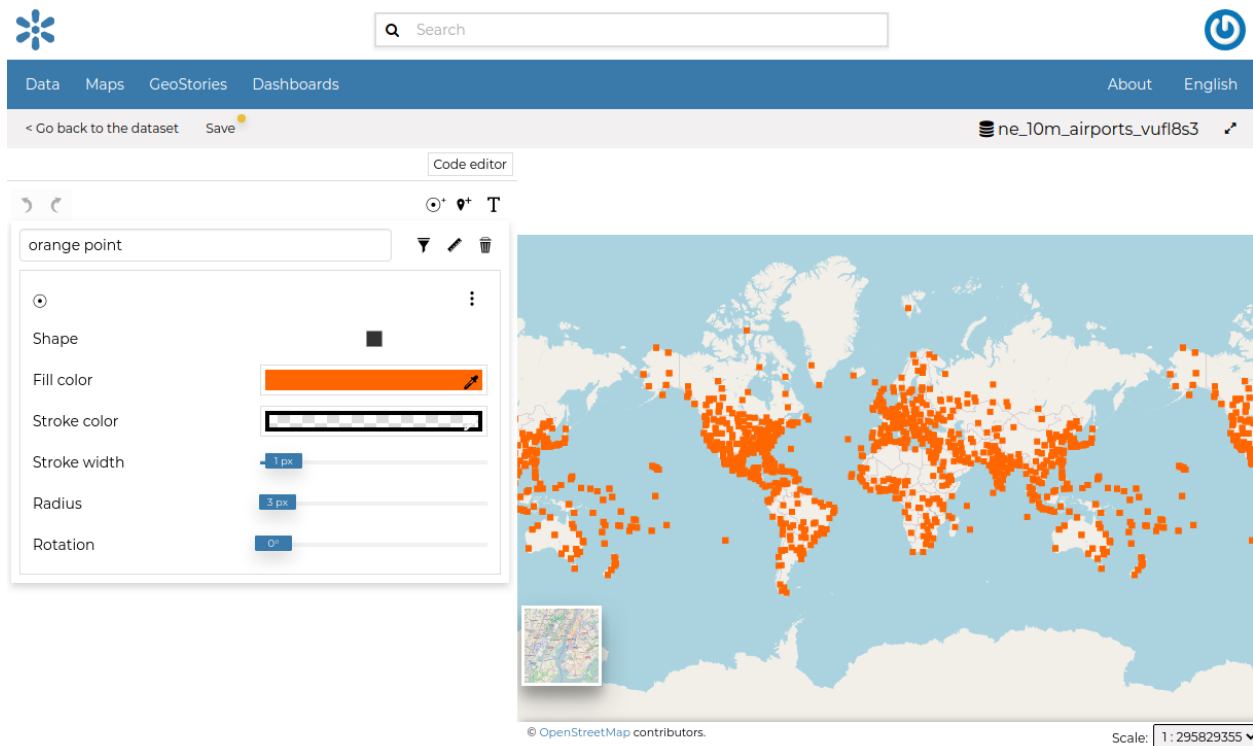


Fig. 88: *Visual Styles Panel in the Map*

Creating Style Rules

In order to create a new rule, Three options are provided.

1. Mark rule
2. Icon rule
3. text rule

Click on any of the buttons below to create a type of style you want.

The rule you have chosen is now added on the top with default attributes which you can edit to your preference*.

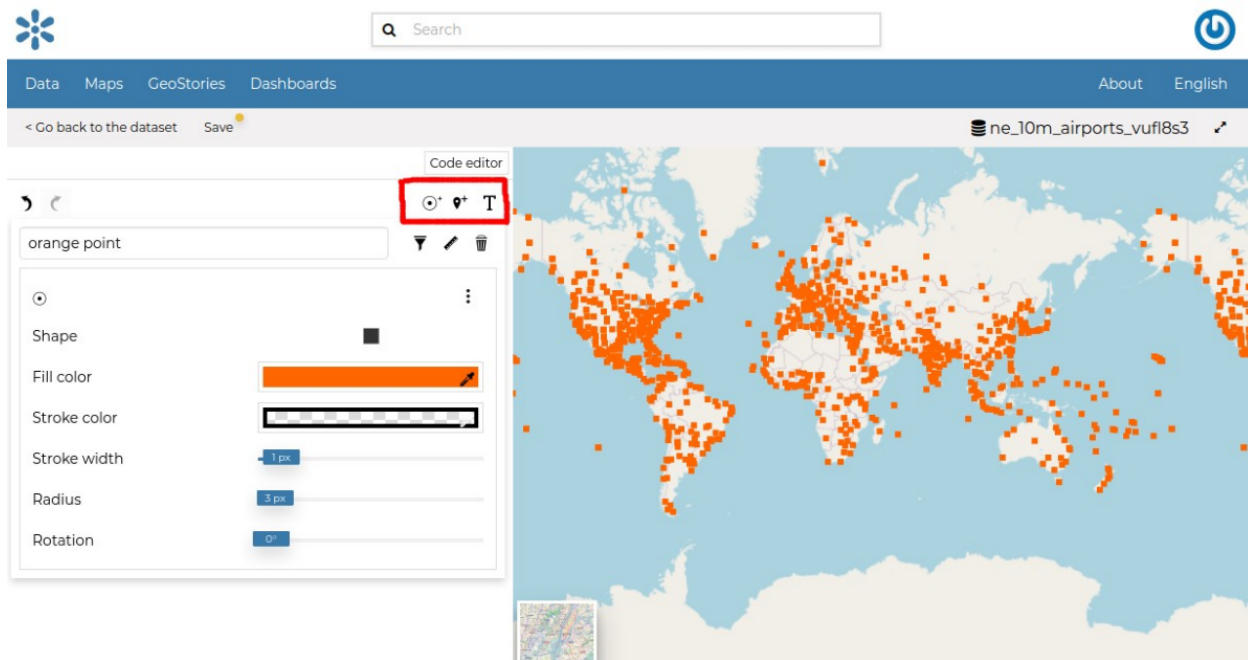
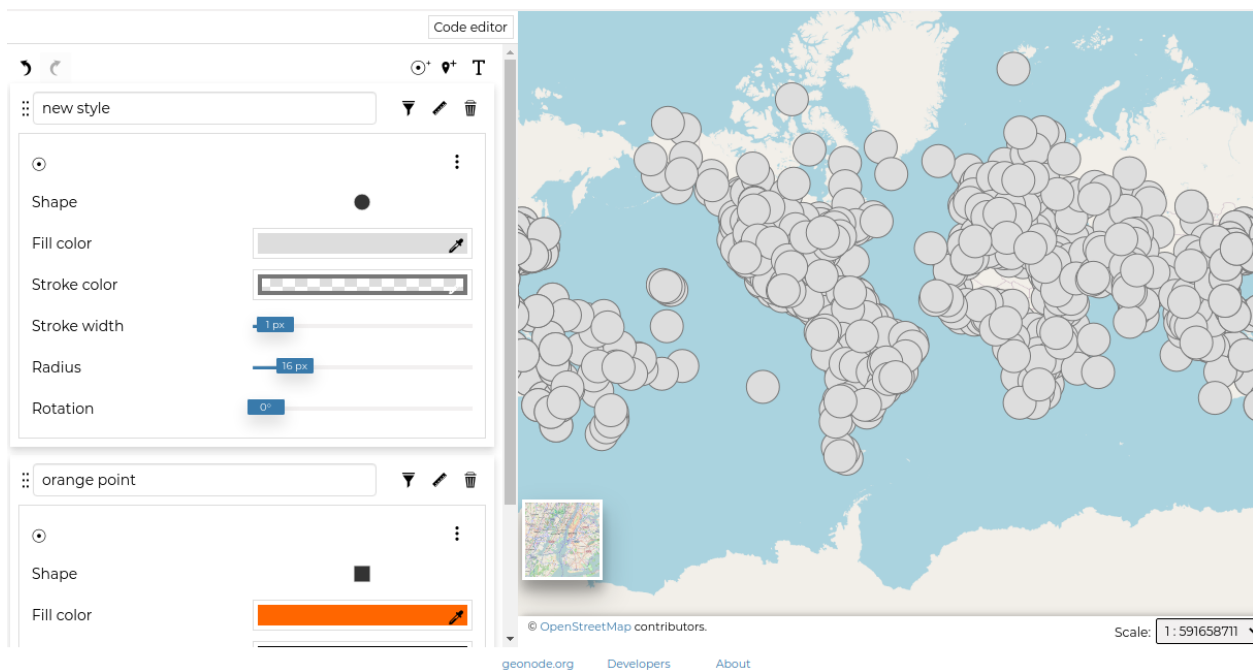
If the rule has errors, the following will be shown.

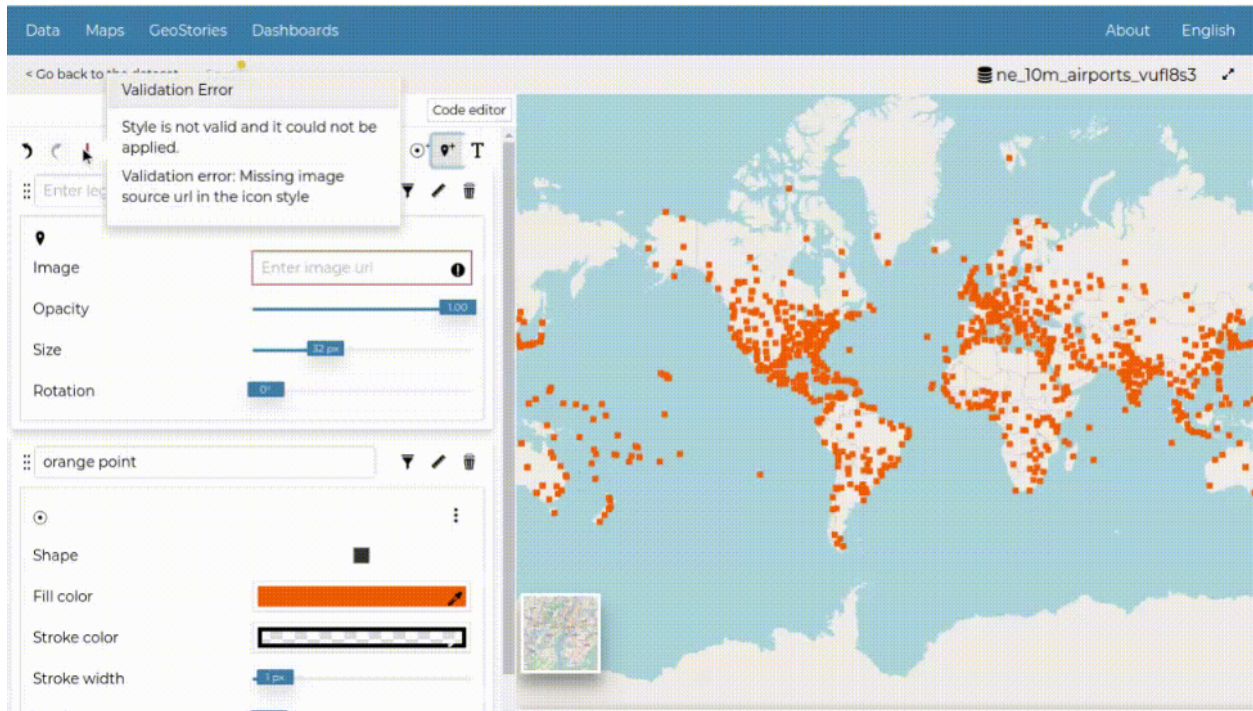
You can switch the rule ordering by dragging it to the top or bottom depending on your preference.

It would be nice to change the style in order to decrease the opacity of the filling color as well as to reduce the lines width. The embedded [MapStore](#) makes available a powerful *Style Editor* to accomplish that tasks. In the next paragraph we will explain how.

Each rule has a delete icon on the top right which you can use to remove the rule on the style.

Click on *Save* on the top to save your changes.

Fig. 89: *Create new rule buttons*Fig. 90: *New style*

Fig. 91: *Rule Error*

Advanced Dataset Management with MapStore

GeoNode provides the user with some advanced features for dataset manipulation such as dataset filtering, attribute edition and dataset export in different formats. In a nutshell, these features are provided via MapStore and we will redirect the user to MapStore specific documentation for further details.

Filtering Datasets

With GeoNode you can filter a dataset via its attributes, direct map filter by drawing an area of interest over the map canvas and via cross-dataset filter, allowing intersection, contained and contains overlay methods. For more detail please check the MapStore documentation [here](#).

Attribute Table

GeoNode provides tools for attribute manipulation that allows the edition and creation of new attributes with simplicity. Such set of tools provided by MapStore also allows the user to filter, search, zoom features from a table of attributes perspective like in a common GIS Desktop environment. For more detail please check the MapStore documentation [here](#).

Styling Advanced

MapStore allows for advance styling features not covered fully on previous GeoNode section. If you wish to deep your knowledge on these capabilities, please follow this [documentation link](#).

1.10.6 Managing Maps

Maps are sets of datasets displayed together on an interactive web map. Maps can be composed in the map composer and saved as GeoNode resources. Maps can also be associated with metadata, ratings, and comments.

In this section, you will learn how to create a new map and share it.

Creating Maps

In this section, we'll create a *Map* using some uploaded datasets, combine them with some other datasets from remote web services, and then share the resulting map for public viewing.

In order to create new maps you can use:

- The *Create map* listed after clicking the *Create new* link on the menu above the resources list page.

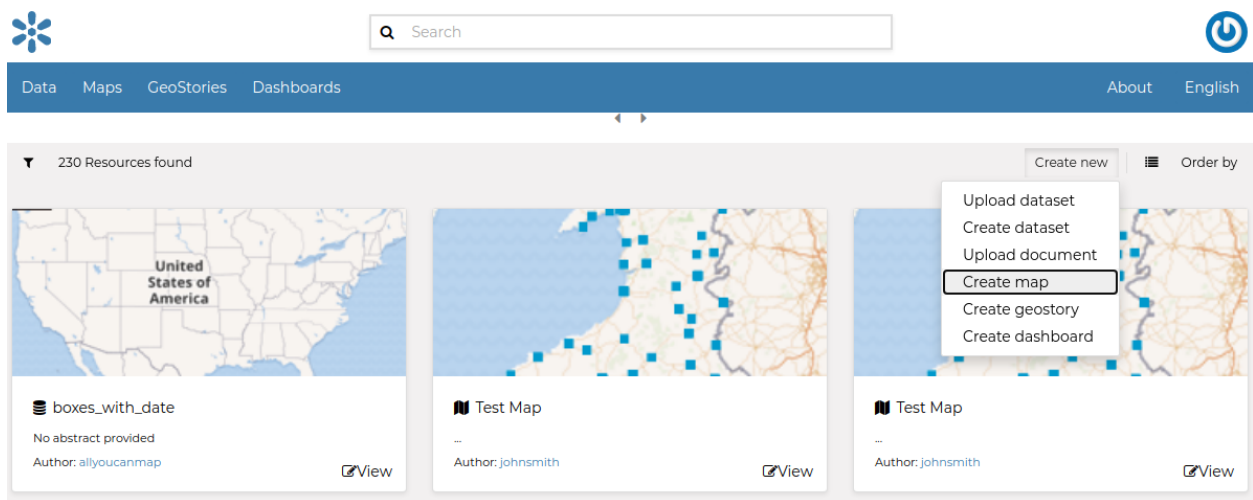


Fig. 92: The *Create Map* link

- The *Create map* link in the *Dataset Page* (it creates a map using a specific dataset)

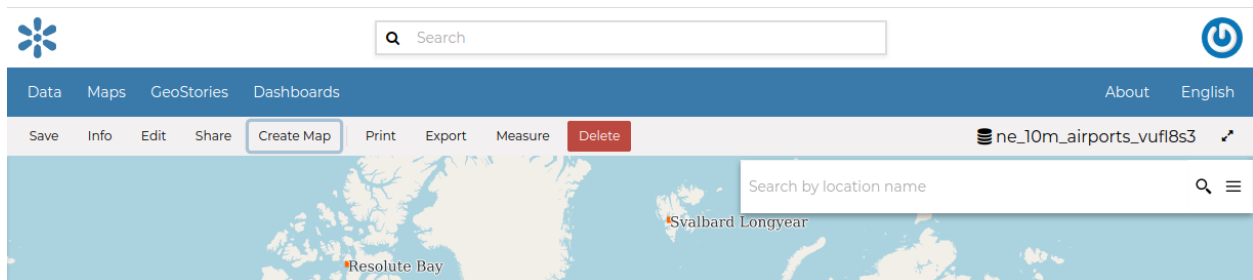


Fig. 93: The *Create map* link from dataset

The new *Map* will open in a *Map Viewer* like the one in the picture below.

In the upper left corner the **[toc_button]** button opens the *Table of Contents (TOC)* of the *Map*. It allows to manage all the datasets associated with the map and to add new ones from the *Catalog*.

The *TOC* component makes possible to manage datasets overlap on the map by shifting their relative positions in the list (drag and drop them up or down in the list).

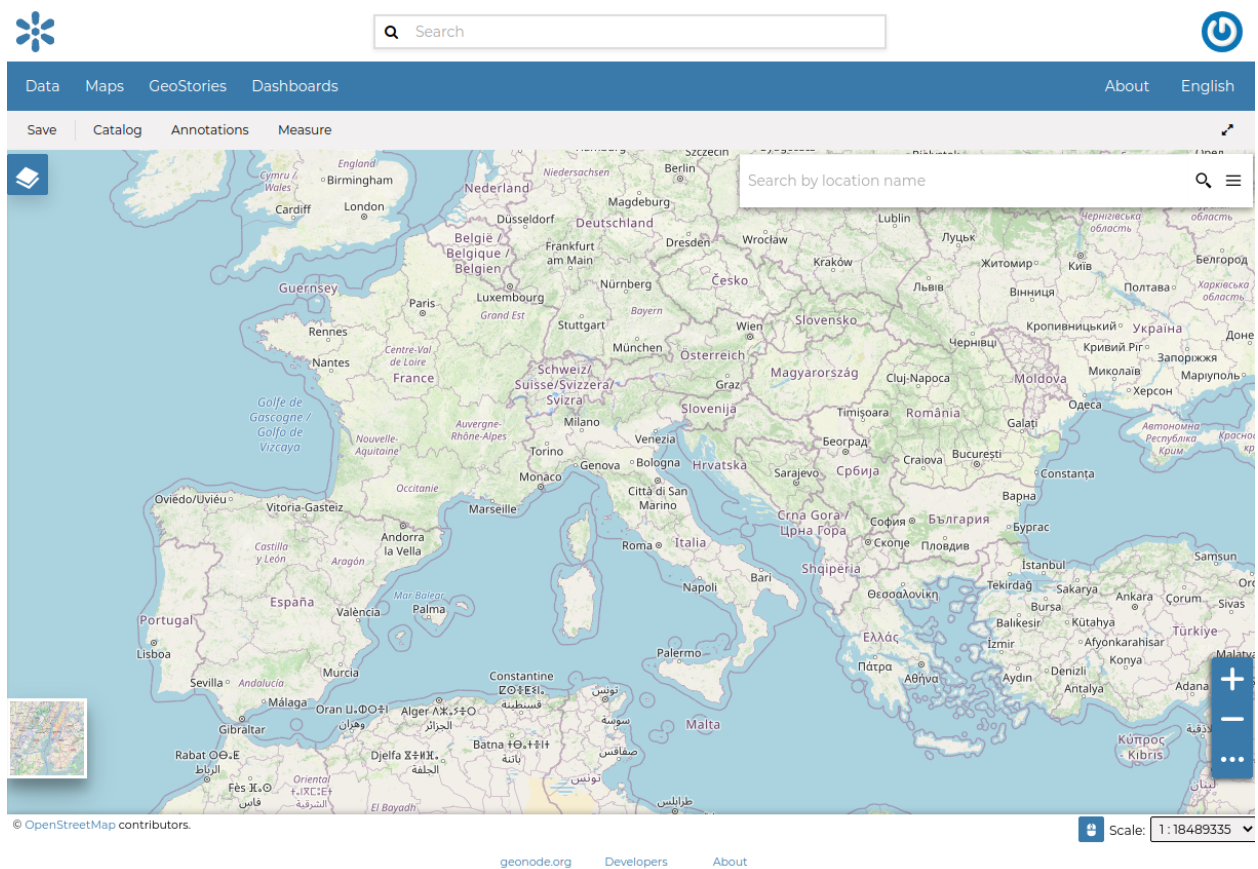


Fig. 94: The Map Viewer

It also allows to hide/show datasets ([|show_button|](#) and [|hide_button|](#)), to zoom to datasets extents ([|zoom_to_dataset_extent_button|](#)) and to manage their properties ([|dataset_settings_button|](#)).

Once the map datasets have been settled it is possible to save the *Map* by clicking on [|burger_menu_button|](#) and choosing *Save as*.

If you followed the steps above, you have just created your first *Map*. Now you should see it in the *Explore Maps* page, see [Map Information](#) for further details.

We will take a closer look at the *Map Viewer* tools in the [Exploring Maps](#) section.

Map Information

As mentioned in the [Finding Data](#) section, in GeoNode you can see your maps and all the published maps through the filtering feature on the resource page.

Click on the title of the *Map* you are interested in to open its overview, then click on *View Map*, it should look like the following.

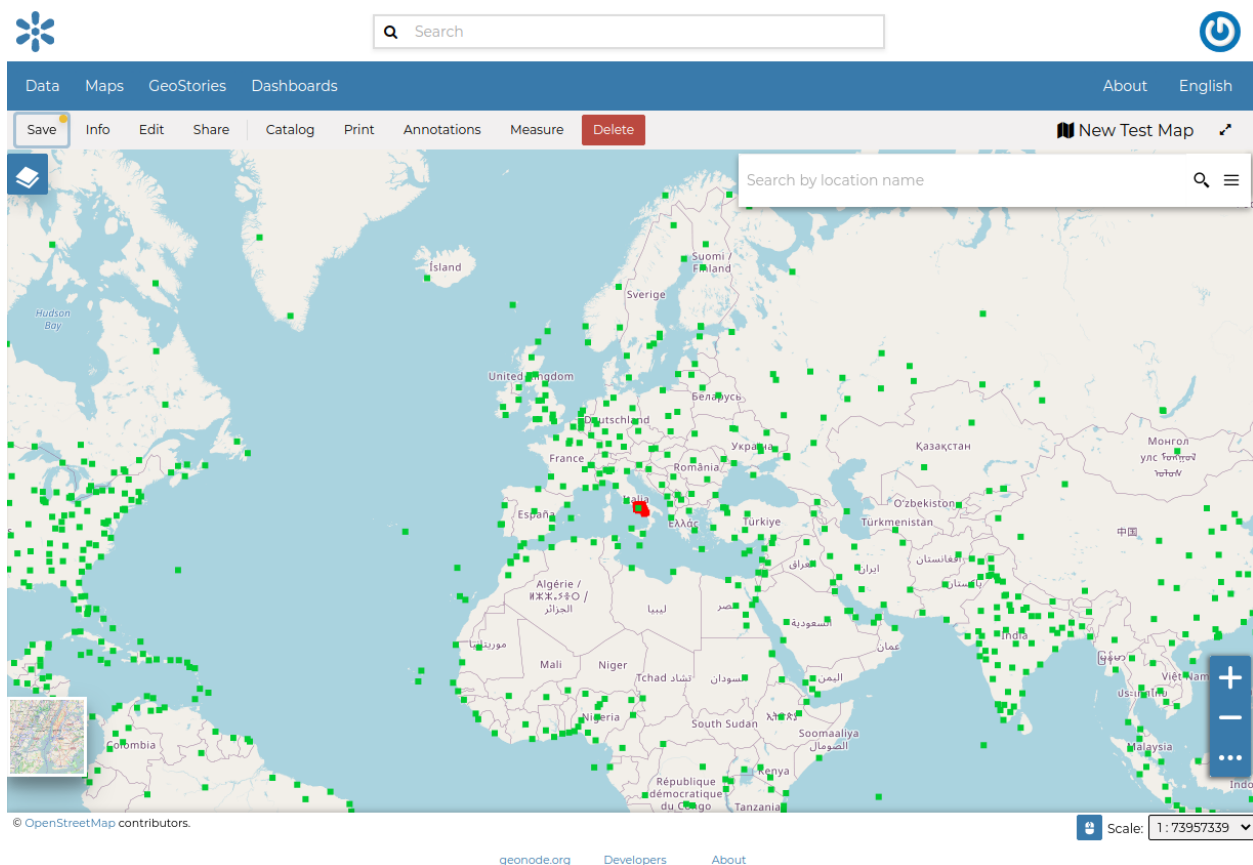


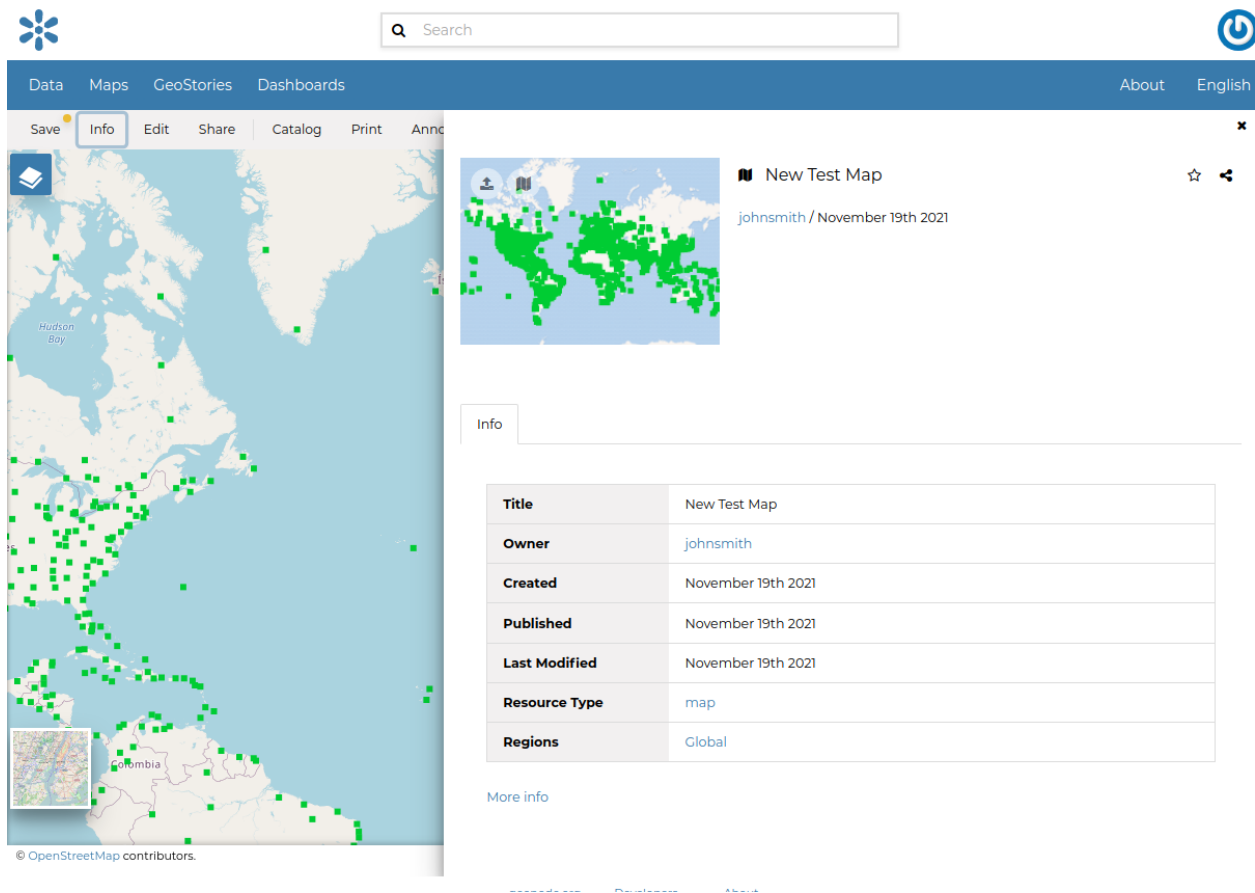
Fig. 95: *Map Detail page*

The *Map Detail Page* shows the *Map* with very basic functionalities:

- the *Base Map Switcher* that allows you to change the base map;
- the *Zoom in/out* tool to enlarge and decrease the view;

- the *Zoom to max extent* tool for the zoom to fit the datasets extents;
- the *Query Objects* tool to retrieve information about the map objects by clicking on the map;
- the *Print* tool to print the preview.

To see the information of the Map, click on the :guilabel: *Info* in the menu of the details page, This section shows some metadata such as its Title, the License, the Publication Date etc. The metadata also indicates the map owner and which regions are involved. see example below.



The screenshot shows the GeoNode interface. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, and Dashboards. Below the navigation bar, there's a map of North America with green square markers. The 'Info' tab is selected, displaying a table of metadata for a map titled 'New Test Map' by 'johnsmith'.

Title	New Test Map
Owner	johnsmith
Created	November 19th 2021
Published	November 19th 2021
Last Modified	November 19th 2021
Resource Type	map
Regions	Global

Below the table, there's a link for 'More info'.

Fig. 96: Map Information page

See the [MapStore Documentation](#) to learn more.

Map Sharing

- The *Share link* on the detail page provides the link for the map to share.

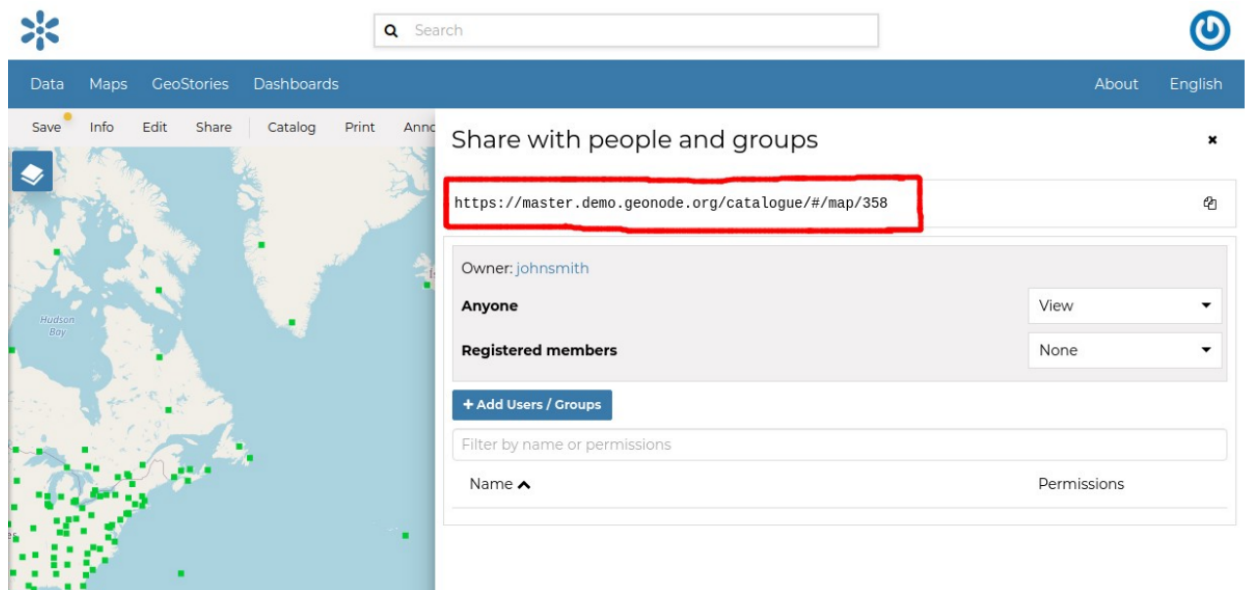


Fig. 97: Map Sharing

Maps Metadata

Maps Metadata can be Edited by clicking the *Edit Metadata* link from the *Map Detail* page.

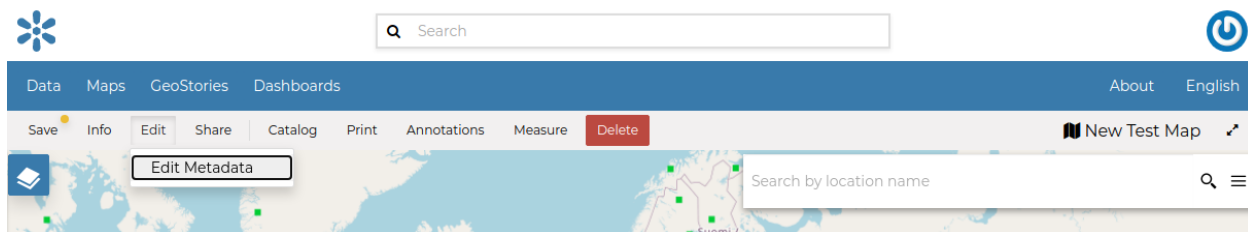


Fig. 98: The Map Metadata Detail link

The *Map Metadata* Edit form will open. | Metadata provide essential information for the identification and the comprehension of the map. They also make the map more easily retrievable through the search tools. | Those *Metadata* can be filled out through three-steps in which you have to provide all mandatory information to complete the process. Those three steps are described below.


• Basic Metadata

In the first step the system asks you to insert the following metadata (required fields are highlighted with red outlines):


- The *Thumbnail* of the map (click *Edit* to change it);
- The *Title* of the map, which should be clear and understandable;
- An *Abstract*; brief narrative summary of the content of the Map

Note: The *Abstract* panel allows you to insert HTML code through a *wysiwyg* text editor

- The *Creation/Publication/Revision Dates* which define the time period that is covered by the map;



Search



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Metadata for New Test Map

Completeness

✖ Check Schema mandatory fields

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EditSettings

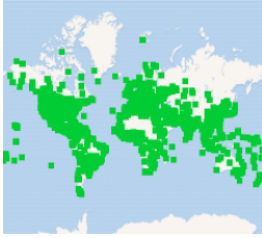
Advanced Metadata

MandatoryMandatoryOptional

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Basic MetadataLocation and LicensesOptional Metadata

Thumbnail



Edit

Title

New Test Map

Abstract

File Edit View Insert Format Tools

Table Help

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* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Date type

Publication

Date

2021-11-19 13:46 pm

Category

* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

Group

Free-text Keywords

UpdateNext >>

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Fig. 99: Basic Map Metadata

- The *Keywords*, which should be chosen within the available list;
- The *Category* which the map belongs to;
- The *Group* which the map is linked to.

Click *Next >>* to go to the next step.

• Location and Licenses

The screenshot displays the 'Metadata for New Test Map' interface. At the top, there's a search bar and navigation links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, and Dashboards. A progress bar shows 'Completeness' at 50%. The interface is divided into three main sections: Basic Metadata, Location and Licenses, and Optional Metadata. The 'Basic Metadata' section includes fields for Language (English), License (Not Specified), and Attribution (authority or function assigned, as to a ruler, ie...). The 'Location and Licenses' section includes a Regions dropdown (Global), a Data quality statement text area, and a Restrictions dropdown. The 'Optional Metadata' section includes an Other constraints text area. Navigation buttons at the bottom include << Back, Update, and Next >>.

Fig. 100: *Location and Licenses Metadata for Maps*

The following list shows what kinds of metadata you are required to enter (see also the picture below):

- The *Language* of the layer;
- The *License* of the dataset;
- The *Regions* covered by the layers extent. Proposed extents cover the following scales: global, continental, regional, national;
- The *Data Quality statement* (general explanation of the data producer's knowledge about the lineage of a dataset);
- Potential *Restrictions* on layer sharing.

No further mandatory metadata are required in the next step so, once the required fields have been filled out, a green *Done* button will be visible in the screen. Click *Next >>* to go to the next step or << *Back* to go back to the previous step.

• Optional Metadata

Complementary information are:

GeoNode logo

Search

Data Maps GeoStories Dashboards About English

Metadata for New Test Map

Completeness: Check Schema mandatory fields 50 %

Edit Settings Advanced Metadata

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata

Other, Optional, Metadata

Edition ⓘ
version of the cited resource

DOI ⓘ
a DOI will be added by Admin before publicati...

Purpose

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Supplemental information

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temporal extent start

temporal extent end

Maintenance frequency ⓘ

Spatial representation type ⓘ

Responsible Parties

Point of Contact

johnsmith

Responsible and Permissions

Owner

johnsmith

Metadata Author

johnsmith

Fig. 101: *Optional Map Metadata*

- The *Edition* of the map;
- The *Purpose* of the map and its objectives;
- Any *Supplemental information* that can provide a better understanding of the map;
- The *Maintenance frequency* of the map;
- The *Spatial representation type*, the method used to represent geographic information in the dataset;
- The users who are *Responsible* for the layer, its *Owner*, and the *Author* of its metadata;

If you miss some mandatory metadata the *Completeness* bar shows you a red message like the one in the picture below.

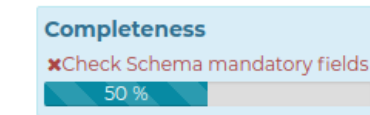


Fig. 102: *Completeness Progress Bar*

Metadata Advanced Editing

The *Advanced Metadata* editing button in the Metadata Edit form allows to change the map metadata.

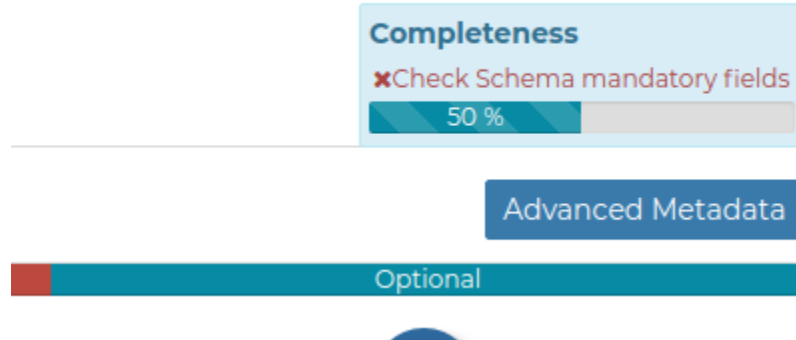


Fig. 103: *The Advanced Edit button*

Click on it to display the *Metadata Advanced Editing Page*. That page allows you to edit all the map metadata described in the previous paragraph.

Once you have finished to edit them click on *Update* to save your changes.

Share Options

In GeoNode the share options management system is indeed more complex. Administrators can choose who can do what for each map. Users can manage only the maps they own or the maps which they are authorize to manage.

By default only owners can edit and manage maps, and anyone can view them.

In order to modify the *Map Share Options* settings you can click the *Share* link in the *Map Detail Page*.

Through the *Share Options Settings Panel* you can add or remove options for users and groups. The picture below shows an example.

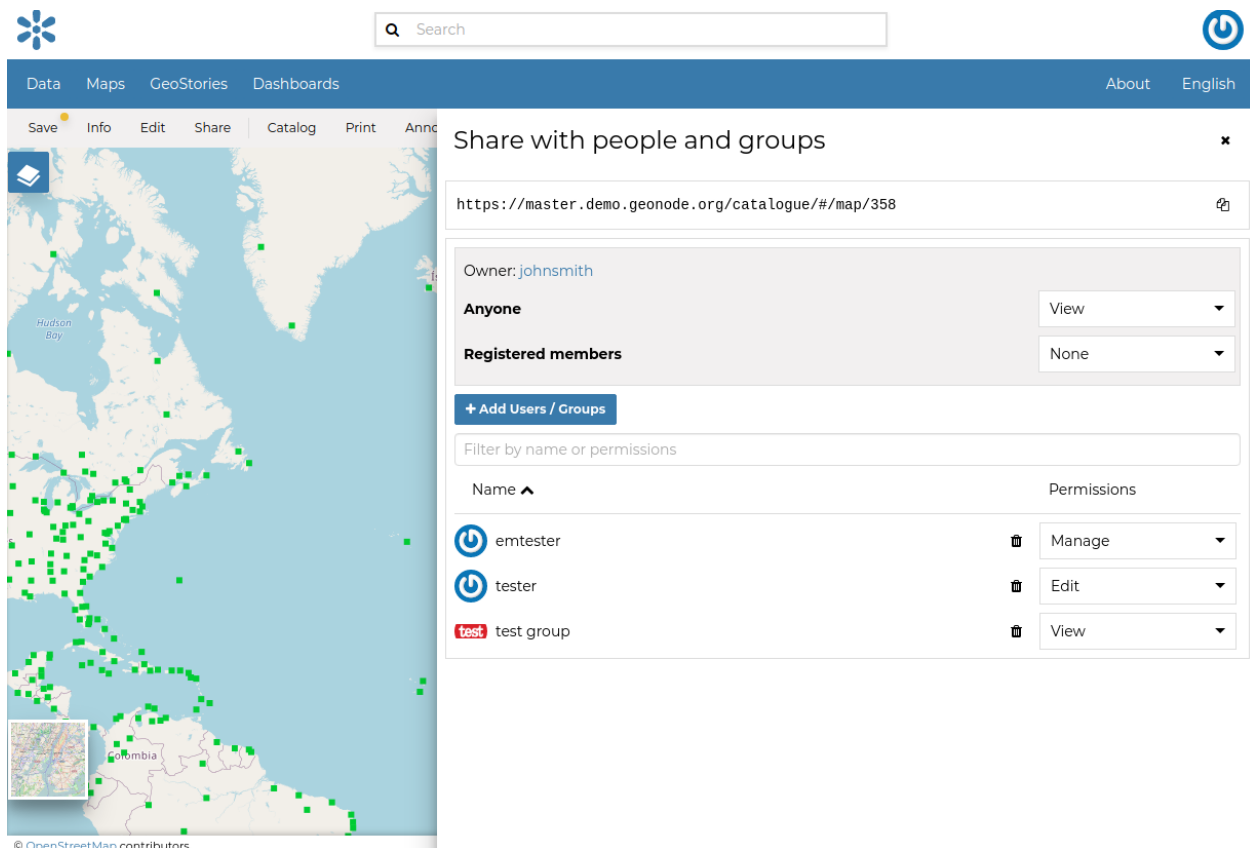


Fig. 104: Map Share options settings for users and groups

You can set the following options:

- *View* (allows to view the map).
- *Download* (allows to view and download the map).
- *Edit* (allows to change the map's metadata);
- *Manage* allows to update, delete, change share options, publish and unpublish the map.

Warning: When assigning options to a group, all the group members will have that option. Be careful in case of editing them.

Click on *Save* link in the menu to save these settings.

Exploring Maps

In this section, we are going to explore all tools provided on the Map View page. From the list of available maps, you can select the map you are interested in and click *View map*, The map view will look like this.

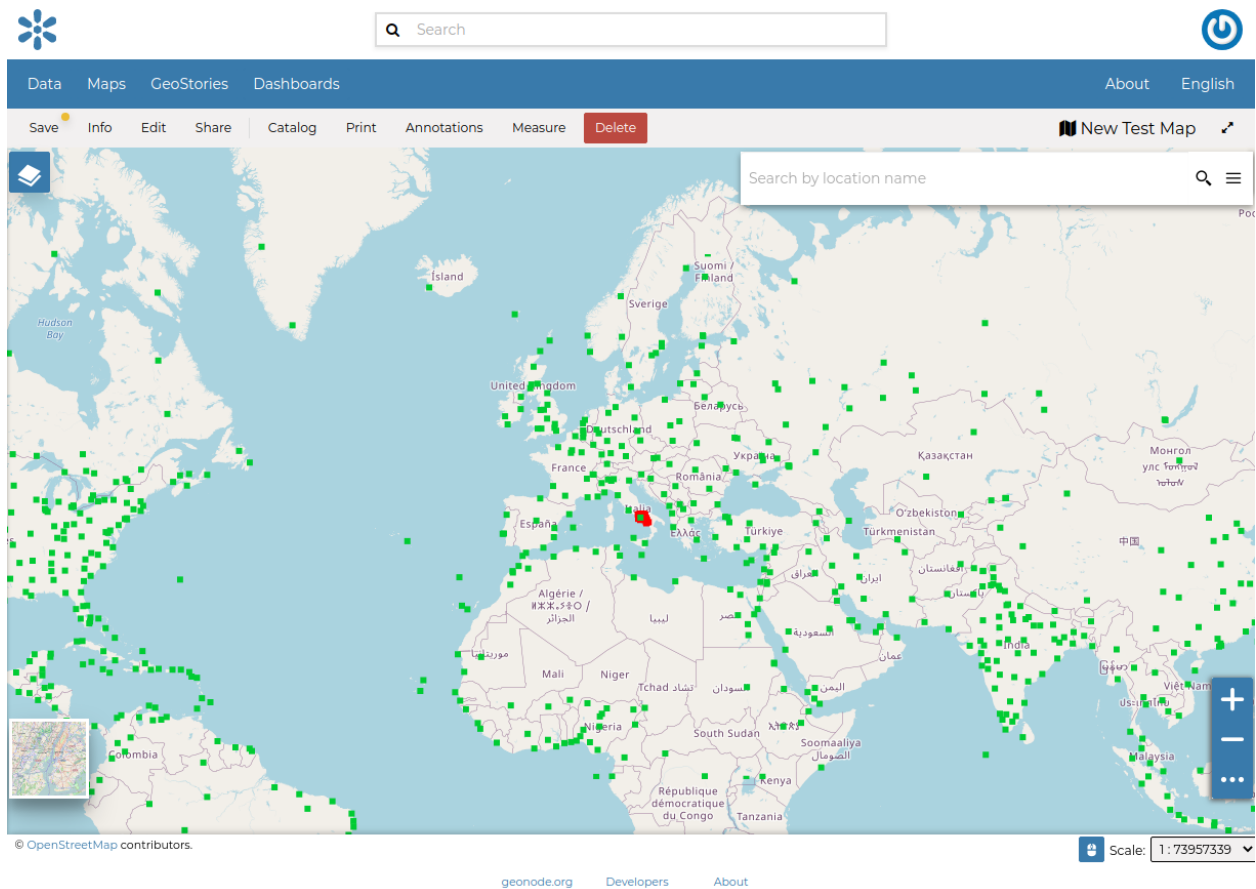


Fig. 105: The Map View

The Map Viewer (based on [MapStore](#)) provides the following tools:

- the *Table of Contents (TOC)* to manage the map contents;
- the *Basemap Switcher* to change the basemap (see the next paragraphs);
- the *Search Bar* to search by location, name and coordinates (see the paragraph below);
- the *Other Menu Tools* which contains the link to the *Print* tool, to the datasets *Catalog* and to the *Measure* tool;
- the *Sidebar* and its tools such as the *Zoom* tools and the *Get Features Info* tool;
- the *Footer Tools* to manage the scale of the map, to track the mouse coordinates and change the CRS (Coordinates Reference System).

Table of Contents (TOC)

In the upper left corner, click on **|toc_button|** to open the *Table Of Contents*, briefly *TOC* from now on, of the map. The *TOC* shows all the datasets involved with the *Map* and allows to manage their properties and representations on the map.

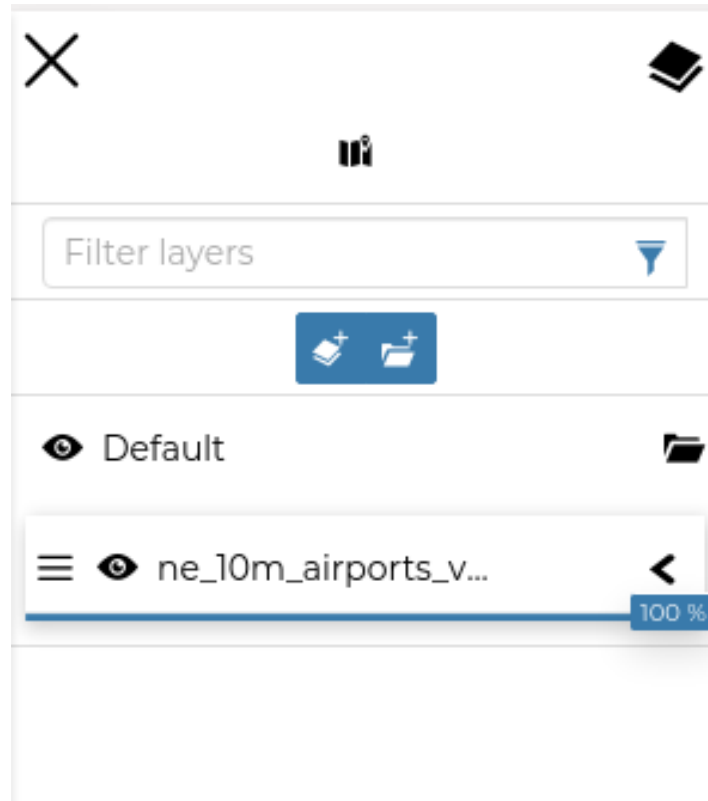


Fig. 106: The Table Of Contents (TOC)

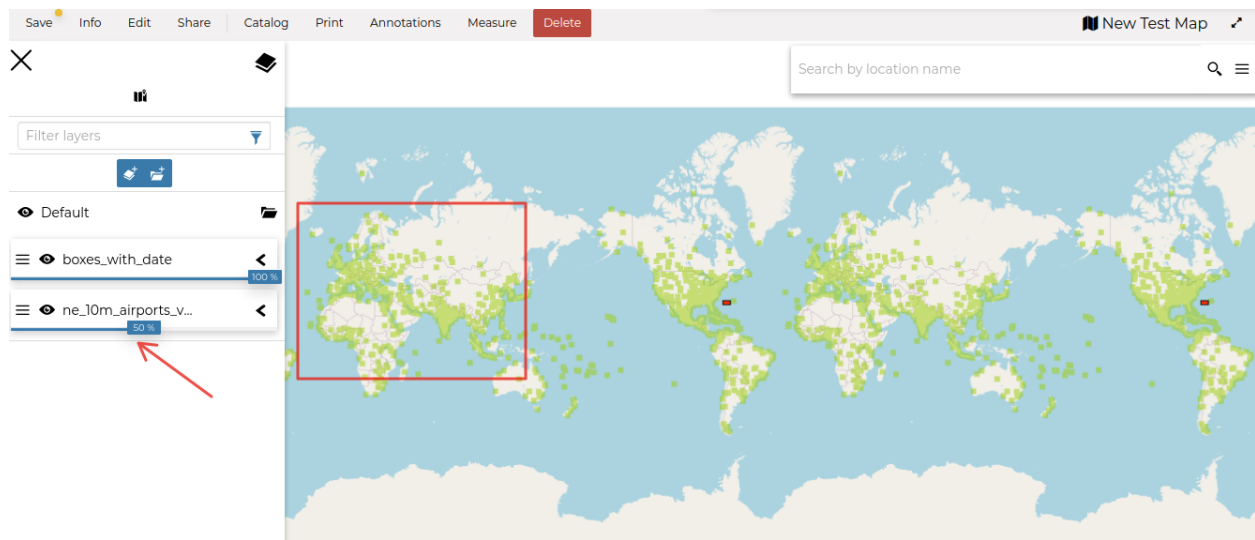
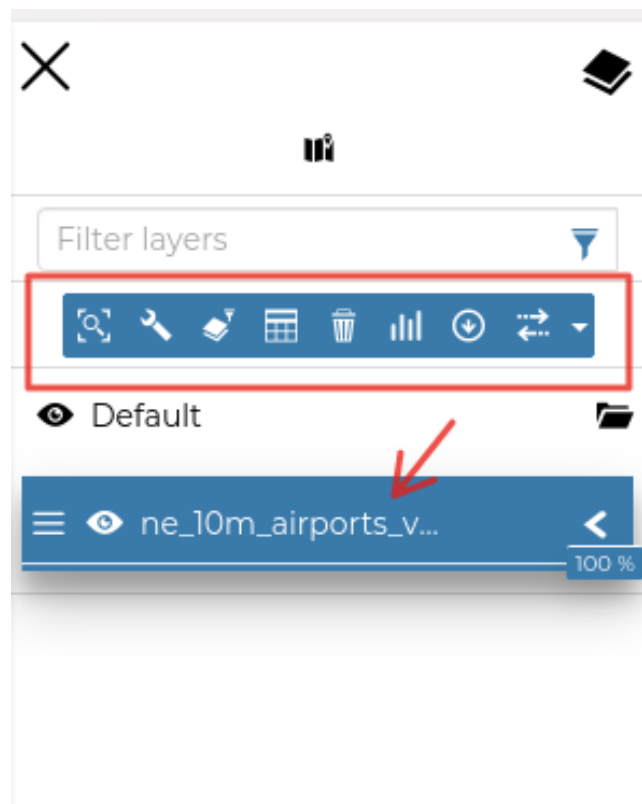
From the *TOC* you can:

- manage the datasets *Overlap*;
- filter the datasets list by typing text in the *Filter Datasets* field;
- add new datasets from the *Catalog* by clicking the *Add Dataset* button;
- manage the datasets properties such as *Opacity* (scroll the opacity cursor), *Visibility* (click on **|hide_button|** to make the dataset not visible, click on **|show_button|** to show it on map);
- manage the *Dataset Settings*, see the next paragraph.

Select a *Dataset* from the list and click on it, the *Dataset Toolbar* should appear in the *TOC*.

The *Toolbar* shows you many buttons:

- **|zoom_to_dataset_extent_button|** allows you to zoom to the dataset extent;
- **|dataset_settings_button|** drives you through the dataset settings customization (see the next paragraph);
- **|attribute_table_button|** to explore the features of the dataset and their attributes (more information at *Attributes Table*);
- **|delete_dataset_button|** to delete datasets (click on *Delete Dataset* to confirm your choice);

Fig. 107: *Scrolling the Dataset Opacity*Fig. 108: *The Dataset Toolbar*

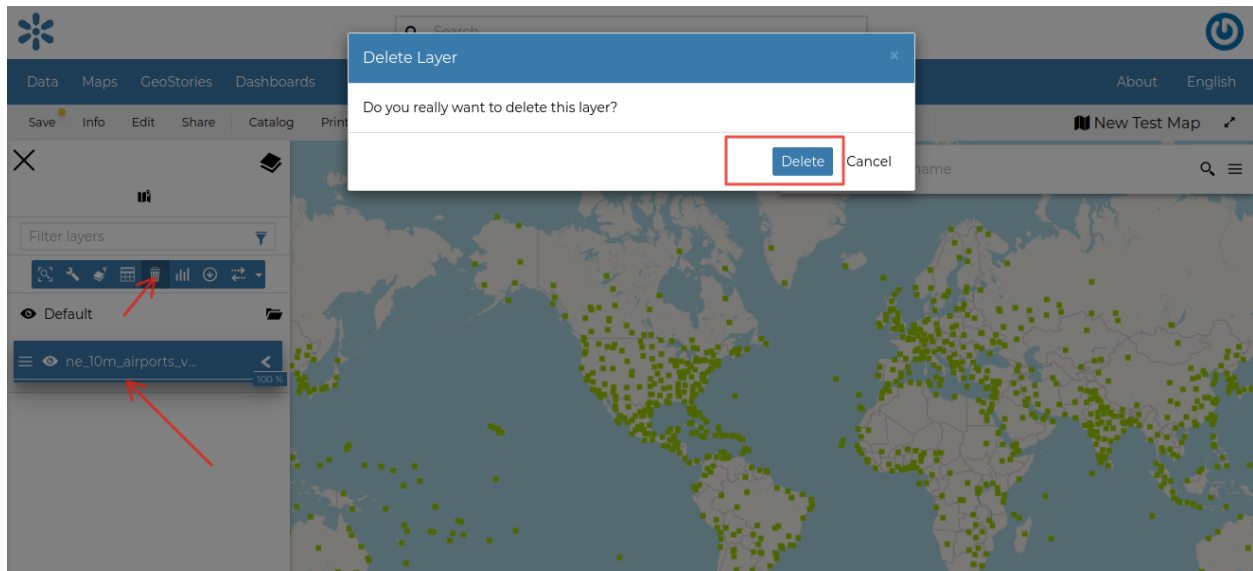


Fig. 109: Deleting Datasets

- `|create_widgets_button|` to create *Widgets* (see [Creating Widgets](#)).

Managing Dataset Settings

The *Dataset Settings* panel looks like the one below.

The *Dataset Settings* are divided in three groups:

1. *General* settings
2. *Display* settings
3. *Style* settings

In the **General** tab of the *Settings Panel* you can customize the dataset *Title*, insert a *Description* and change/create the *Dataset Group*.

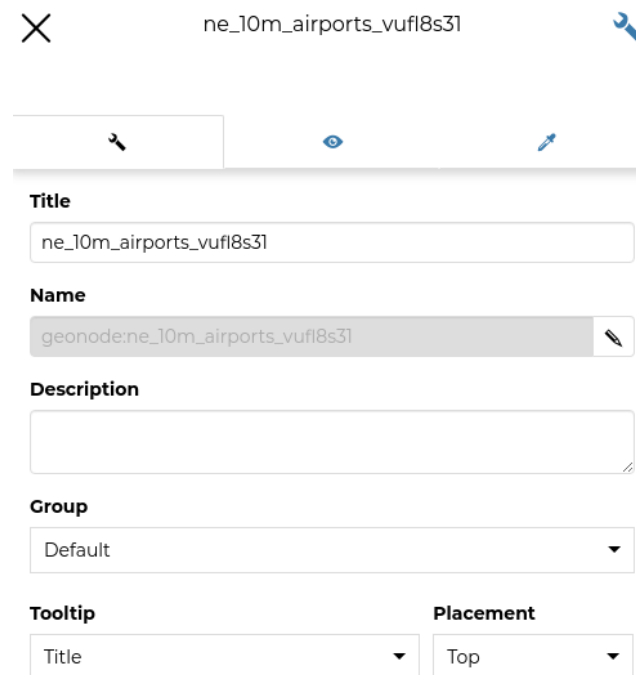
Click on the **Display** tab to see what are the dataset appearance properties you can configure.

The *Format* field allows you to change the output format of the WMS requests.

You can set a numeric value of *Opacity* using the corresponding input field.

You can also set the dataset as *Transparent*, decide to *Use cache options* and to use *Single Tile*.

The third tab is the **Style** one. By clicking on it, an advanced *Style Editor* allows you to create new styles and to modify or delete an existing one. See the [Dataset Styling](#) section to read more.



The screenshot shows the 'Dataset Settings Panel' for a dataset named 'ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31'. The panel has a title bar with a close button (X), the dataset name, and a settings icon (wrench). Below the title bar is a toolbar with three icons: a wrench, an eye, and a pencil. The main content area contains several form fields:

- Title:** A text input field containing 'ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31'.
- Name:** A text input field containing 'geonode:ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31' with a small edit icon (pencil) to its right.
- Description:** A large text area for entering a description.
- Group:** A dropdown menu currently set to 'Default'.
- Tooltip:** A dropdown menu currently set to 'Title'.
- Placement:** A dropdown menu currently set to 'Top'.

Fig. 110: *The Dataset Settings Panel*

ne_10m_airports_vuf18s31

Format
image/png

WMS Layer tile size
256

Opacity %
100

Visibility limits
Max value (excluded)
Select max value
Min value (included)
Select min value
Limits type
Scale

☒ Transparent
☒ Use cache options
☐ Single Tile

Legend
Width: 12 Height: 12

Preview
■ dark yellow point

Fig. 111: *The Dataset Display Settings Panel*

Attributes Table

When clicking on the  button of the *Table of Contents (TOC)*, the *Attributes Table* panel opens at the bottom of the *Map* page.

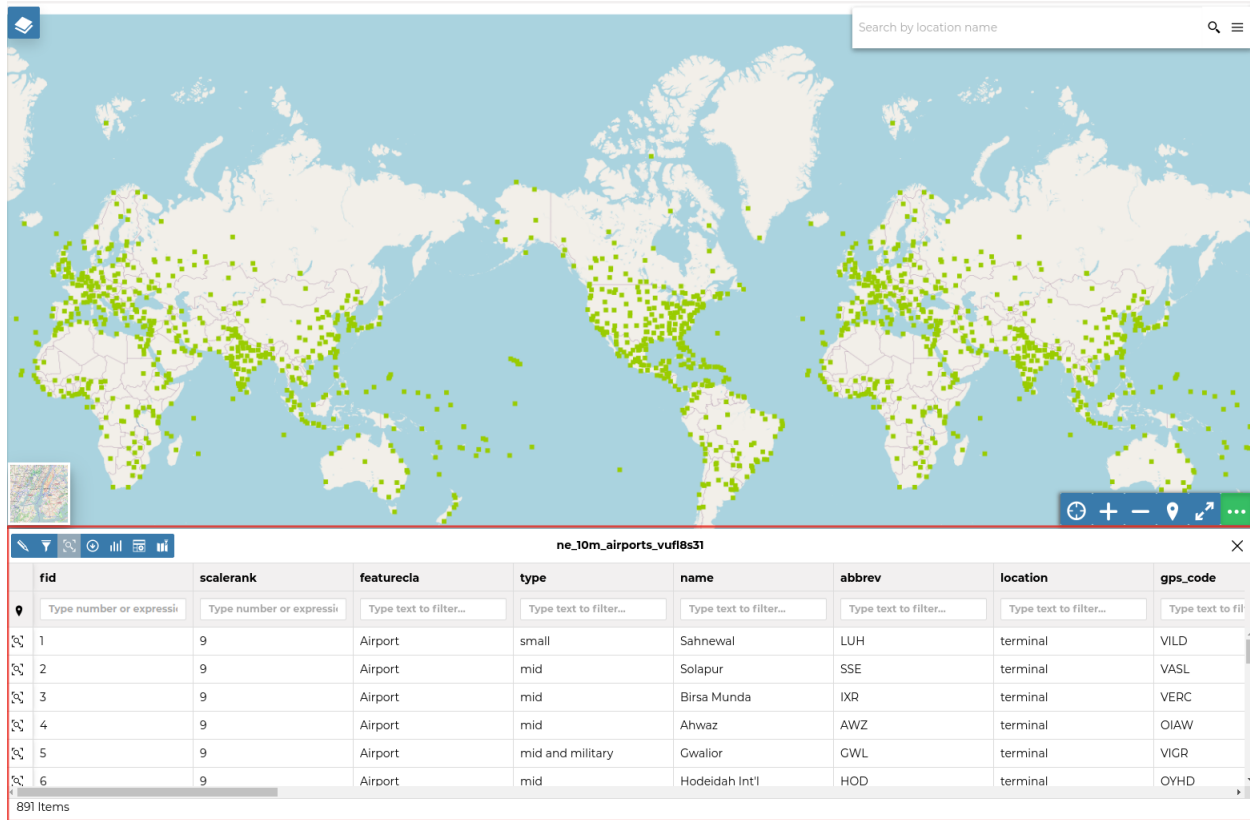



Fig. 112: The Attributes Table Panel

In that panel you can navigate through the features of the dataset, zoom to their geometries by clicking on the  icon and explore their attributes.


The *Attribute Tables* has a row for each feature belonging to the dataset and a column for each attribute that describes the feature.

Each column has a *Filter* input field through which you can filter the features basing on some value or expression (depending on the data type of the field).

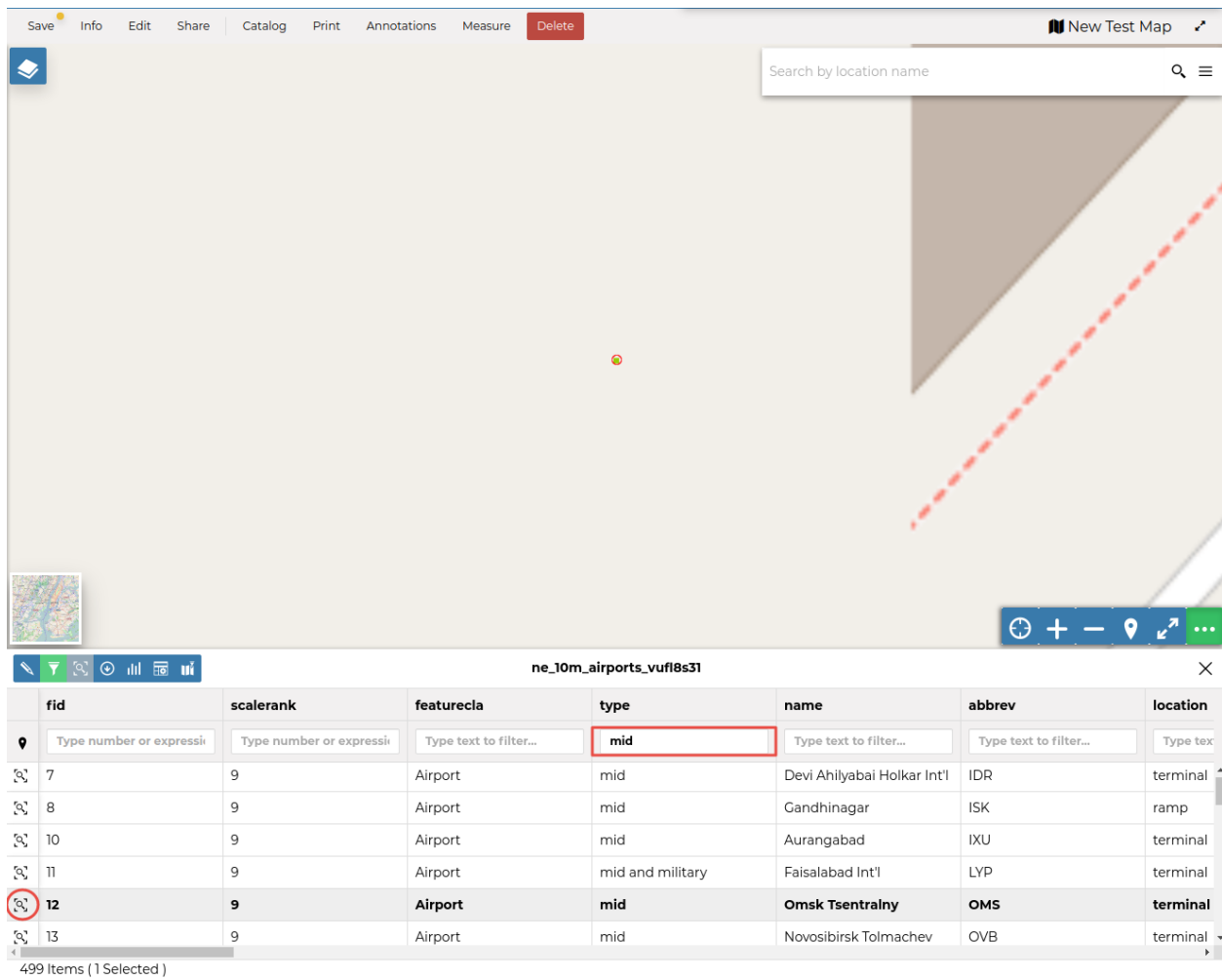
The *Attributes Table* panel contains a *Toolbar* which makes you available some useful functionalities.

Those functionalities are:

- *Edit Mode*

By clicking on  you can start an editing session. It permits you to add new features, to delete or modify the existing ones, to edit geometries. See the *Editing the Dataset Data* section for further information.

- *Advanced Search*



Save Info Edit Share Catalog Print Annotations Measure Delete New Test Map

Search by location name

ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31


fid	scalerank	featurecla	type	name	abbrev	location
7	9	Airport	mid	Devi Ahilyabai Holkar Int'l	IDR	terminal
8	9	Airport	mid	Gandhinagar	ISK	ramp
10	9	Airport	mid	Aurangabad	IXU	terminal
11	9	Airport	mid and military	Faisalabad Int'l	LYP	terminal
12	9	Airport	mid	Omsk Tsentralny	OMS	terminal
13	9	Airport	mid	Novosibirsk Tolmachev	OVV	terminal

499 Items (1 Selected)


Fig. 113: Filtering Features by Attribute




Fig. 114: The Attributes Table Toolbar

Click on , a new panel opens. That panel allows you to filter features in many different ways. This functionality will be explained in depth in the [Advanced Search](#) section.


- *Zoom to page extent*

Click on  to zoom to the page extent.

- *Export Data*

Click on  to open the export/download data form.


- *Hide/show columns*

When clicking on  another panel opens inside the *Attributes Table*. Through that panel you can choose what columns you want to see.


- *Create a chart*




Through the  button you can open the *Chart Widgets* panel where many functionalities to describe and visualize the dataset data are available (see [Creating Widgets](#)).

- *Sync map with filter*


Click on the  icon to synchronize the map with the filter.

Advanced Search

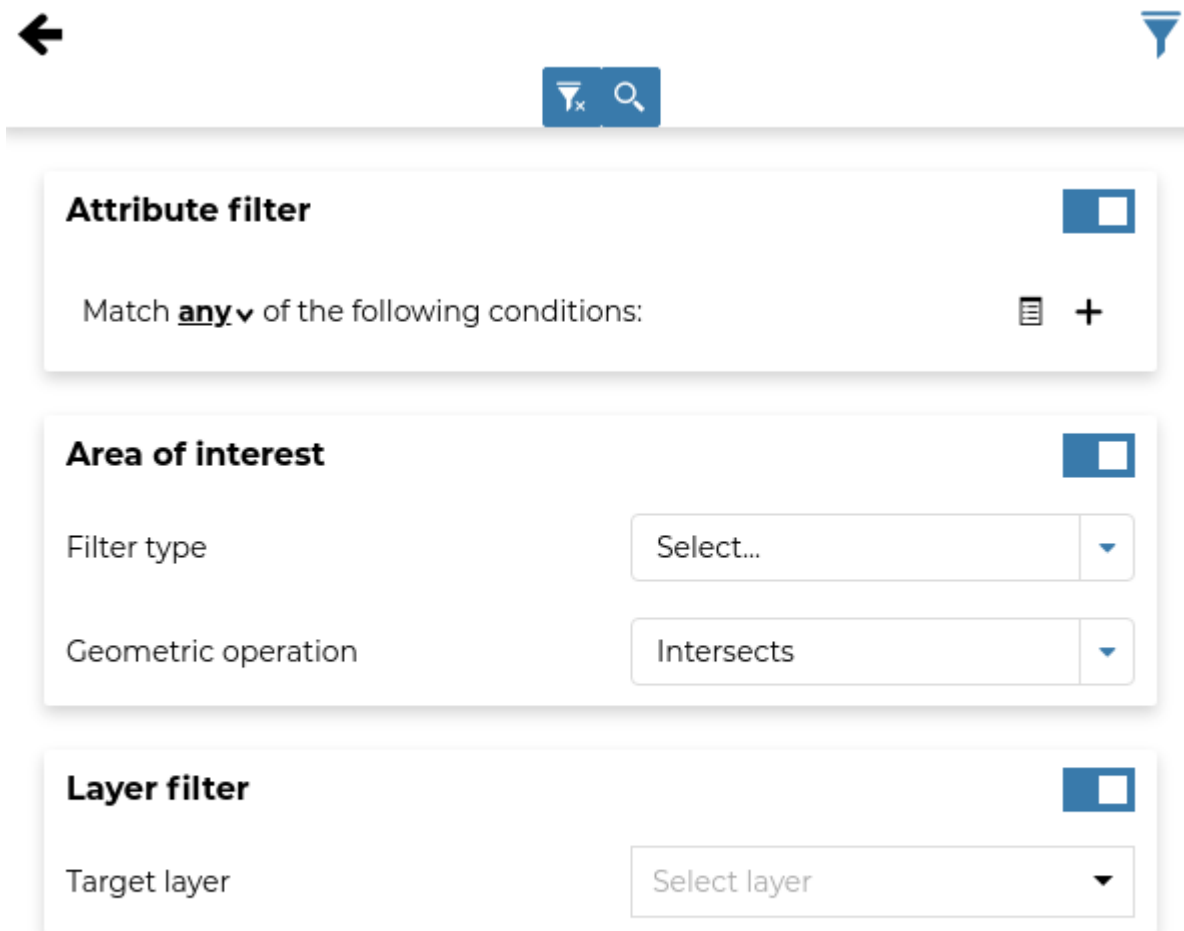
As mentioned before, GeoNode allows both an attribute based and spatial filtering. When clicking on  from the dataset *Attributes Table* the *Advanced Search* panel opens and shows you three different filtering functionalities:

- In the **Attribute Filter** section you can compose a series of conditions about the attributes of the dataset. Click on  to insert a new empty condition. Select the attribute you are interested in, select an operator and type a comparison value. You can group conditions through the *Add Group*  button. Click on  to perform the search.

You can also decide if *All* the conditions have to be met, if only *Any* or *None* of them (see the red arrow in the picture above).



- The **** Area of interest**** filtering allows you to filter features that have some relationship with a spatial region that you draw on the map. Select the *Filter Type* (Circle, Viewport, Polygon or Rectangle), draw the spatial region of interest on the map, select a *Geometric Operation* (Intersects, Bounding Box, Contains or Is contained) and then click on .
- Through the **Dataset Filter** you can select only those features which comply with some conditions on other datasets of the map. You can also add conditions on attributes for those datasets.

You can read more about the *Attributes Table* and the *Advanced Search* on the [MapStore2 Documentation](#).



The image shows a web interface for advanced search. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a back arrow on the left, a central button with a funnel icon and a magnifying glass icon, and a funnel icon on the right. Below the navigation bar, there are three filter sections, each with a title, a toggle switch, and a list of conditions.

Attribute filter ☒

Match **any** of the following conditions:  

Area of interest ☒

Filter type

Geometric operation

Layer filter ☒

Target layer

Fig. 115: *Advanced Search*

The screenshot displays the GeoNode filtering interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with a back arrow on the left, a central toolbar containing a filter icon (funnel with an 'x') and a search icon (magnifying glass), and a filter icon on the right. Below this, the interface is divided into three main sections, each with a title and a toggle switch on the right.

Attribute filter (toggle is on):

- Match all of the following conditions: (A red arrow points to the word "all").
- Condition 1: `fid` `=` `1` (with up/down arrows and a trash icon).
- Condition 2: `featurecla` `=` `Airport` (with a trash icon).
- Condition 3: `scalerank` `=` `37` (with up/down arrows and a trash icon).

Area of interest (toggle is on):

- Filter type: `Select...` (dropdown menu).
- Geometric operation: `Intersects` (dropdown menu).

Layer filter (toggle is on):

- Target layer: `Select layer` (dropdown menu).

Fig. 116: *Filtering by Attributes*

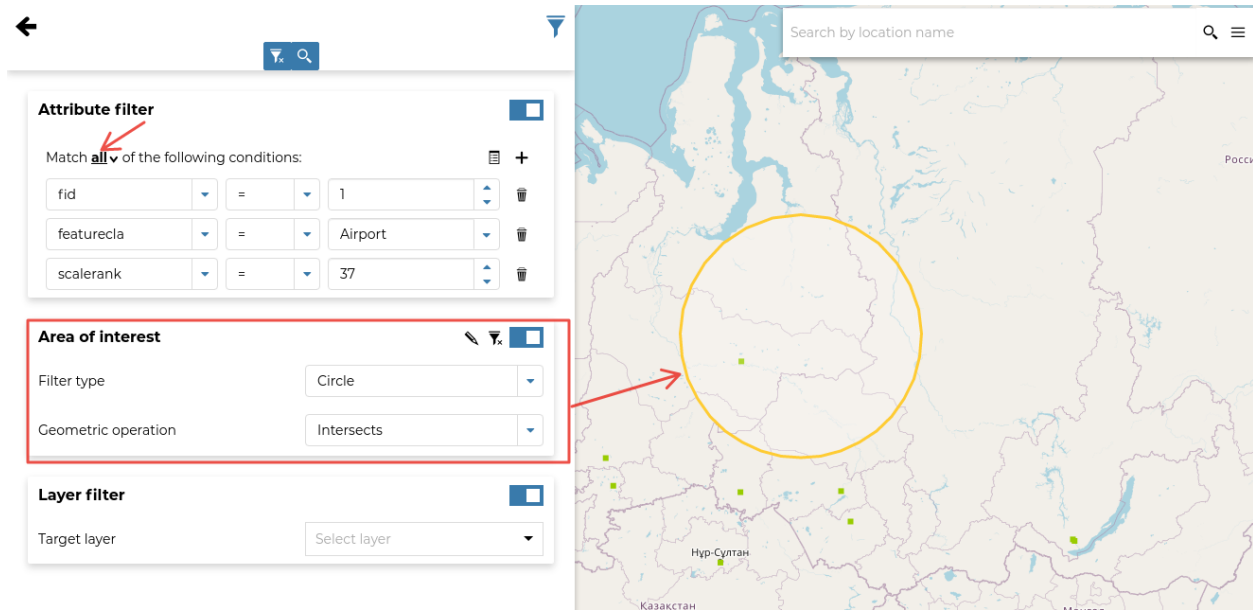



Fig. 117: Filtering by Area Of Interest



Fig. 118: Dataset Filtering

Creating Widgets

Widgets are graphical elements that describe the datasets data. They can be of different types such as *Charts*, *Texts*, *Tables* and *Counters*. Through the  button of the *Table of Contents (TOC)* you can open the *Widgets* panel.

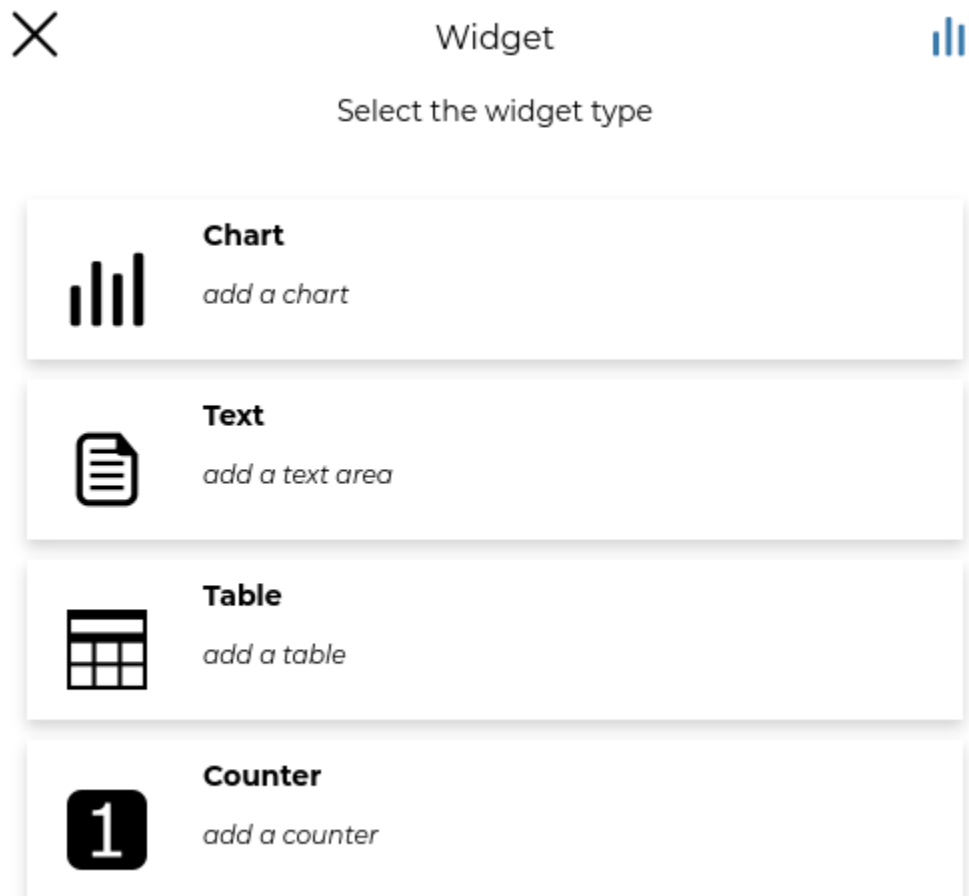





Fig. 119: Creating Widgets

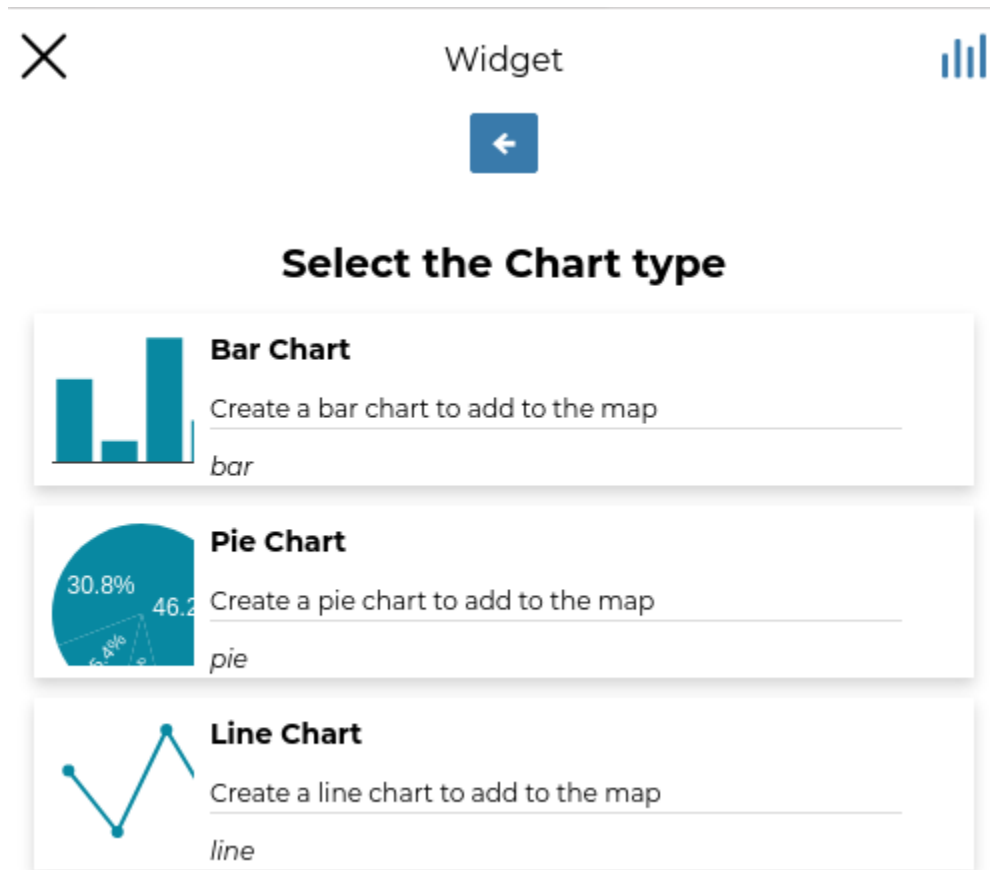
Chart Widgets


Chart Widgets are graphical representations of the dataset data. They can be *Bar Chart*, *Pie Chart* or *Line Chart* as shown in the picture below.

Lets create a new **Bar Chart**.

Click on *Bar Chart* then select the *X Attribute*, the *Y Attribute*, the *Operation* and the *Color* do you prefer. You can also display the *Legend*, *Hide the Y axis*, *Hide the grid* and decide what *Label* display into the legend.


Now you can filter the data to be considered for the chart by clicking on . We don't need any filter so click  to configure other widget options. Insert a *Title* and a *Description* and click on *Save* .

Fig. 120: *Chart Widgets*

The green  icon means that the chart is connected to the viewport.

At the top of the bar chart, there is the options menu of the widget where you can *Download graph as png*, *Zoom the widgets* and *Reset axes*.


Text Widgets

If you select *Text* on the *Widgets* panel you can create *Text Widgets*. Add a *Title* and the desired descriptive text, then click on .

The resulting widget looks like the following.

Table Widgets



Through the *Table Widgets* you can add the *Attributes Table* of the dataset to the map. You can decide to show a subset of the features, through filters, and you can select one or more columns/attributes.

So, choose what attributes you are interested in and click on .

Insert *Title* and *Description* (optional) and click on . The example below shows the *Table Widget* on the map.

Counter Widgets

Counter Widgets are numeric representations of some attributes. For example you can represent the average speed limit on a road network.

Click on , insert *Title* and *Description* then click on .

The GeoNode map viewer is [MapStore](#) based, see the [MapStore Documentation](#) for further information.

Timeline

GeoNode can manage datasets with a *time dimension*. Those vector datasets may vary their data through time so it is useful to represent that variation on the map.

The [MapStore](#) based map viewer used in Geonode makes available the **Timeline** tool which allows you to observe the datasets' evolution over time, to inspect the dataset configuration at a specific time instant and to view different dataset configurations time by time dynamically through animations (see the [MapStore Documentation](#) for further details).

Warning: Timeline actually works only with WMTS-Multidim extension (WMS time in capabilities is not fully supported).

When loading a temporal dataset into the map, the *Timeline* opens automatically.

On the left side of the *Timeline* panel you can set the time value in which you want to observe the data. You can type it directly filling out the corresponding input fields or by using the up/down arrows.

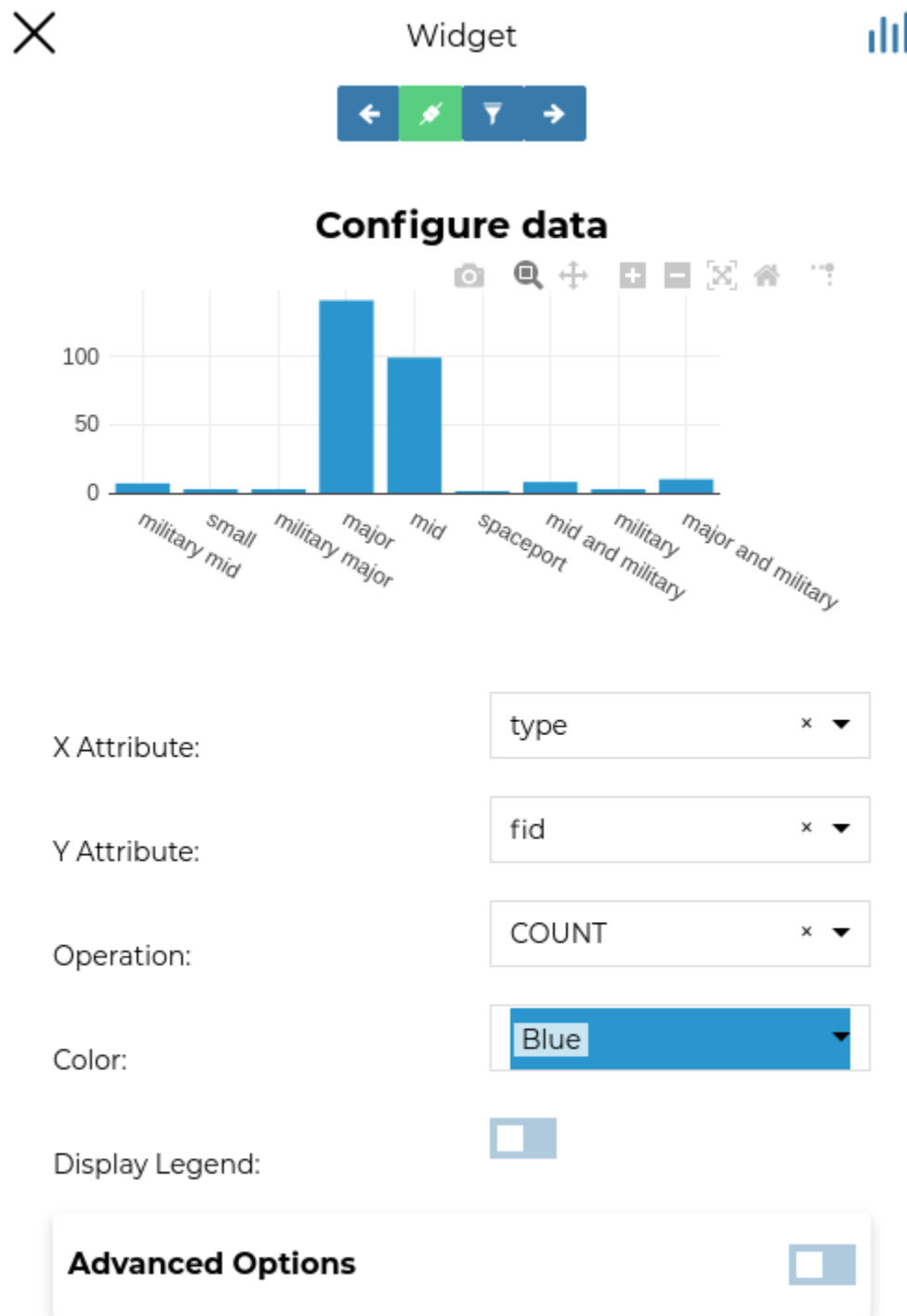


Fig. 121: Chart Widgets Creation

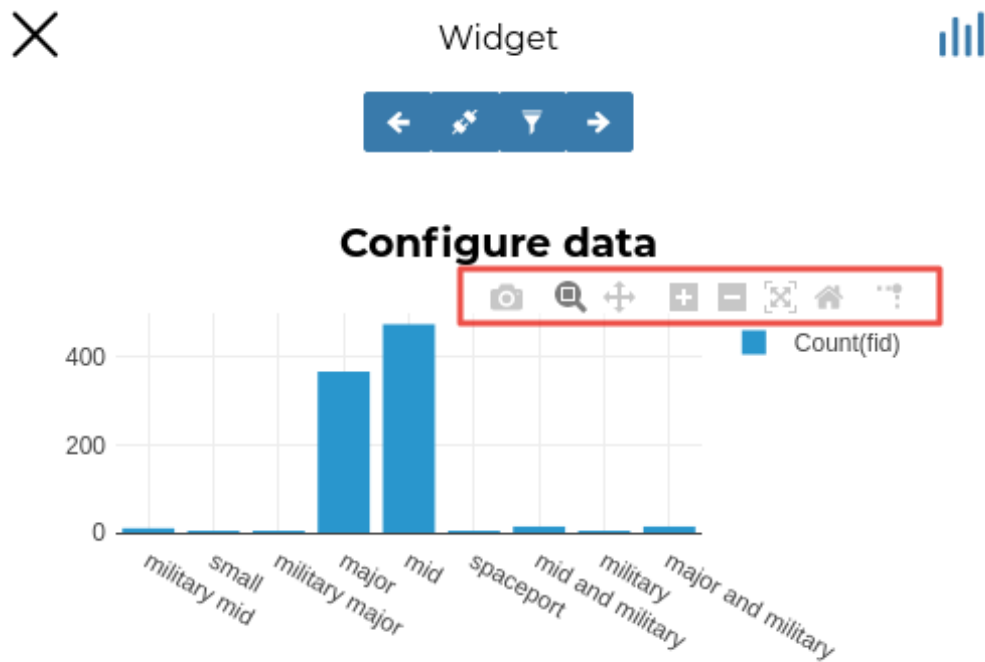


Fig. 122: Chart Widgets Options

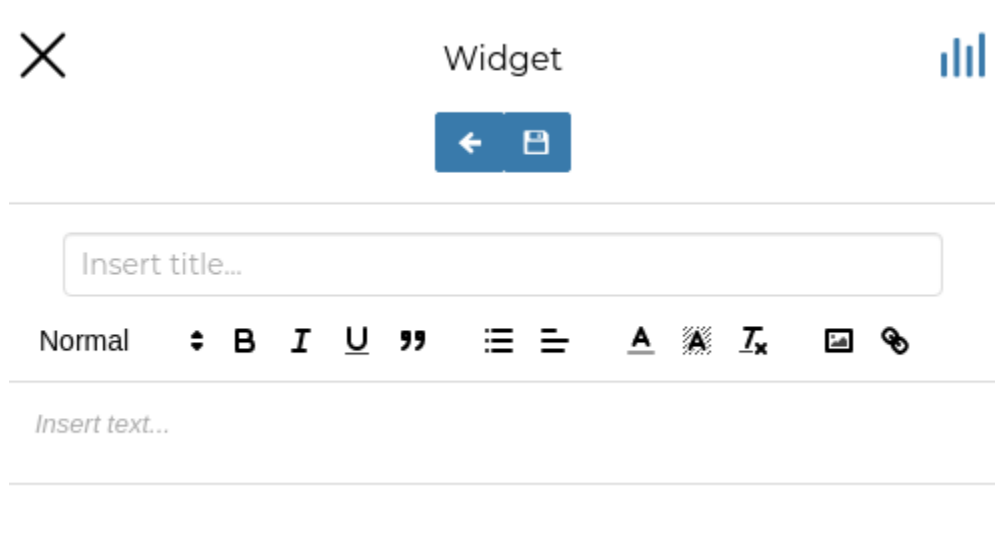
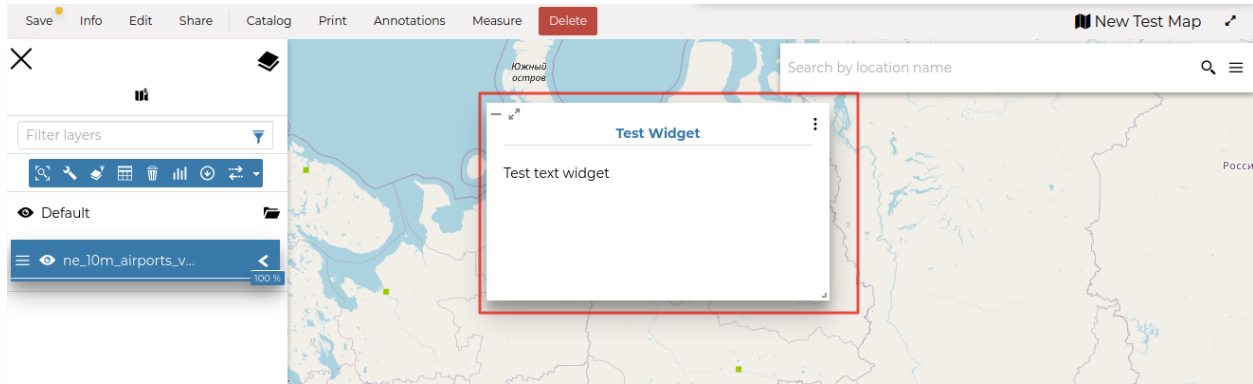
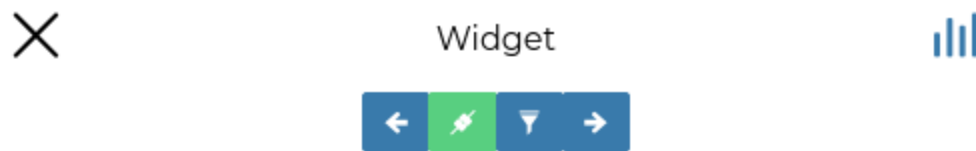


Fig. 123: Text Widgets Creation

Fig. 124: *My Text Widget*

Configure table options

Columns

<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	fid
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	scalerank
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	featurecla
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	type
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	name
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	abbrev
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	location
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	gps_code
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	iata_code

Fig. 125: *Table Widgets Columns*

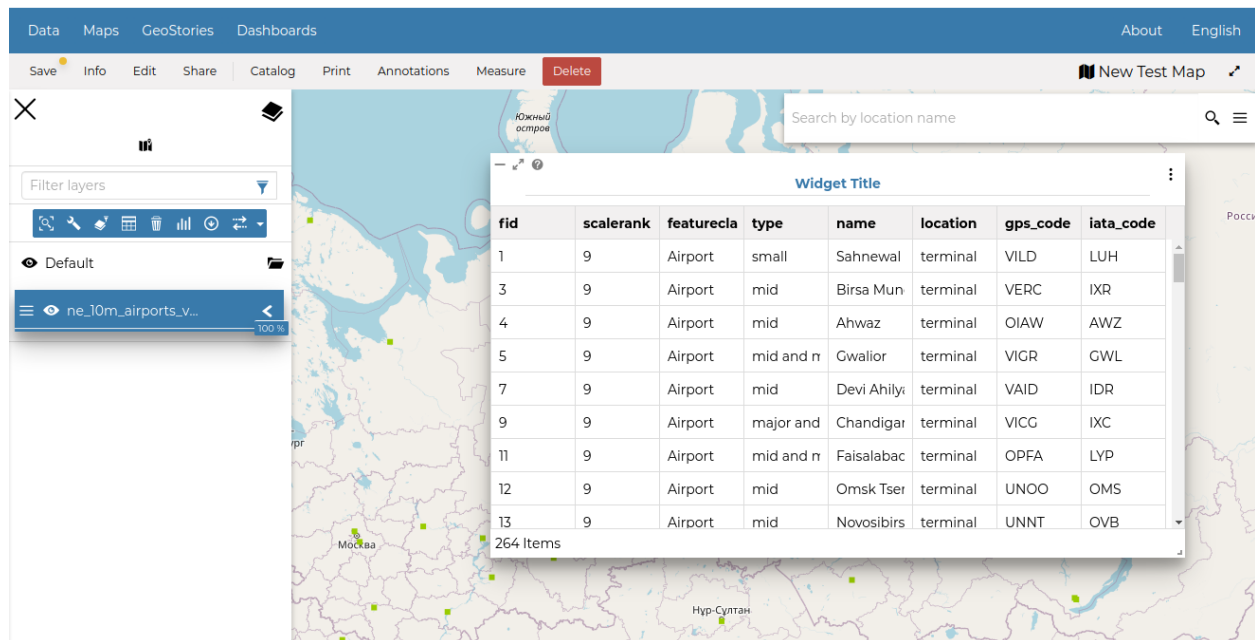


Fig. 126: Table Widget

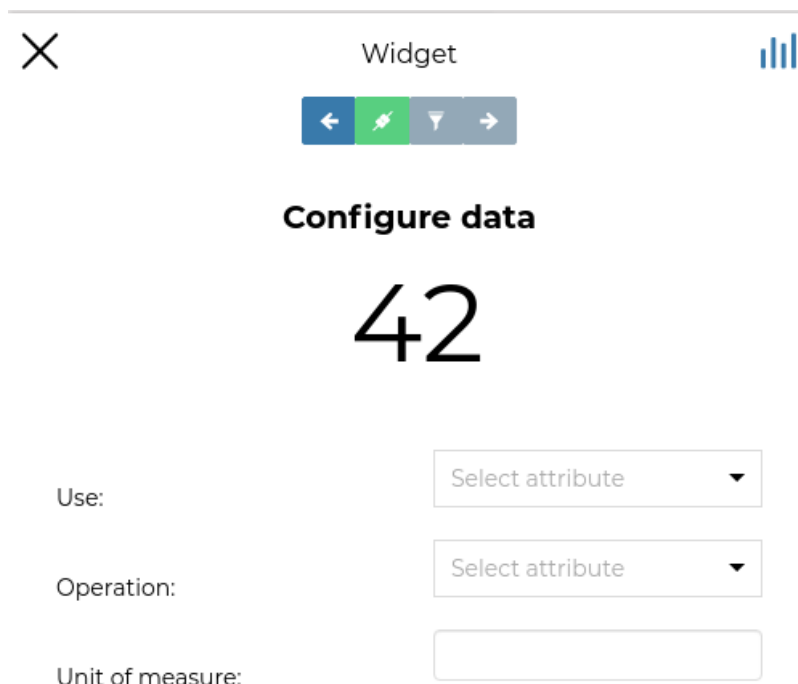


Fig. 127: Counter Widget Creation

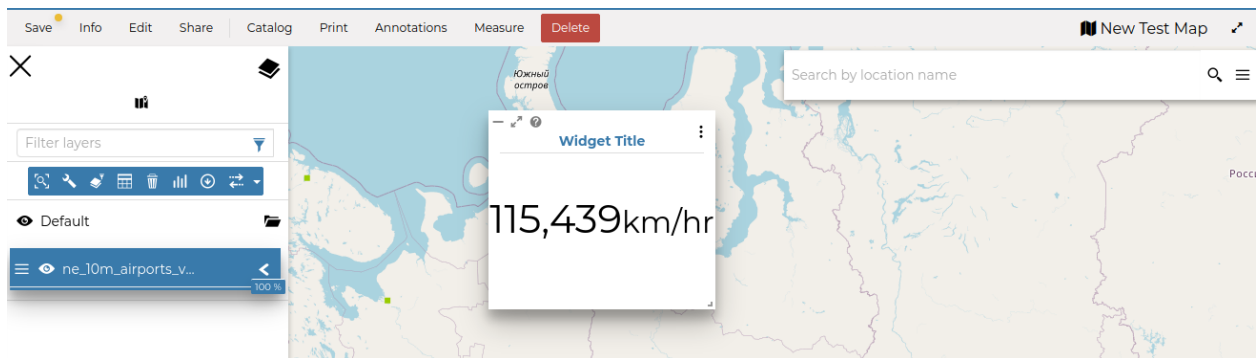


Fig. 128: Counter Widget

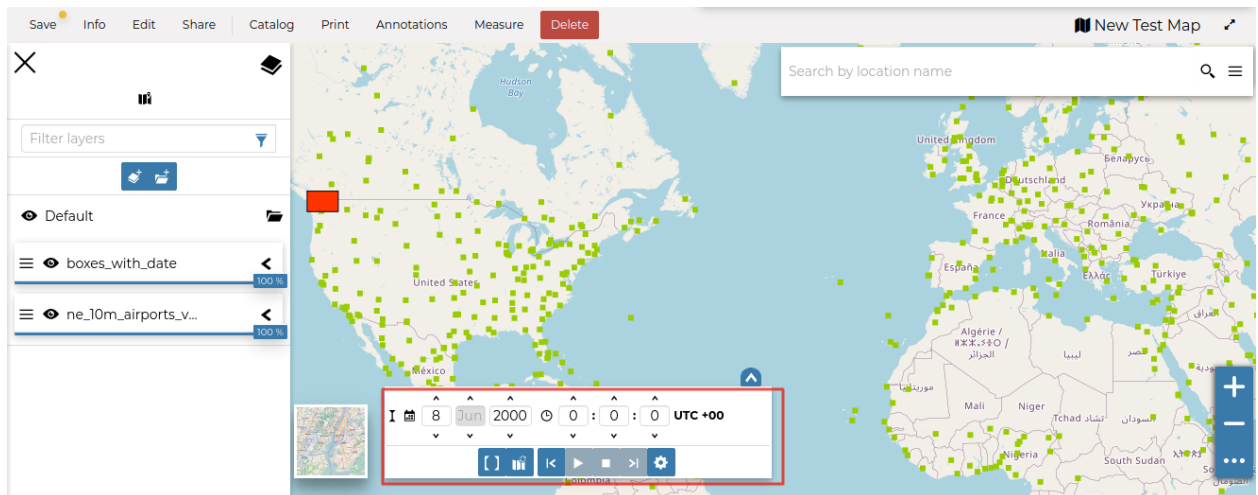


Fig. 129: The Timeline

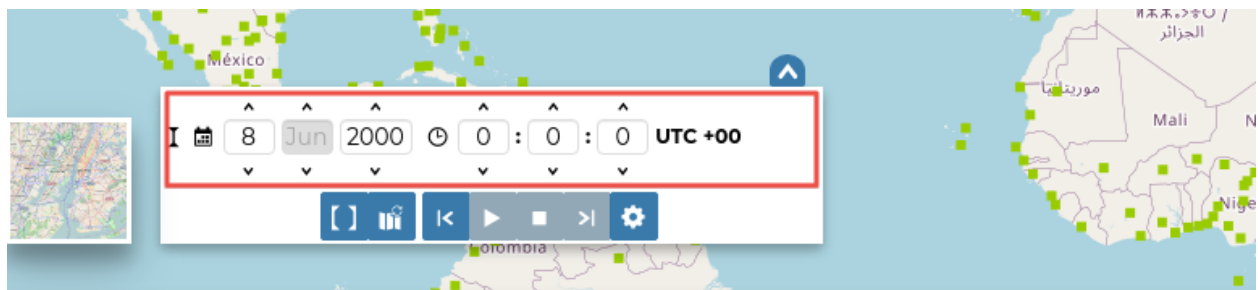


Fig. 130: The Time Control Buttons

On the other side there are the buttons responsible for managing the animations.

In particular you can *Play* the animation by clicking [|play_button|](#), go back to the previous time instant through [|time_go_backward_button|](#), go forward to next time step using [|time_go_forward_button|](#) and stop the animation by clicking [|stop_button|](#).

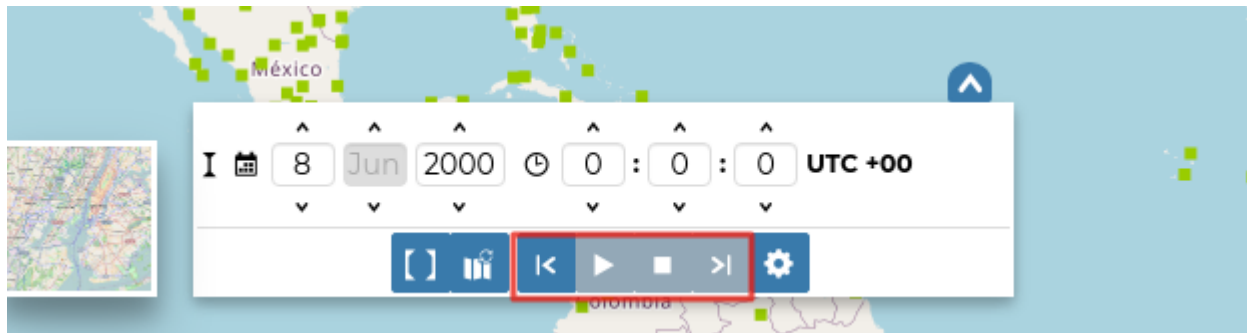


Fig. 131: The Animation Control Buttons

The *Timeline* panel can be expanded through the [|expand_timeline_button|](#) button.

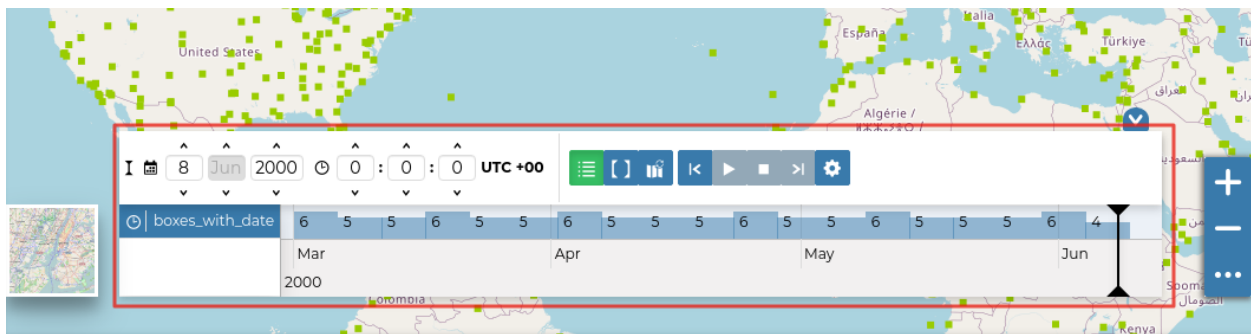


Fig. 132: The Expanded Timeline

The expanded section of the *Timeline* panel contains the *Time Datasets List* and an *Histogram* which shows you:

- the distribution of the data over time

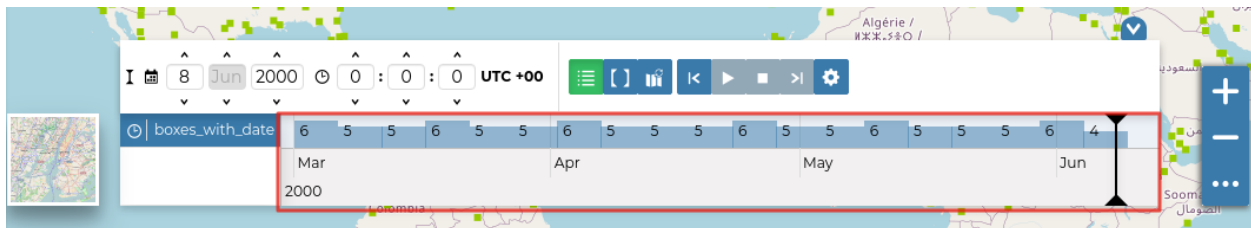


Fig. 133: The Timeline Histogram

- the *Time Cursor*

You can show/hide the datasets list by clicking [|show_hide_datasets_list_button|](#) (it is active by default).

Through the *Time Range* function you can observe the data in a finite temporal interval. Click on [|time_range_button|](#) and set the initial and the final times to use it.

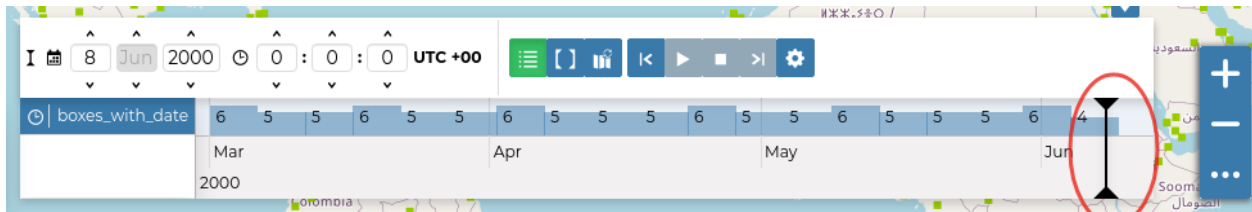


Fig. 134: The Time Cursor

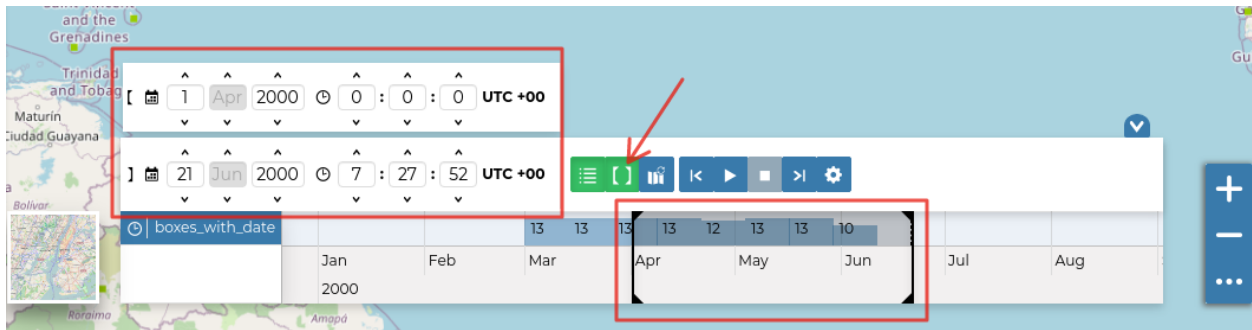


Fig. 135: The Time Range Settings

Animations

The *Timeline* allows you to see the data configurations (one for each time in which the data are defined) through ordered sequences of steps.

As said before, you can play the resulting *Animation* by clicking the play button **|play_button|**. The dataset data displayed on map will change accordingly to the time reach by the cursor on the *Histogram*.

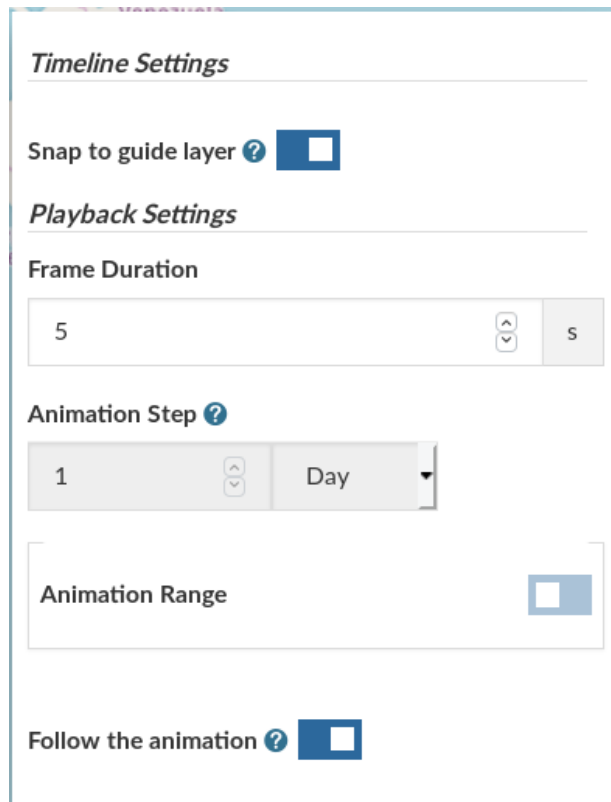
By clicking on **|animation_settings_button|** you can manage some *Animation Settings*.

You can activate the *Snap to guide dataset* so that the time cursor will snap to the selected dataset's data. You can also set up the *Frame Duration* (by default 5 seconds).

If the *Snap to guide dataset* option is disabled, you can force the animation step to be a fixed value.

The *Animation Range* option lets you to define a temporal range within which the time cursor can move.

See the [MapStore Documentation](#) for more information.



The screenshot shows a settings panel titled "Timeline Settings". It contains several options: a "Snap to guide layer" checkbox which is checked; a "Playback Settings" section header; a "Frame Duration" input field set to "5" with a unit dropdown set to "s"; an "Animation Step" input field set to "1" with a unit dropdown set to "Day"; an "Animation Range" checkbox which is unchecked; and a "Follow the animation" checkbox which is checked. Each option has a small question mark icon next to it.

Timeline Settings

Snap to guide layer ? ☒

Playback Settings

Frame Duration

5 s

Animation Step ?

1 Day

Animation Range ☐

Follow the animation ? ☒

Fig. 136: *The Timeline Settings*

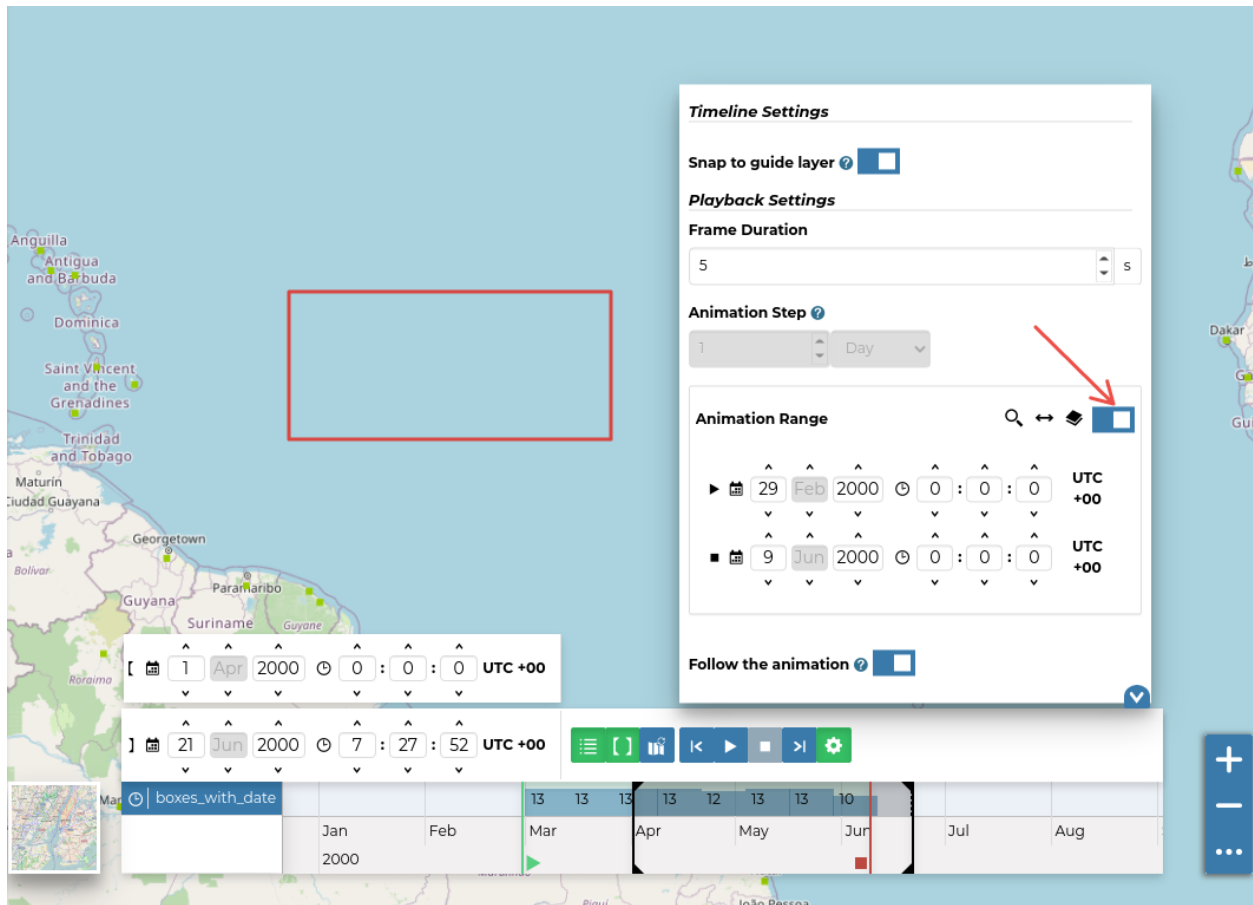


Fig. 137: The Timeline Animation Range

Other Menu Tools

At the top of the *Map* there are more menu items which we are going to explain in this section.

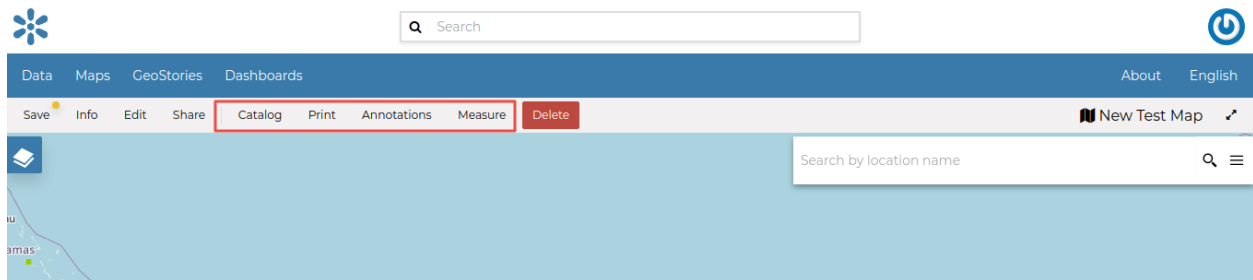


Fig. 138: *The Map Options Menu*

Printing a Map

The [MapStore](#) based map viewer of GeoNode allows you to print your map with a customizable layout. Click the *Print* option from the *Menu*, the **Printing Window** will open.

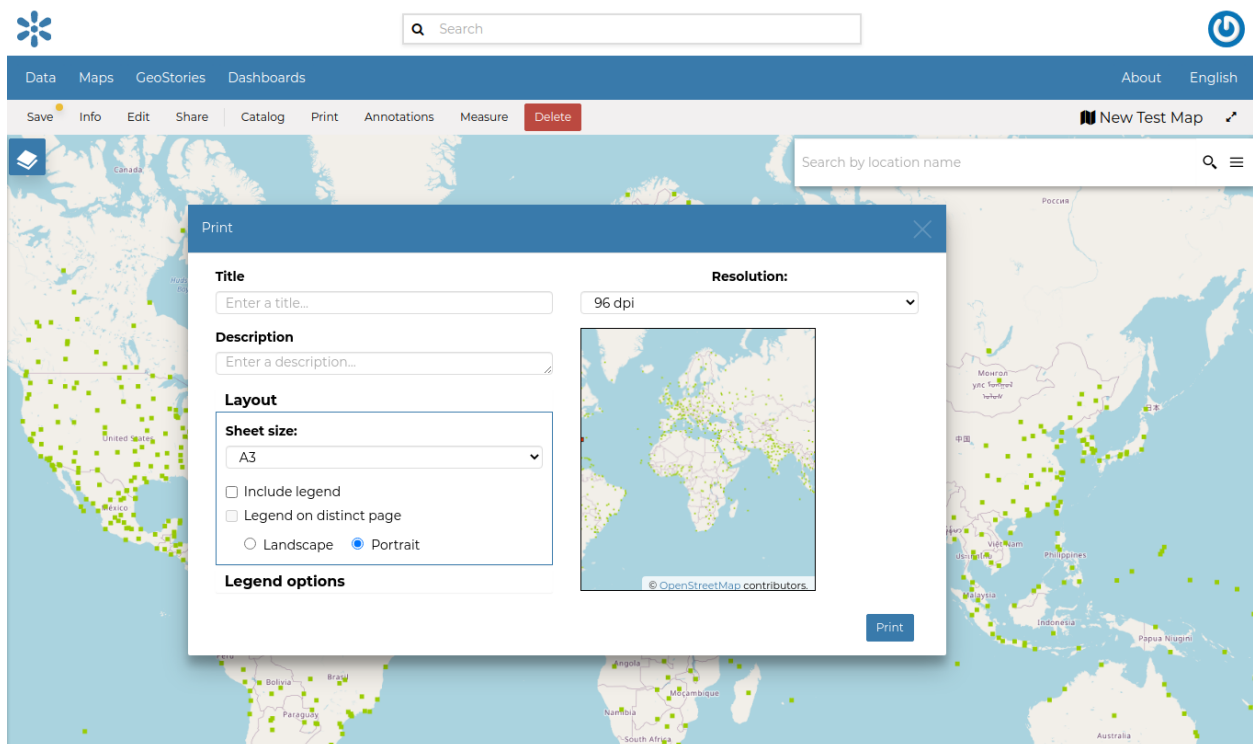


Fig. 139: *The Printing Window*

From this window you can:

- enter *Title* and *Description*;
- choose the *Resolution* in dpi;

- customize the *Layout*
 - the *Sheet size* (A3, A4);
 - if include the legend or not;
 - if to put the legend in a separate page;
 - the page *Orientation* (Landscape or Portrait);
- customize the *Legend*
 - the *Label Font*;
 - the *Font Size*;
 - the *Font Emphasis* (bold, italic);
 - if *Force Labels*;
 - if use *Anti Aliasing Font*;
 - the *Icon Size*;
 - the *Legend Resolution* in dpi.

To print the map click on *Print*.

The Datasets Catalog

All the datasets available in GeoNode, both uploaded and remote, can be loaded on the map through the *Catalog*. Click on the *Catalog* option of the *Menu* to take a look at the catalog panel.

You can navigate through datasets and look at their *Thumbnail* images, *Title*, *Description* and *Abstract*. Click on *Add To Map* to load a dataset into the map, it will be also visible in the *Table of Contents (TOC)*.

Performing Measurements

Click on the *Measure* option of the *Menu* to perform a measurement. As you can see in the picture below, this tool allows you to measure *Distances*, *Areas* and the *Bearing* of lines.

To perform a measure draw on the map the geometry you are interested in, the result will be displayed on the left of the unit of measure select menu (this tool allows you to change the unit of measure also).

Saving a map

Once all the customizations have been carried out, you can *Save* your map by clicking on the *Save* option of the *Menu*. Click *Save* again under the Save options.

| You could create a new map from the existing view by clicking *Save As...* | A new popup window will open.

The current map title is filled by default, You can change it to the preferred naming then click on *Save*. The page will reload and your map should be visible in the *Finding Data* list.

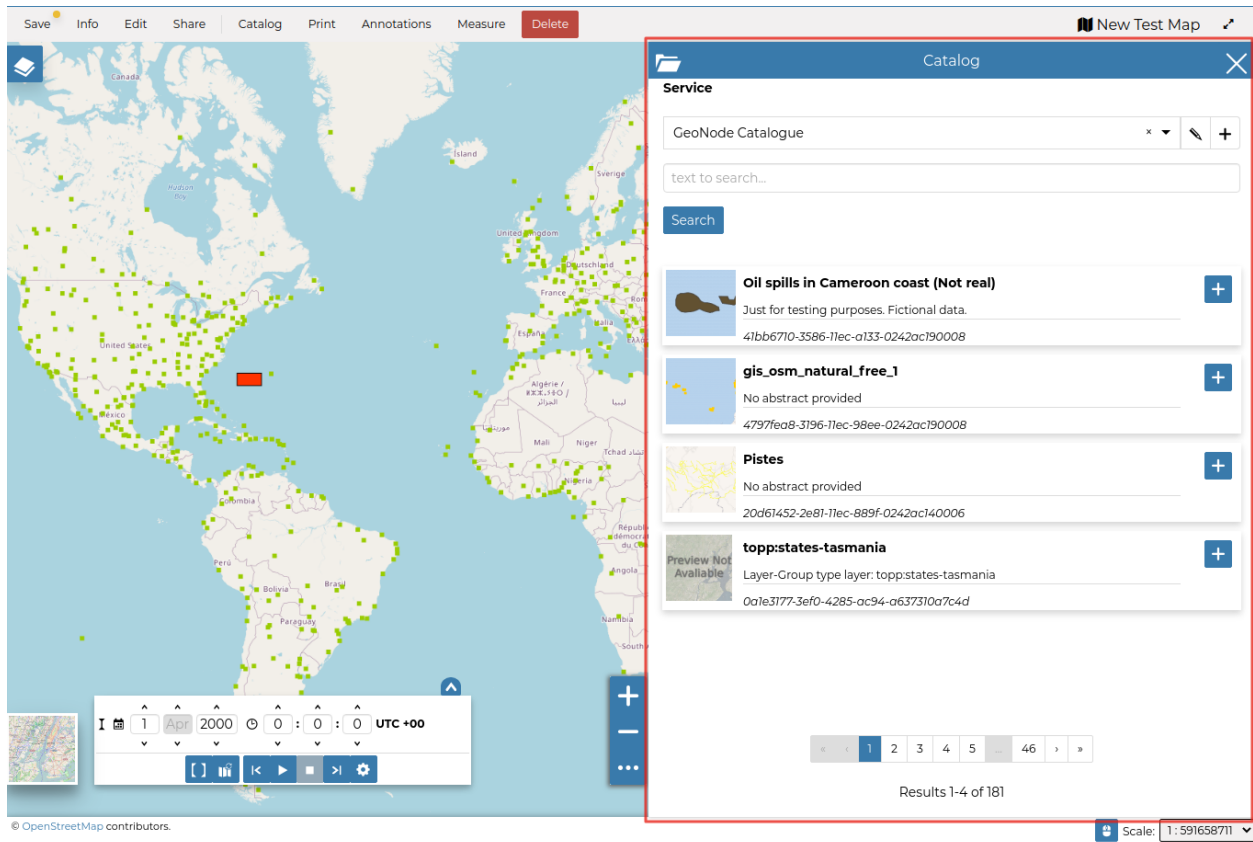


Fig. 140: The Datasets Catalog

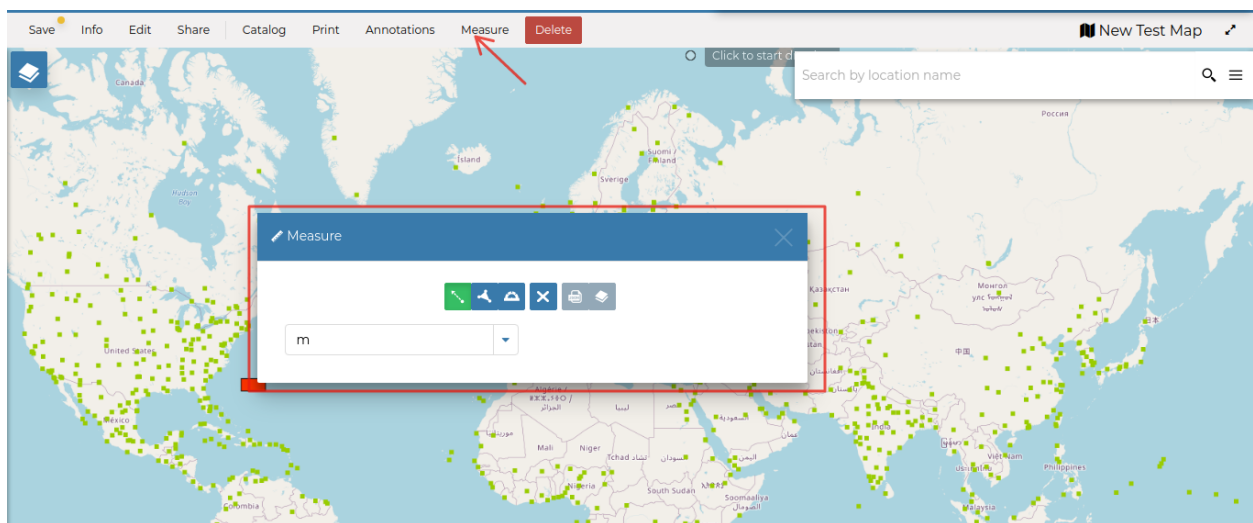
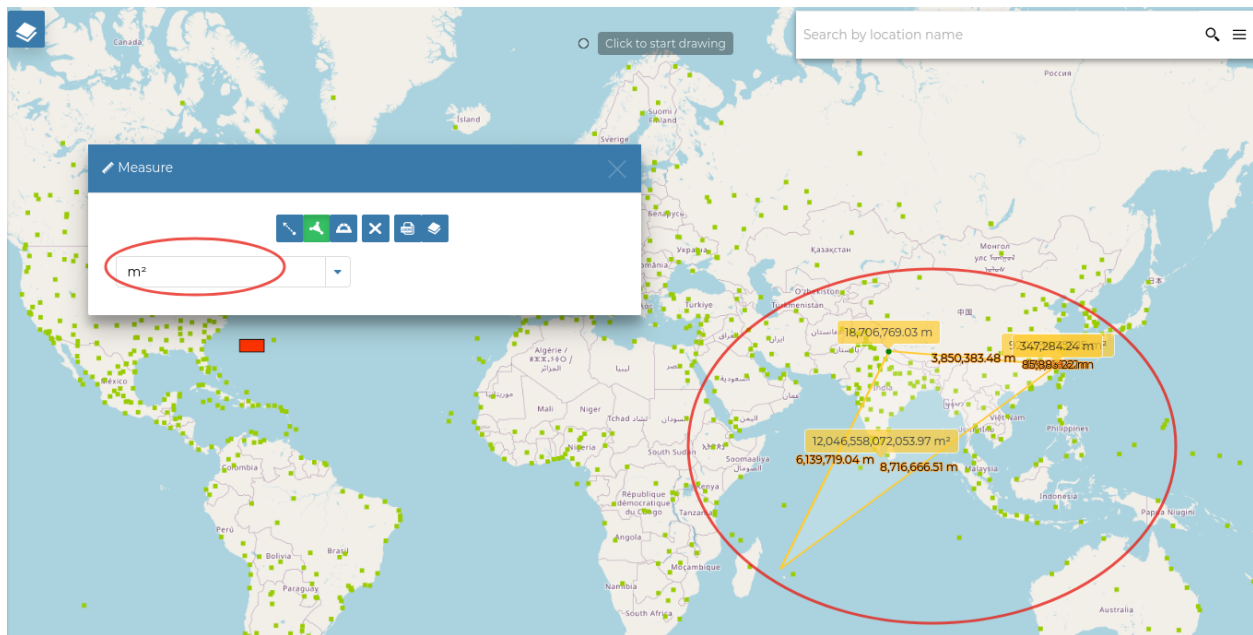
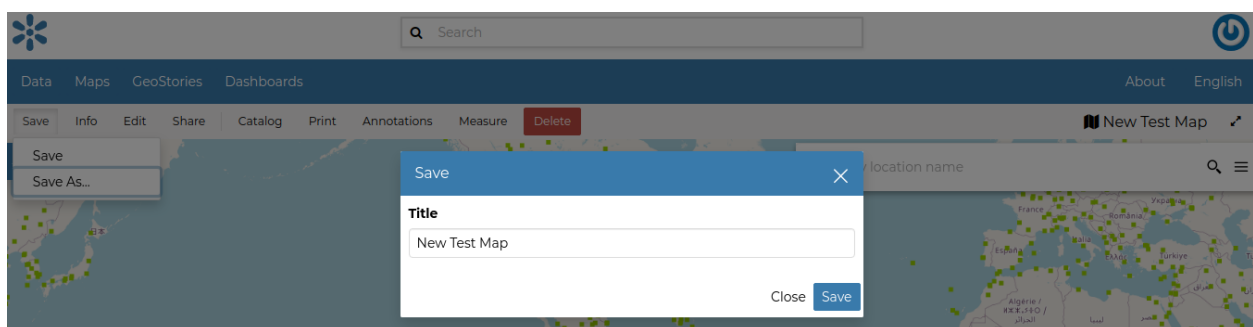


Fig. 141: The Measure Tool

Fig. 142: *Measuring Areas*Fig. 143: *Saving Maps*

Customizing The Datasets' GetFeatureInfo Templates

When “clicking” over a feature of a dataset into a GeoNode Map, an info window popups showing a formatted representation of the raw data identified by the coordinates (see Fig. 1)

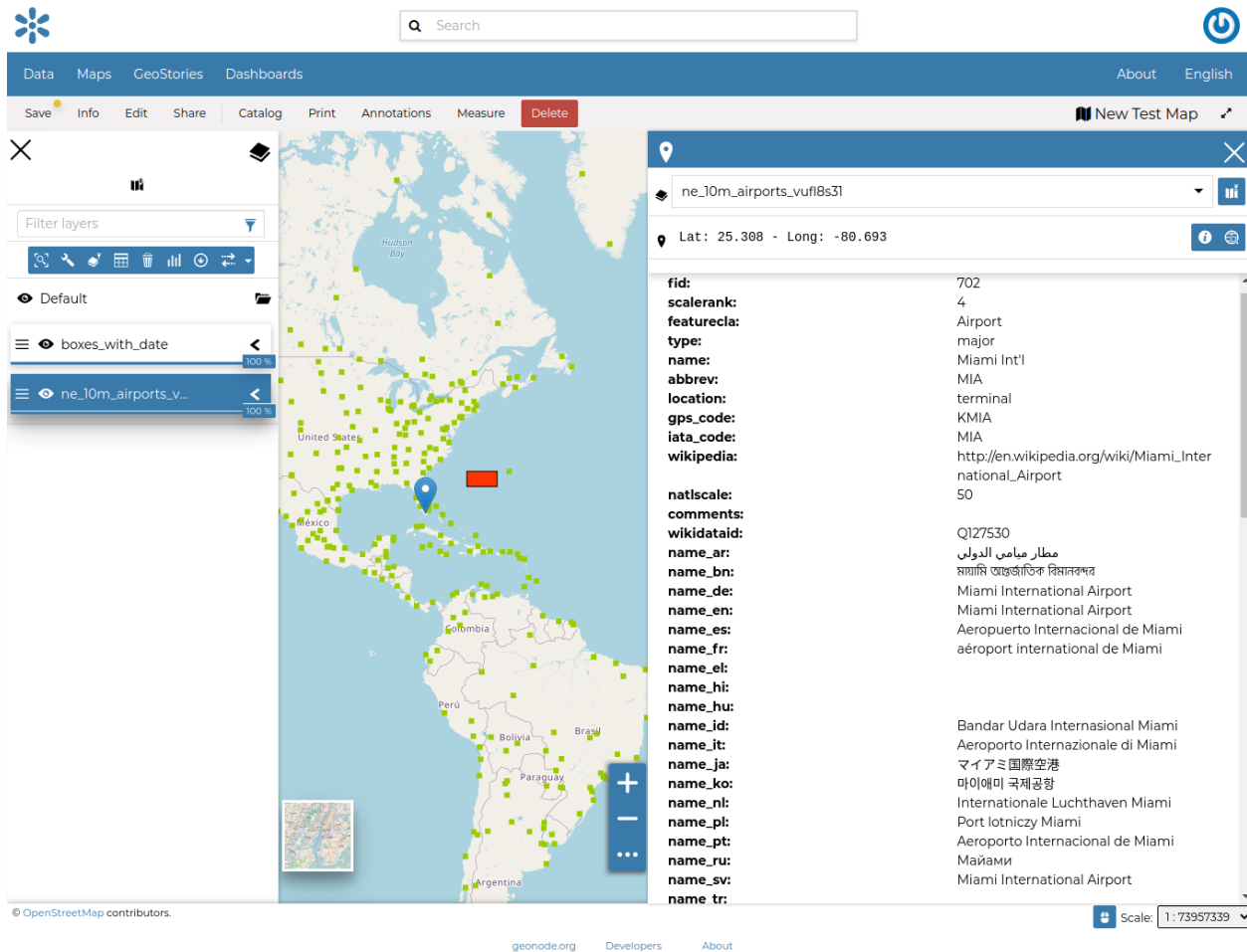


Fig. 144: Fig. 1

The way how such information is presented to the user is defined by what we call “GetFeatureInfo Template”. The latter is basically an HTML snippet containing some placeholders and special inline codes that instruct GeoServer on how to generate the raw data output.

The outcome is a rendered HTML snippet with the real values replacing the placeholders of the Template.

Currently, GeoNode allows a very simple mechanism to customize the “GetFeatureInfo Template” of a dataset.

It is possible, through the dataset Metadata Editor, to assign a name, a label and also set the attributes we want to display on the GetFeatureInfo output.

As an instance, by using the example above, we can customize a bit the dataset Metadata as shown in Fig. 2

The “GetFeatureInfo” output will change accordingly as shown in Fig. 3

Metadata for ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31

Completeness
 ✖ Check Schema mandatory fields
 67 %

Edit Preview Settings **Advanced Metadata**

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 2 3 4

Basic Metadata Location and Licenses Optional Metadata Dataset Attributes

Use a custom template? Off

Attribute	Label	Description	Display Order	Display Type	Visible
fid			1	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
the_geom			2	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
scalerank			3	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
featurecla			4	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
type			5	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
name			6	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
abbrev			7	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
location			8	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
gps_code			9	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>

Fig. 145: Fig. 2

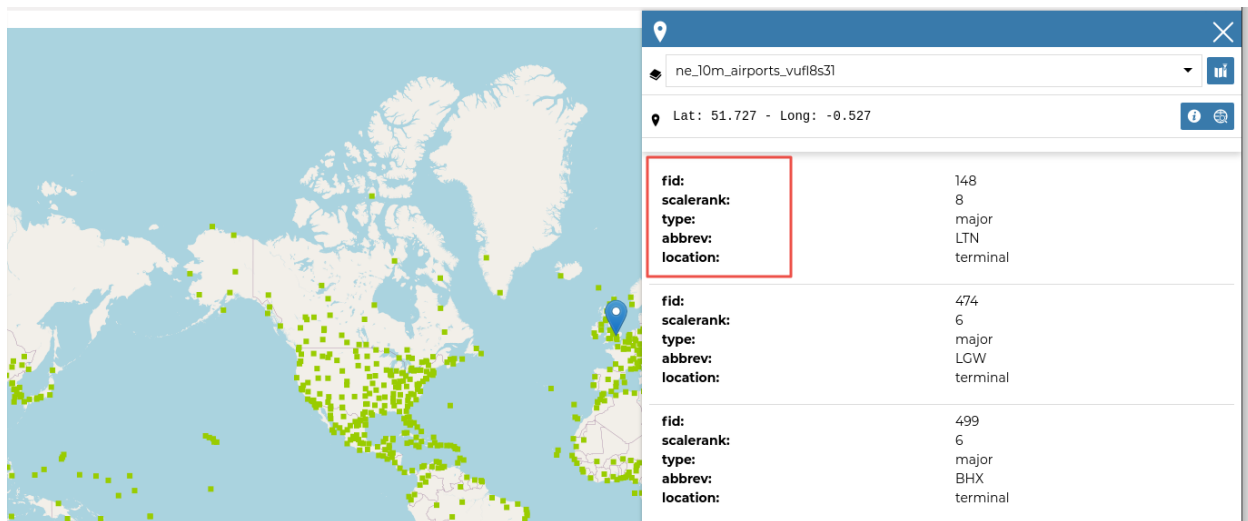


Fig. 146: Fig. 3

Simple Template: Assigning A Media-Type To Attribute Values

The easiest way to render a different media-type (*image*, *audio*, *video* or *iframe*) to a property value, is to change it from the *Metadata Edit* attributes panel.

By changing the *Display Type* of an attribute from this panel as shown in Fig. 4

Metadata for ne_10m_airports_vufl8s3l

Completeness: Check Schema mandatory fields 67%

Edit Preview Settings Advanced Metadata

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata 4 Dataset Attributes

Use a custom template? Off

Attribute	Label	Description	Display Order	Display Type	Visible
fid			1	URL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
the_geom			2	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
scalerank			3	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
featurecla			4	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
type			5	Image	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Fig. 147: Fig. 4

GeoNode will create automatically the HTML media type when rendering by using the **value** of the selected property. So, as an example, if, in the figure above, the attribute **NAME** contains values representing some links to other resources, GeoNode will create those links automatically for you when clicking over a geometry.

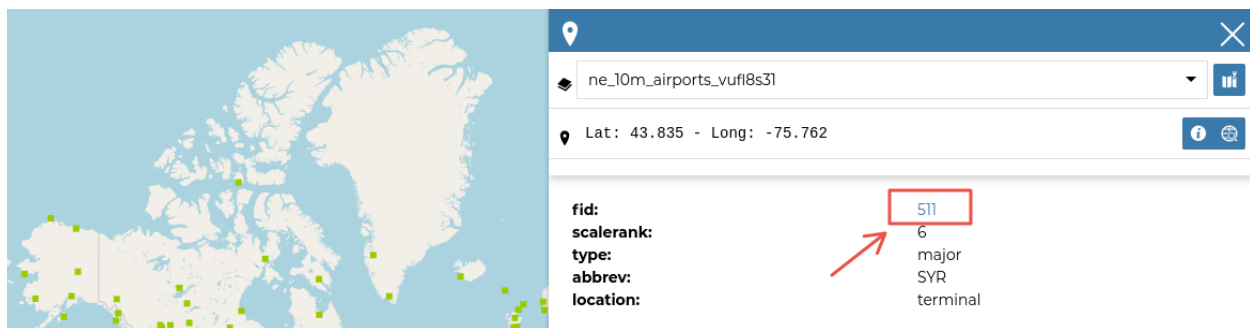


Fig. 148: Fig. 5

Selecting *image* as media-type (Fig. 6)
 and editing the contents accordingly (Fig. 7)
 you will get a nice effect as shown in Fig. 8

[Edit](#)
[Preview](#)
[Settings](#)
[Advanced Metadata](#)

Mandatory Mandatory Optional

1 Basic Metadata 2 Location and Licenses 3 Optional Metadata 4 Dataset Attributes

Use a custom template? ☐ Off

Attribute	Label	Description	Display Order	Display Type	Visible
fid			1	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
the_geom			2	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
scalerank			3	Label	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
featurecla			4	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>
type			5	Image	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
name			6	Label	<input type="checkbox"/>

Fig. 149: Fig. 6

<input type="checkbox"/>	fid	scalerank	featurecla	type	name	abbrev	locatic
<input type="checkbox"/>	Type number or expressi	Type number or expressi	Type text to filter...	Type text to filter...	Type text to filter...	Type text to filter...	Type
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1	9	Airport	https://www.gstatic.com	Sahnawal	LUH	termir
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	9	Airport	mid	Solapur	SSE	termir
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	9	Airport	mid	Birsa Munda	IXR	termir

Fig. 150: Fig. 7

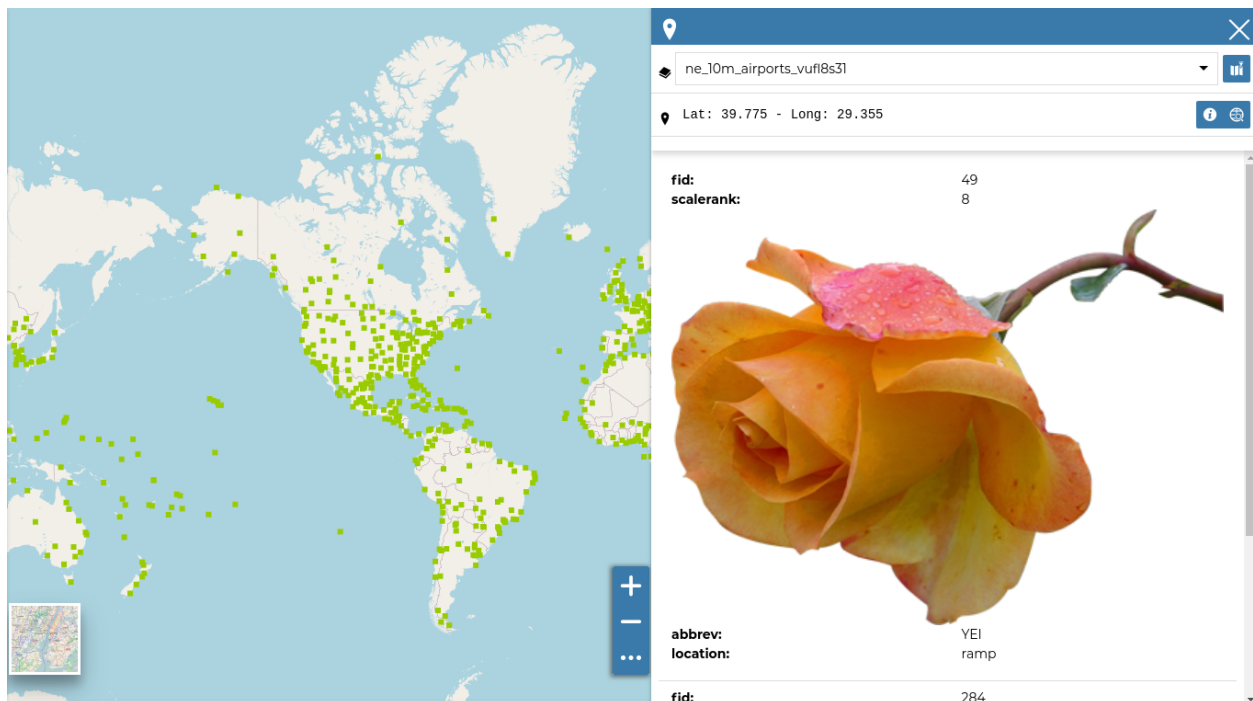


Fig. 151: Fig. 8

Advanced Template: Use A Custom HTML Template

By selecting the option *Use a custom template?* as shown in Fig. 9

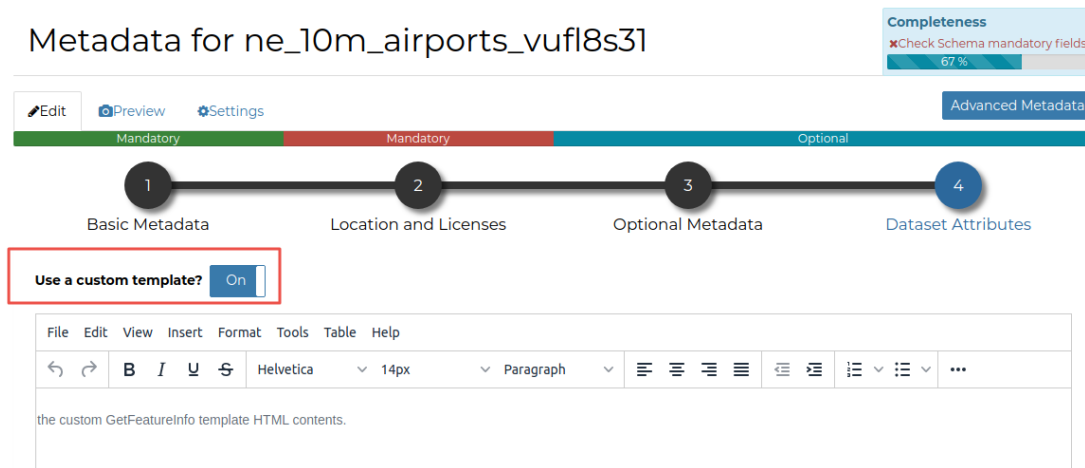


Fig. 152: Fig. 9

You will be able to provide your own custom HTML Template for the Feature Info output. Attributes from the dataset can be represented inside the template using `${properties.ATTRIBUTE}`, where `ATTRIBUTE` is the name of an attribute (field) from your dataset.

The example below uses the `wikipedia` and the `name` attributes to show the name of the airport as a link to the Wikipedia page:

This is the result shown when you click on an airport

Optional: Customizing the HTML WYSIWYG Editor Menu Bar

The *Menu Bar* and *Tool Bar* of the HTML Editor, can be easily customized by overriding the `TINYMCE_DEFAULT_CONFIG` variable on `settings.py` (see [TINYMCE_DEFAULT_CONFIG](#))

There are many plugins and options allowing you to easily customize the editor and also provides some predefined *templates* to speed up the editing.

For more information about the Javascript tool, please refer to <https://www.tiny.cloud/>

Search Bar

The *Search Bar* of the map viewer allows you to find point of interests (POIs), streets or locations by name. Lets type the name of some place then select the first record.

The map will automatically re-center on that area delimiting it by a polygon in the case of an area, by a line in the case of a linear shape (e.g. streets, streams) and by a marker in the case of a point.

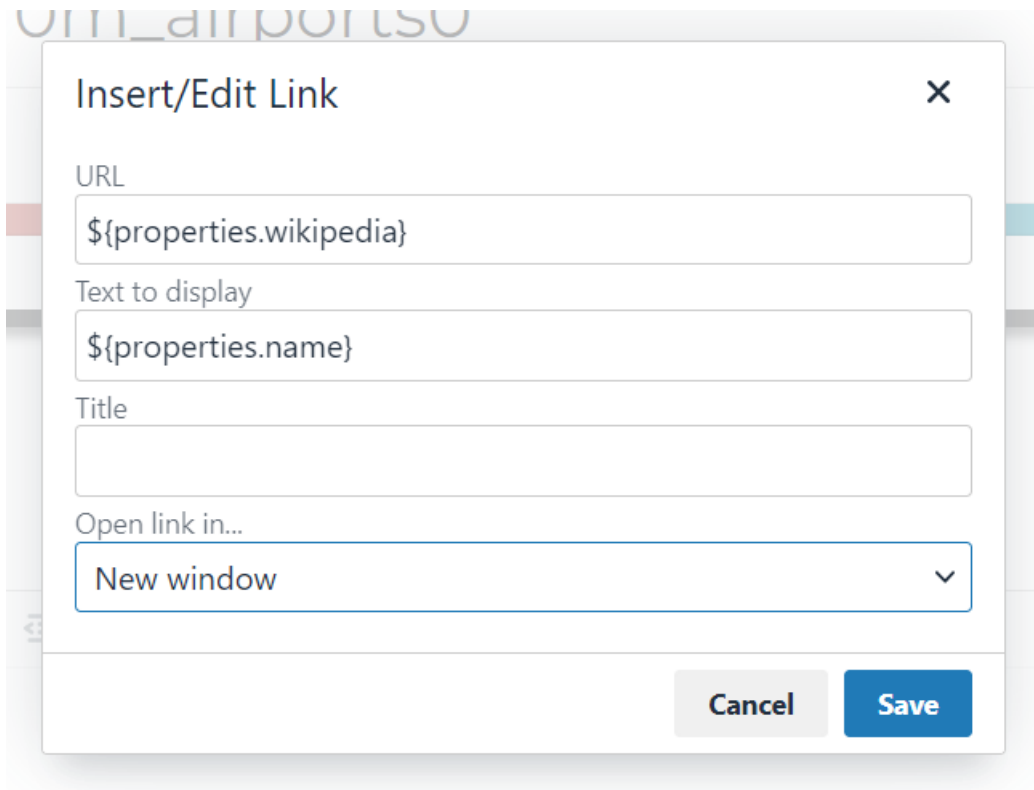


Fig. 153: Fig. 10

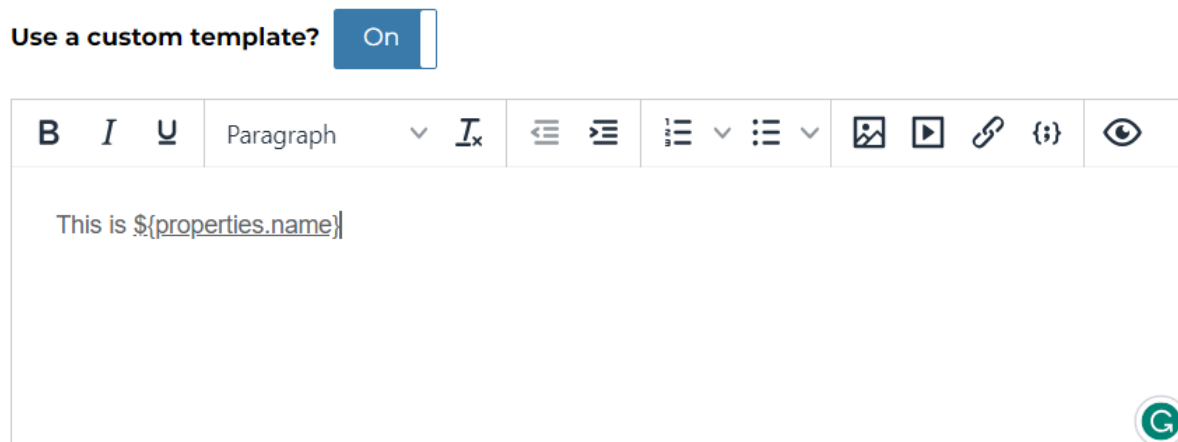


Fig. 154: Fig. 11

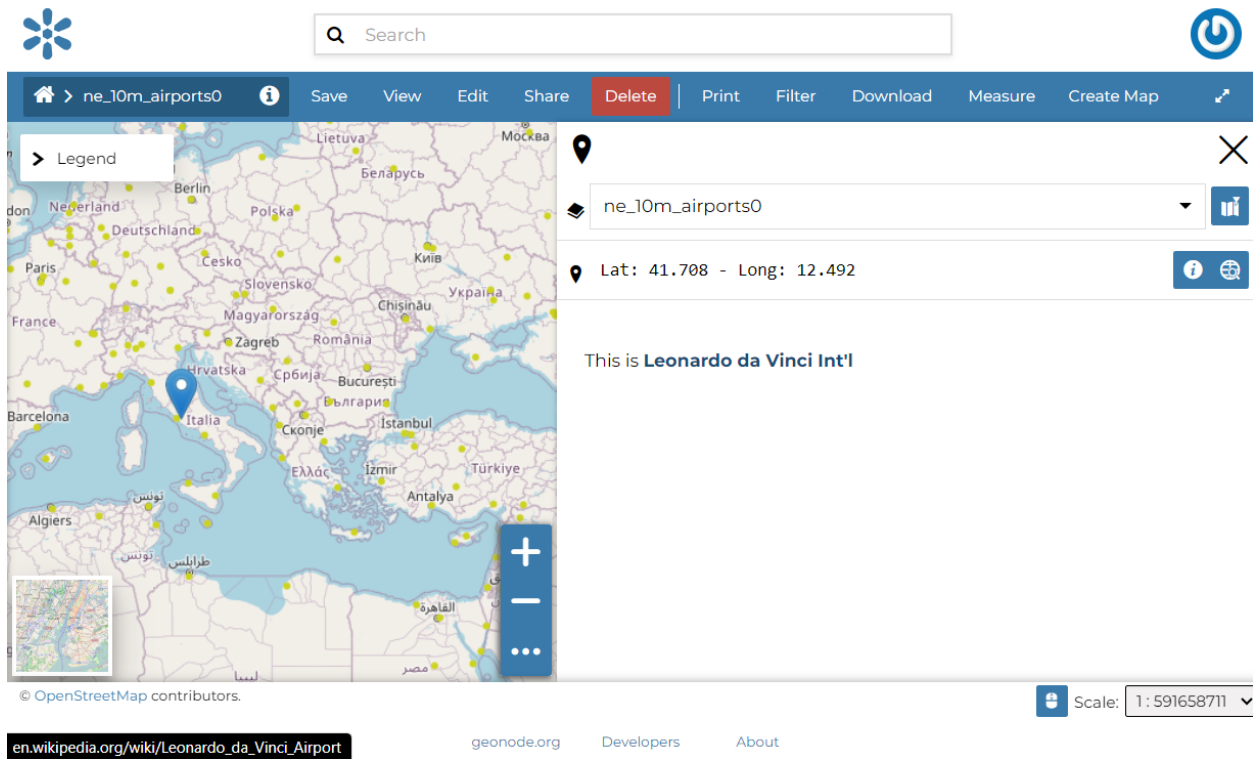



Fig. 155: Fig. 12

Sidebar Tools


The *Map Viewer* makes also available the *Sidebar*. It is a navigation panel containing various tools that help you to explore the map such as tools for zooming, changing the extent and querying objects on the map.

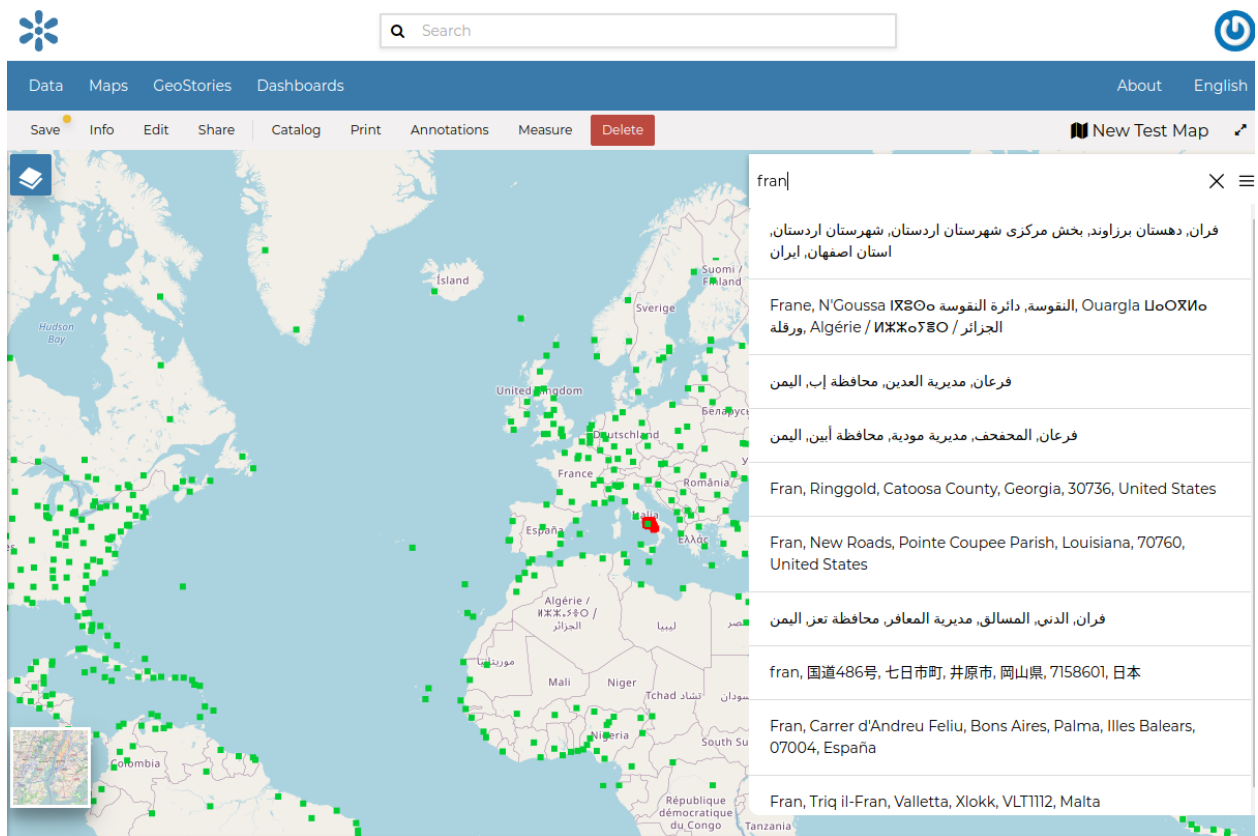
By default the *Sidebar* shows you the zooming buttons  and , other options can be explored by clicking on  which expands/collapses the toolbar.

The *Sidebar* contains the following tools:

- The *Query Objects on map* allows you to get feature information through the  button. It allows you to retrieve information about the features of some datasets by clicking them directly on the map.

When clicking on map a new panel opens. That panel will show you all the information about the clicked features for each active loaded dataset.

- You can *Zoom To Max Extent* by clicking .

Fig. 156: *The Search Bar*

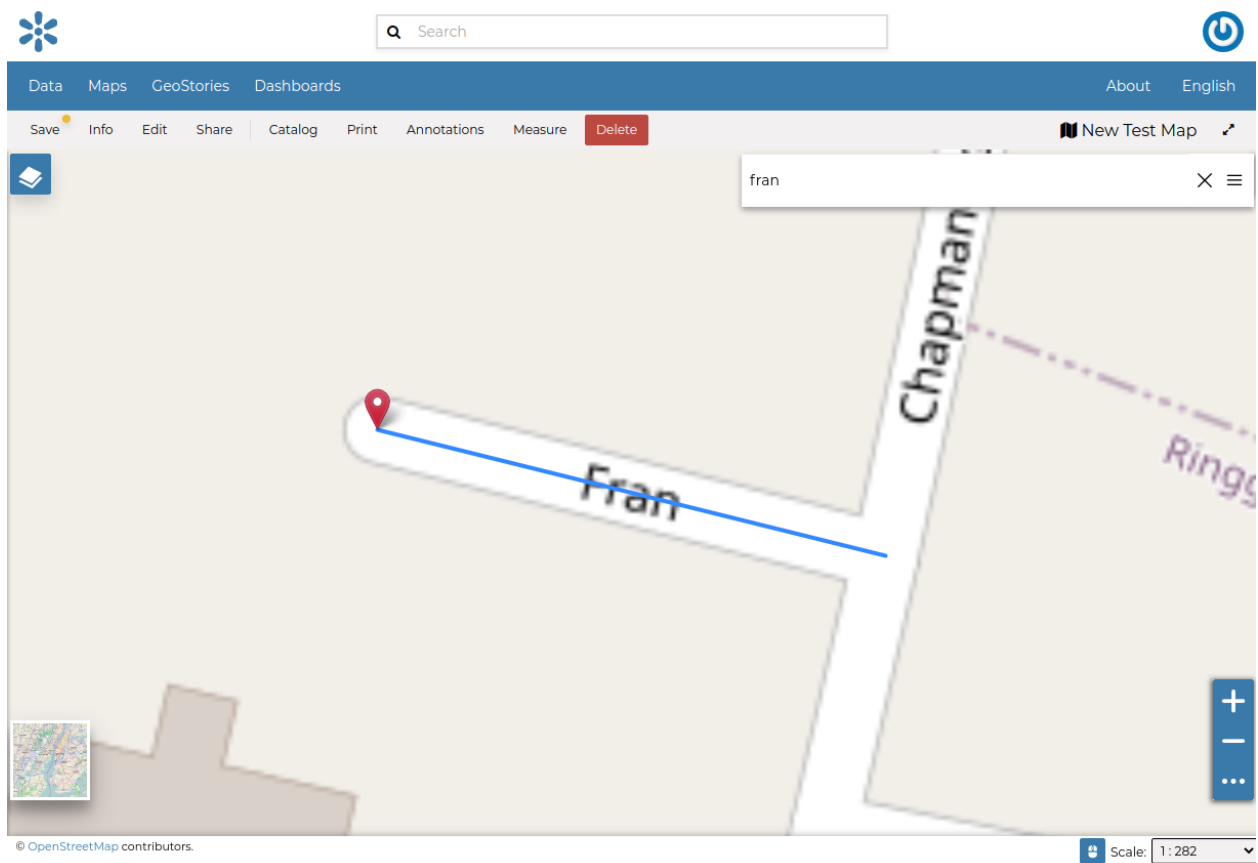


Fig. 157: *Result of a Search*

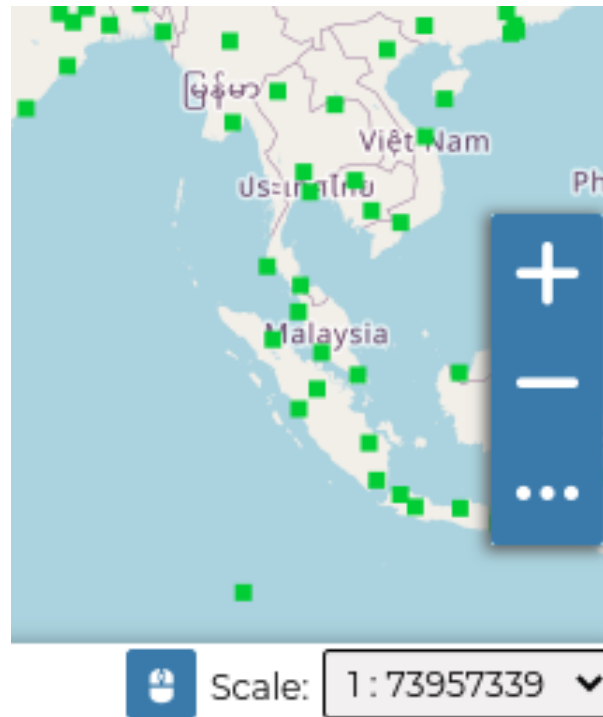


Fig. 158: *The Default Sidebar*

Basemap Switcher


By default, GeoNode allows to enrich maps with many world backgrounds. You can open available backgrounds by clicking on the map tile below:

- *OpenStreetMap*
- *OpenTopoMap*
- *Sentinel-2-cloudless*

You can also decide to have an *Empty Background*.

Footer Tools

At the bottom of the map, the *Footer* shows you the *Scale* of the map and allows you to change it.

The  button allows you to see the pointer *Coordinates* and to change the Coordinates Reference System (CRS), WGS 84 by default.

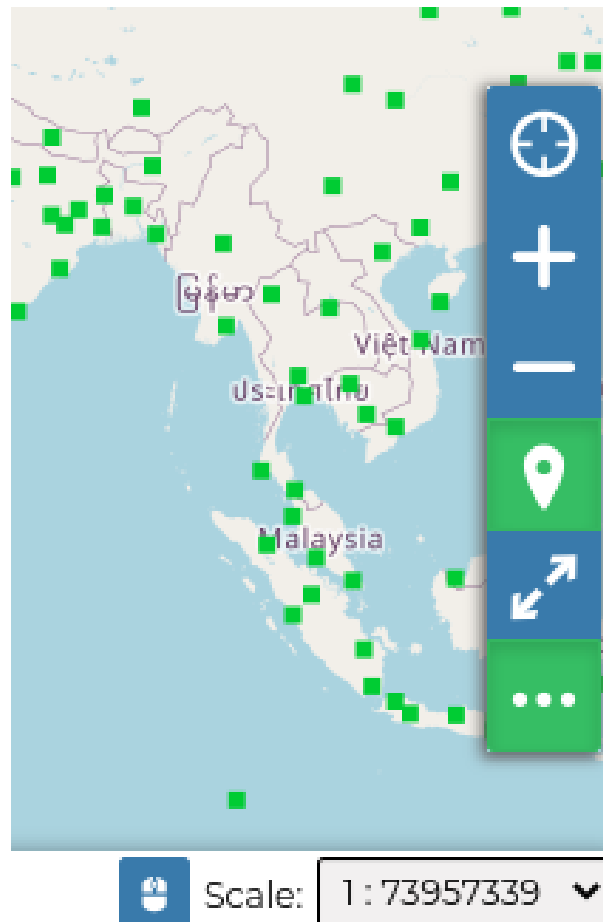
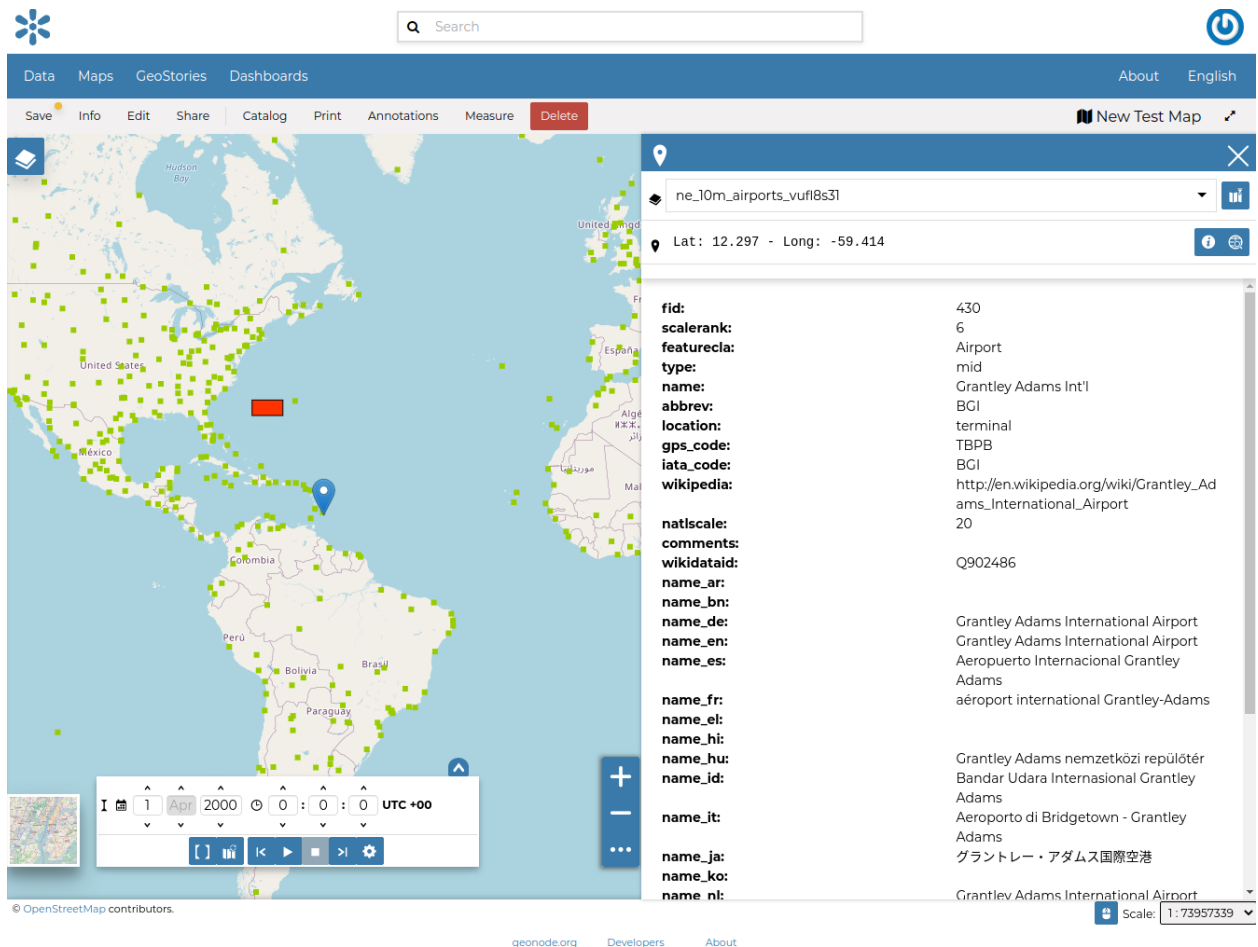


Fig. 159: *The Expanded Sidebar*

Fig. 160: *Querying Objects on map*

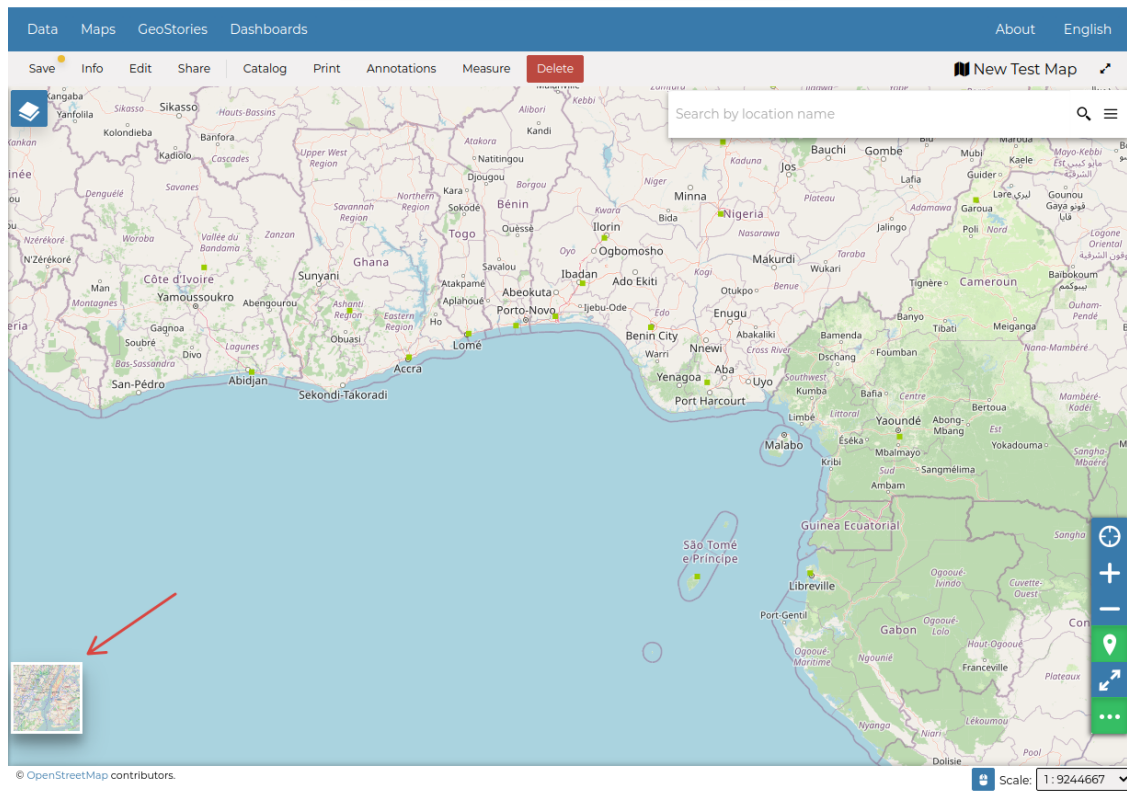


Fig. 161: *The Basemap Switcher Tool*

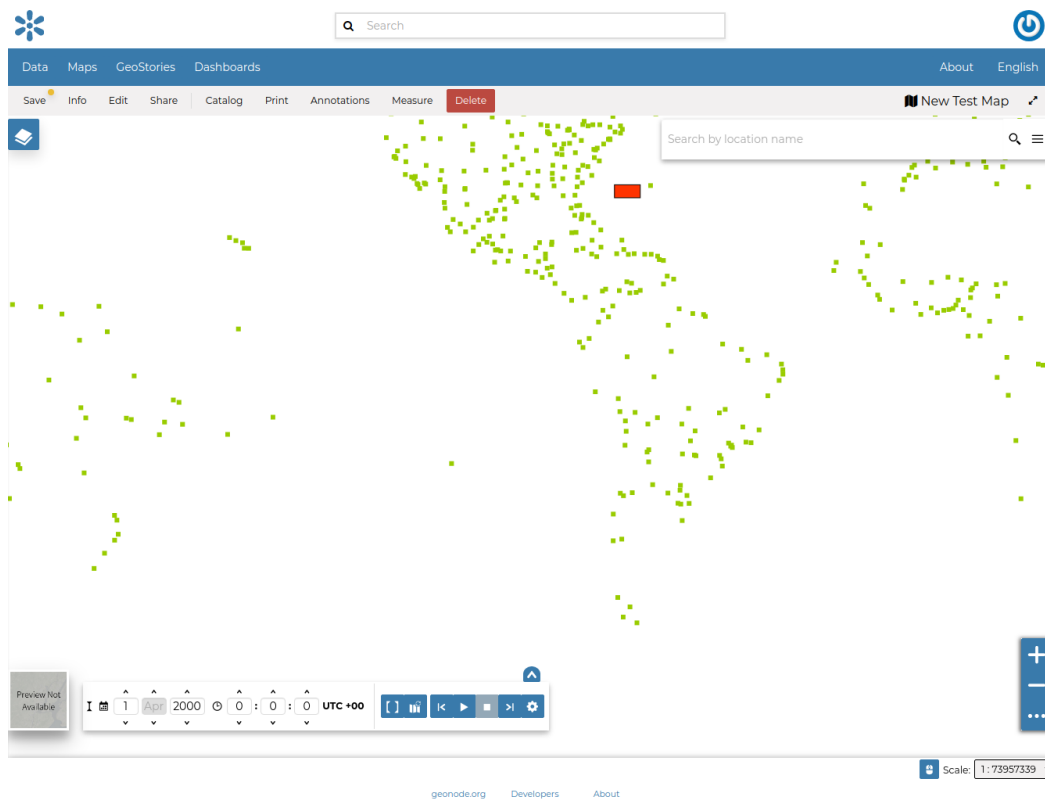
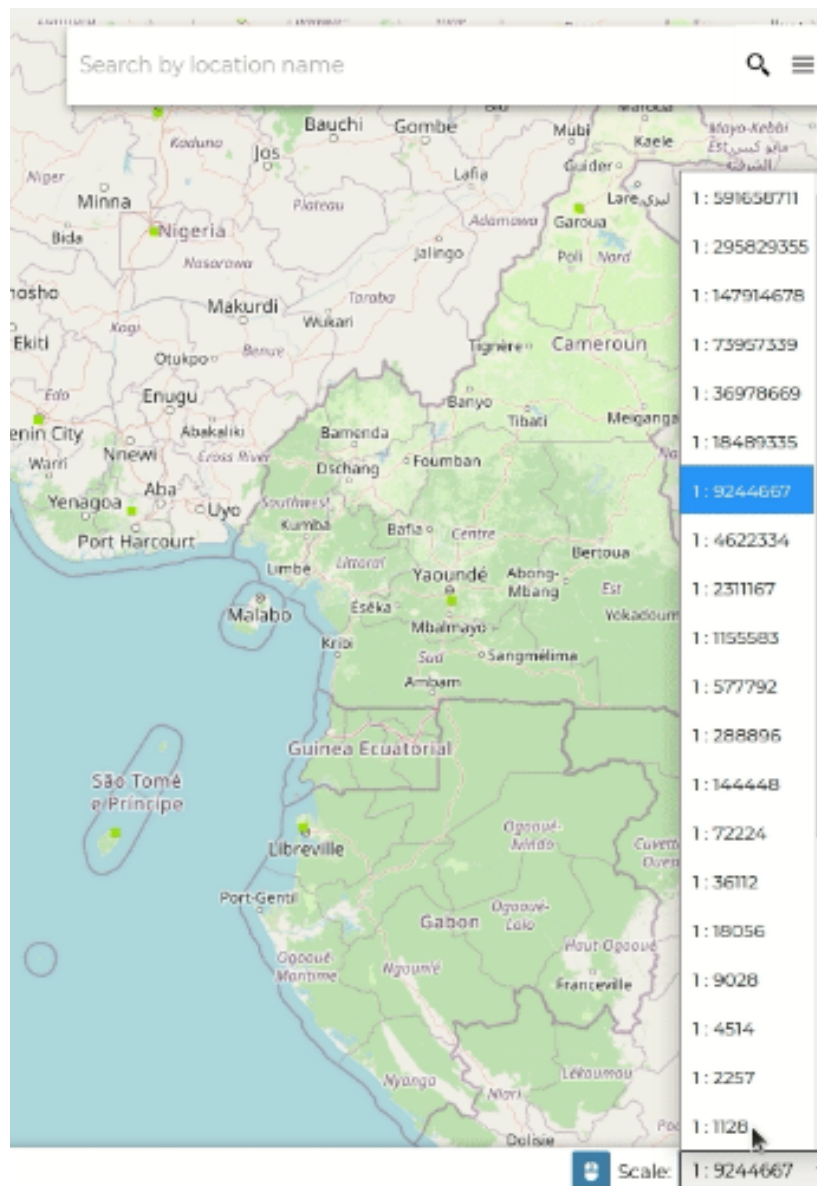
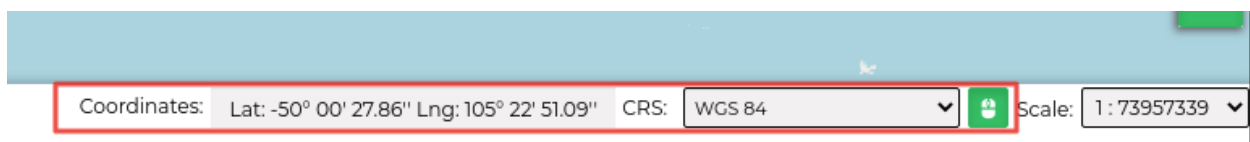


Fig. 162: *Switching the Basemap*

Fig. 163: *The Map Scale*Fig. 164: *The Pointer Coordinates and the CRS*

1.10.7 Publishing Data

In GeoNode, each resource can be published in order to share it with other people.

In order to publish a map, document or dataset or any other Geonode resource, Go to the settings tab in the Metadata Edit form, The check for publishing and unpublishing is available. See picture below.

The screenshot shows the 'Metadata for New Test Map' form. At the top, there is a search bar and a navigation menu with links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, Dashboards, About, and English. The 'Settings' tab is selected, showing the 'Publishing' section with the following options:

- Metadata uploaded preserve ☐
- Approved ☒
- Is Published ☒
- Featured ☐

The 'Other Settings' section includes:

- Site URL:
- Featured Map URL:

A 'Completeness' bar at the top right indicates 50% completion, with a note to 'Check Schema mandatory fields'. An 'Advanced Metadata' button is also visible.

Fig. 165: Resource publishing

Click :guilabel: *Update* to save the changes.

1.10.8 Using GeoNode with Other Applications

Your GeoNode project is based on core components which are interoperable and as such, it is straightforward for you to integrate with external applications and services. This section will walk you through how to connect to your GeoNode instance from other applications and how to integrate other services into your GeoNode project. When complete, you should have a good idea about the possibilities for integration, and have basic knowledge about how to accomplish it. You may find it necessary to dive deeper into how to do more complex integration in order to accomplish your goals, but you should feel comfortable with the basics, and feel confident reaching out to the wider GeoNode community for help.

QGIS Desktop

QGIS is a professional GIS application that is built on top of and proud to be itself Free and Open Source Software (FOSS). QGIS is a volunteer driven project if you are interested you can find more information at <https://www.qgis.org>.

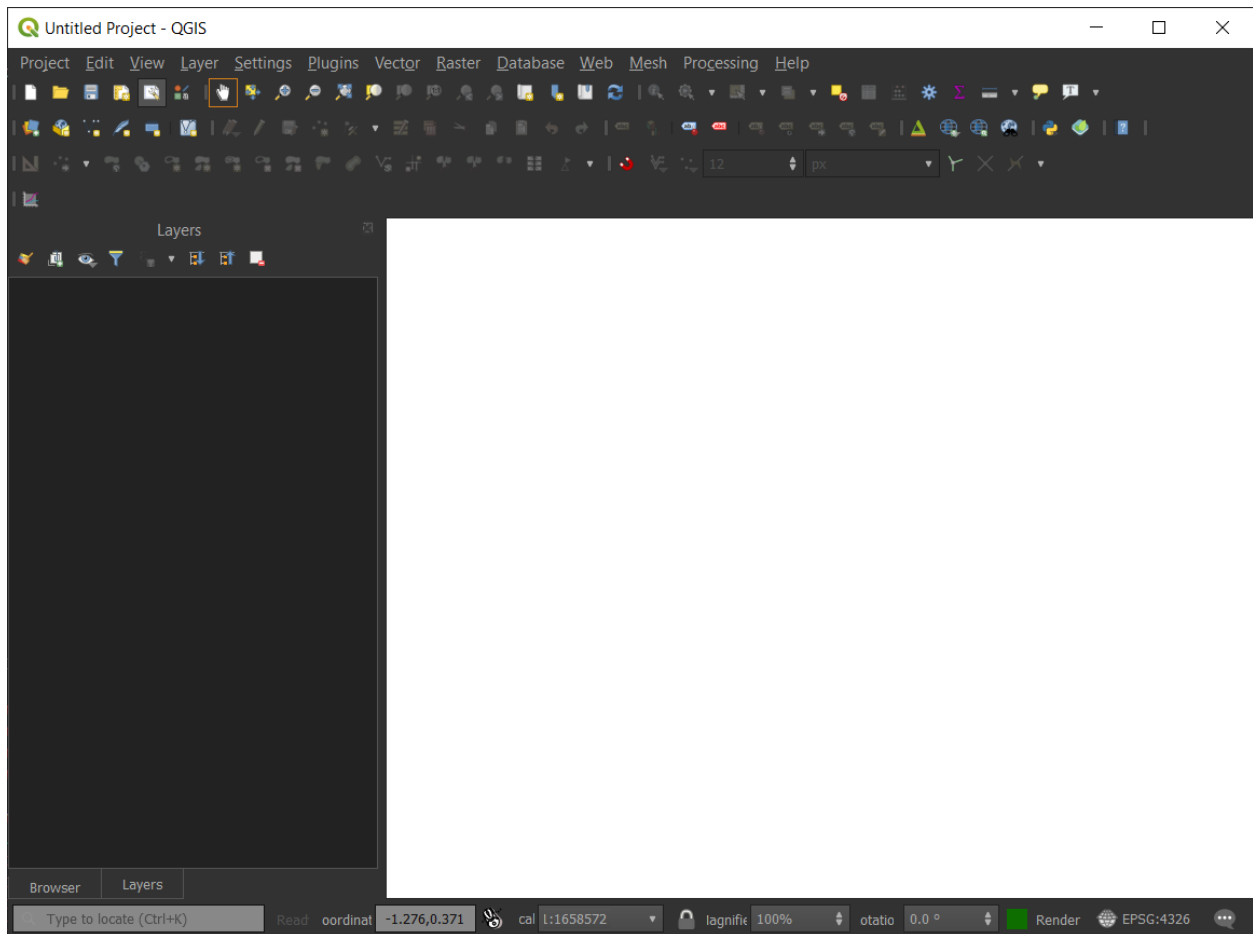


Fig. 166: *QGIS Desktop Main Window*

How can I connect to Geonode?

Open QGIS Desktop and go to **Layer Menu > Data Source Manager**. At the bottom of Data Source Manager, you can see a tab with the name and an icon related to Geonode. This is because Geonode is recognized as a data source inside QGIS.

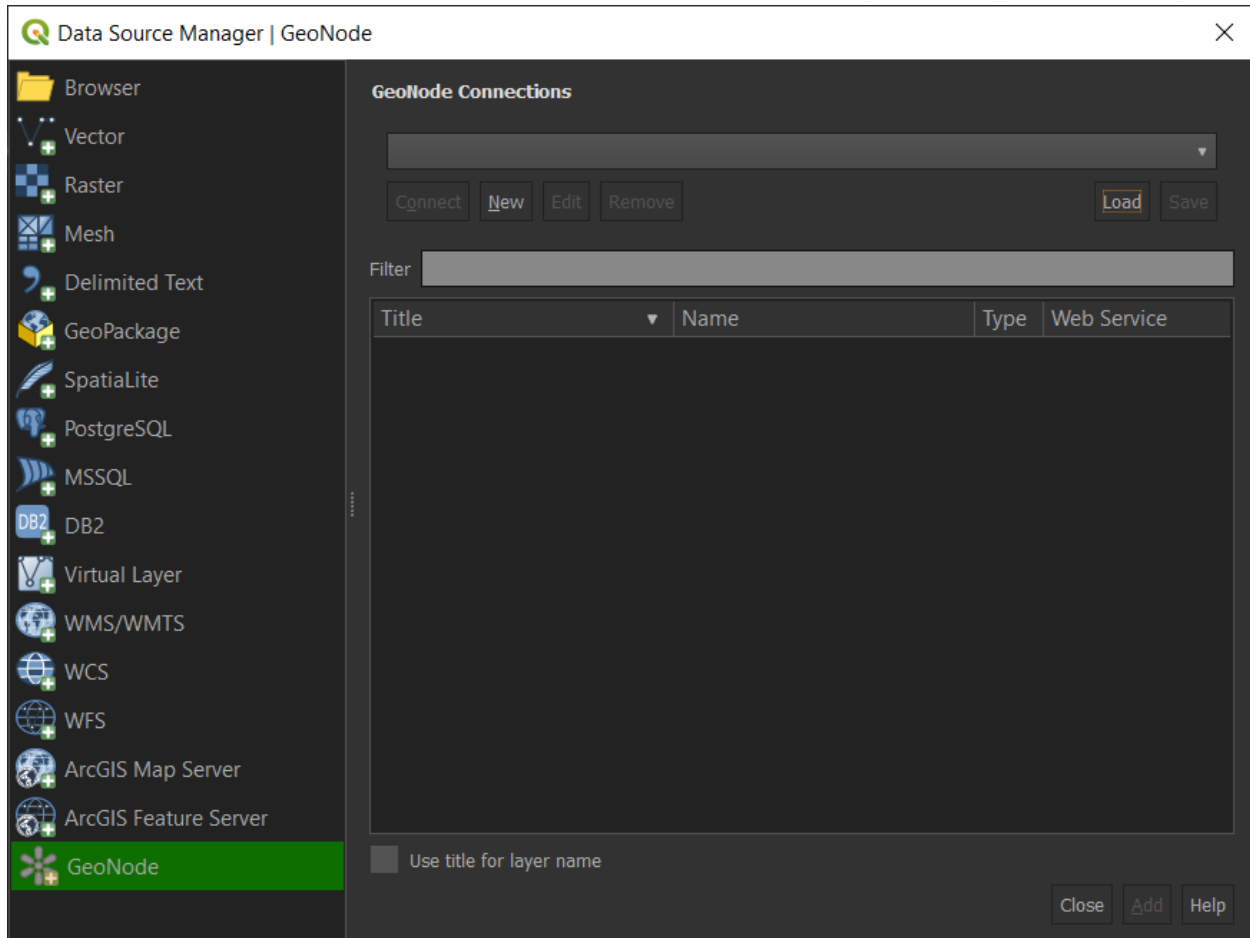


Fig. 167: Data Source Manager Dialog

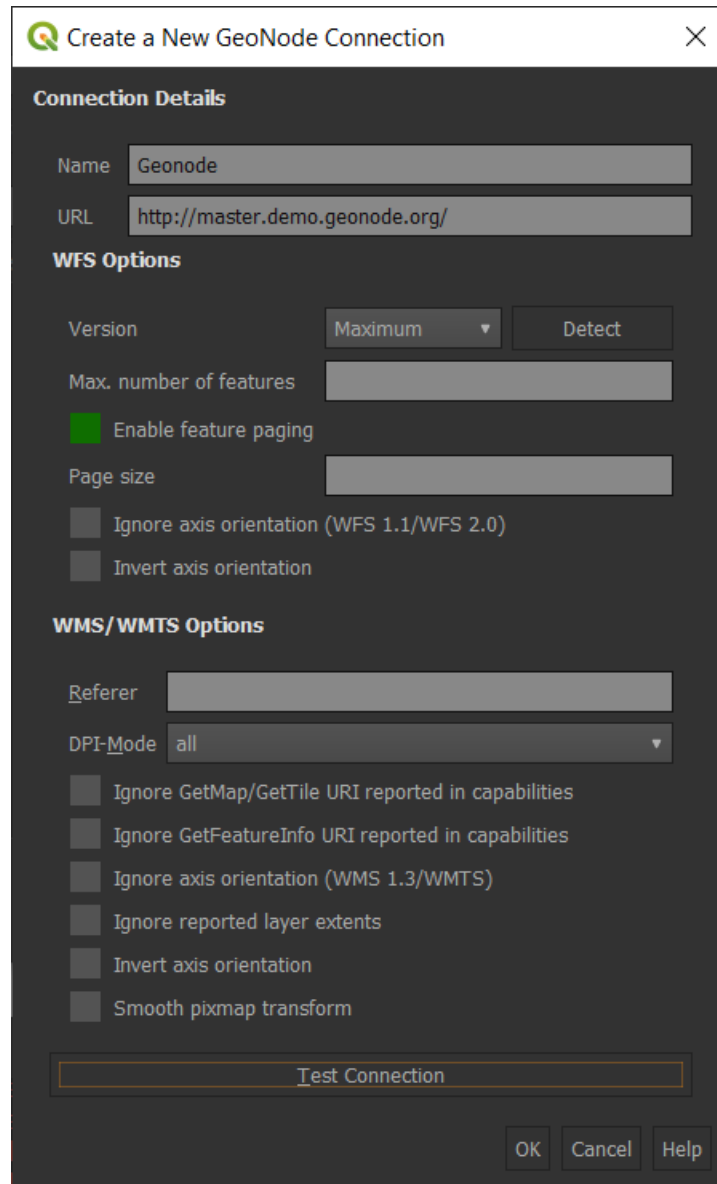
Note: It's possible as well load Geonode instances from an existence file this is useful to share between users or to backup existence connections.

To add a new Geonode instance, in the Geonode tab selected click on **New** and you will see the following dialog:

In the dialog Fill the name as you like and in the URL put the link of the Geonode instance. It's possible edit some WFS and WMS options to optimize the connection. If everything is ok you will receive the following successful connection dialog:

After the successful dialog it's now possible to load all layers of the Geonode instance clicking on **Connect** button. You can see both WMS and WFS connections of the Geonode and you can load to QGIS Desktop.

After select a layer (WMS or WFS) click on the **Add** button and the layer will be displayed in the main window of QGIS.



The dialog box is titled "Create a New GeoNode Connection" and contains the following sections:

- Connection Details**
 - Name:
 - URL:
- WFS Options**
 - Version:
 - Max. number of features:
 - ☒ Enable feature paging
 - Page size:
 - ☐ Ignore axis orientation (WFS 1.1/WFS 2.0)
 - ☐ Invert axis orientation
- WMS/WMTS Options**
 - Referer:
 - DPI-Mode:
 - ☐ Ignore GetMap/GetTile URI reported in capabilities
 - ☐ Ignore GetFeatureInfo URI reported in capabilities
 - ☐ Ignore axis orientation (WMS 1.3/WMTS)
 - ☐ Ignore reported layer extents
 - ☐ Invert axis orientation
 - ☐ Smooth pixmap transform

At the bottom, there is a button and a group of , , and buttons.

Fig. 168: *Details of Geonode instance Dialog*

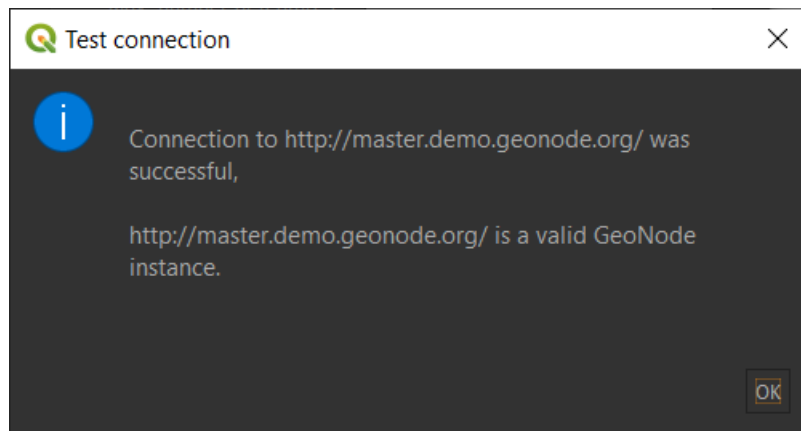


Fig. 169: Successful connection Dialog

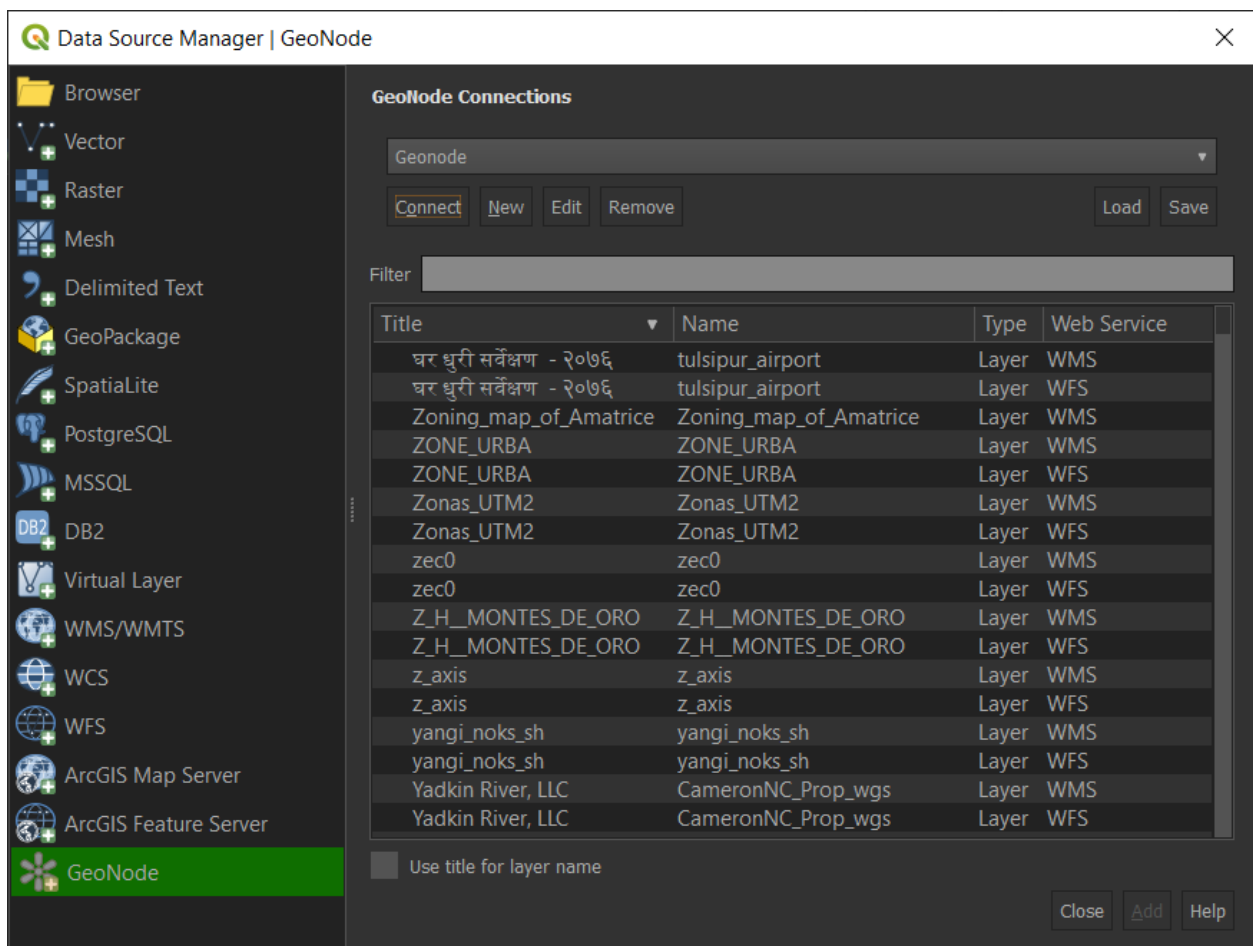


Fig. 170: Geonode instance layers Dialog

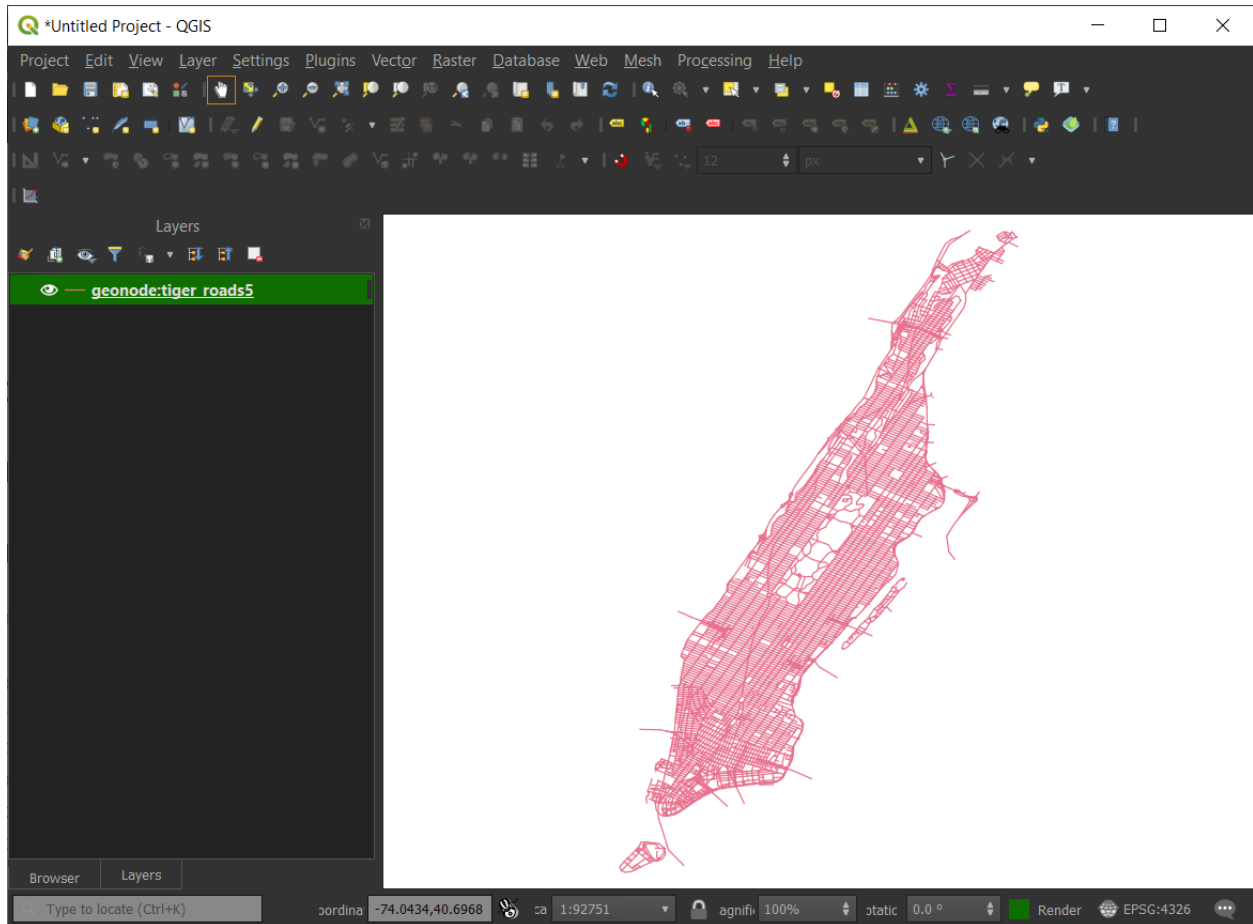


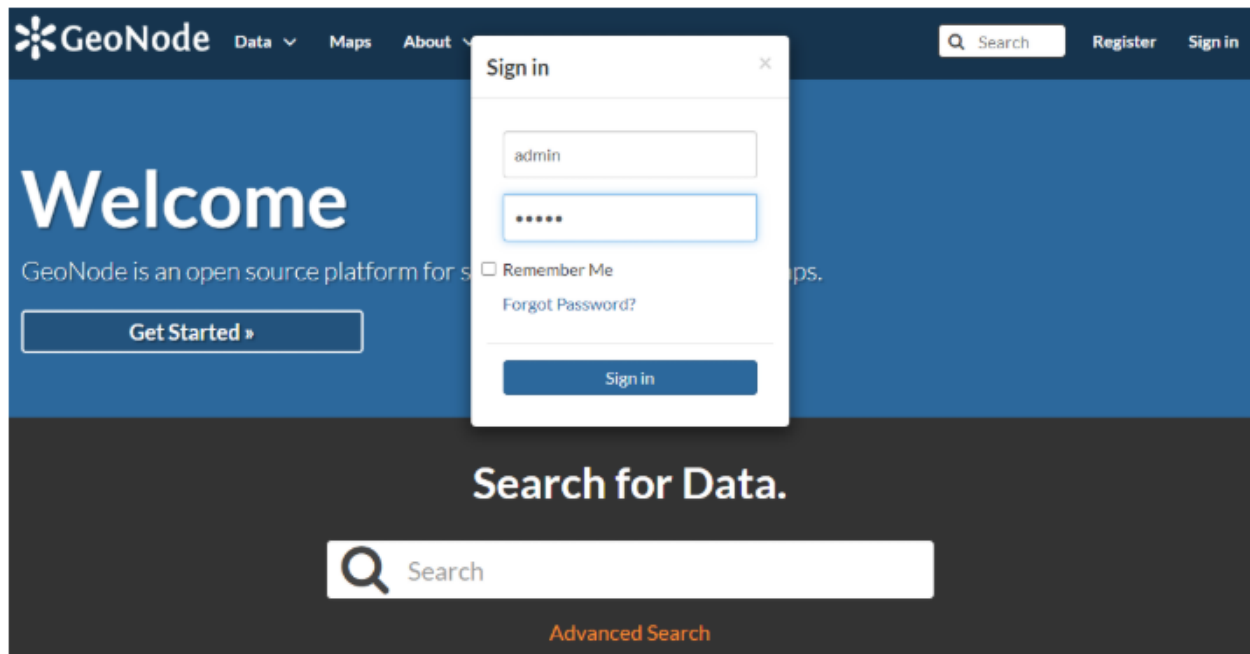
Fig. 171: Example of Geonode layer

Warning: This procedure only work with public layers. If the layers are for private use is necessary to do the standard qgis add remote WMS/WFS layers (through **Data Source Manager**) along with basic auth method and specific endpoints.

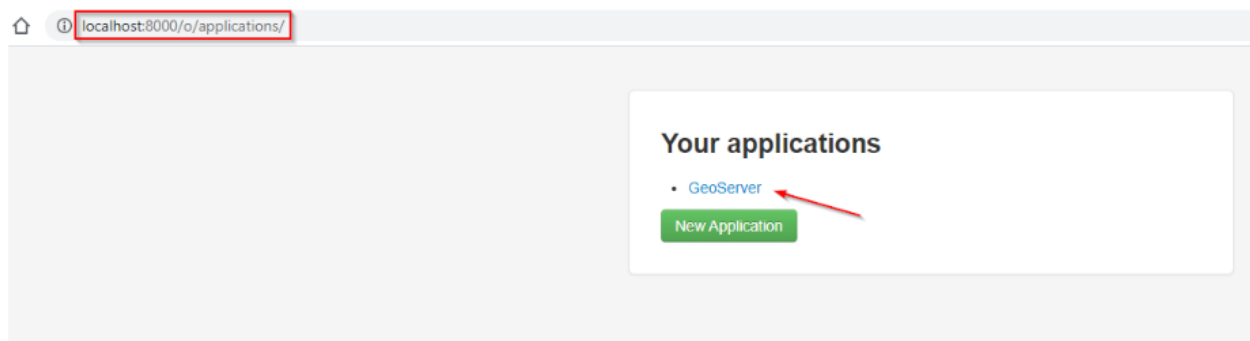
Connect to Private layers by using OAuth2

GeoNode OAuth2 Client App Setup

Login to GeoNode as a superuser



Browse to `http://<geonode>/o/applications/`

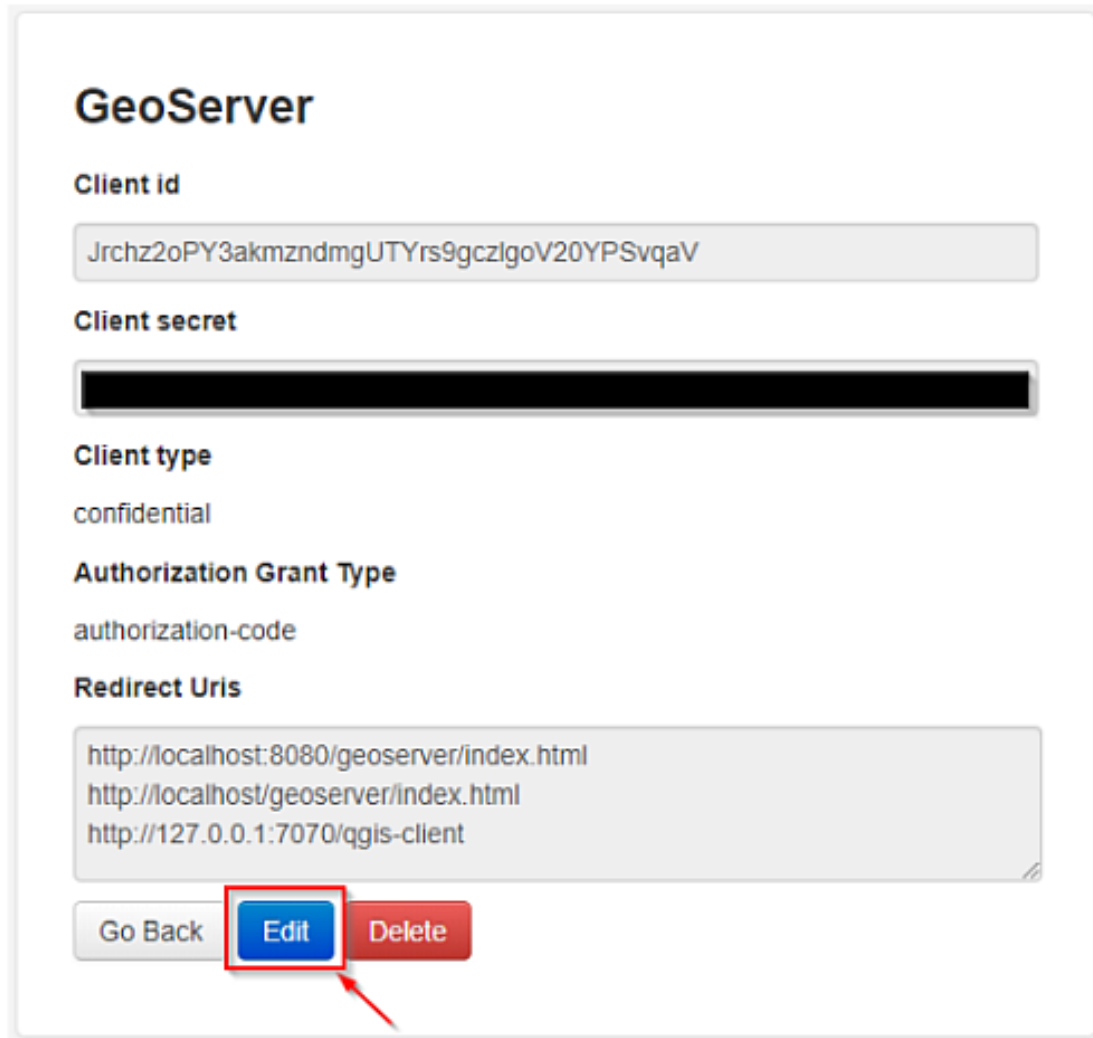


Create a new specific app or, better, edit the existing one (“GeoServer”) based on [OAuth2 Authorization Code Grant Type](#)

Click on “Edit” and add the Redirect URI `http://127.0.0.1:7070/qgis-client` as shown below

Note: This is an example. The port and path of the URI can be customized. They must be the same on both GeoNode

and QGIS Client as shown later.



GeoServer

Client id

Jrchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gcZlgoV20YPSvqaV

Client secret

[Redacted]

Client type

confidential

Authorization Grant Type

authorization-code

Redirect Uris

http://localhost:8080/geoserver/index.html
http://localhost/geoserver/index.html
http://127.0.0.1:7070/qgis-client

Go Back Edit Delete

Also you will need the *Client ID* and *Client Secret* keys later when configuring QGIS.

Configure QGIS Desktop Client OAuth2 Authentication

Open the QGIS Desktop Client and add a new OWS remote Layer configuration

Create a new service connection

Provide the connection details

Note: *It is Important that the URL ends with /gs/ows*

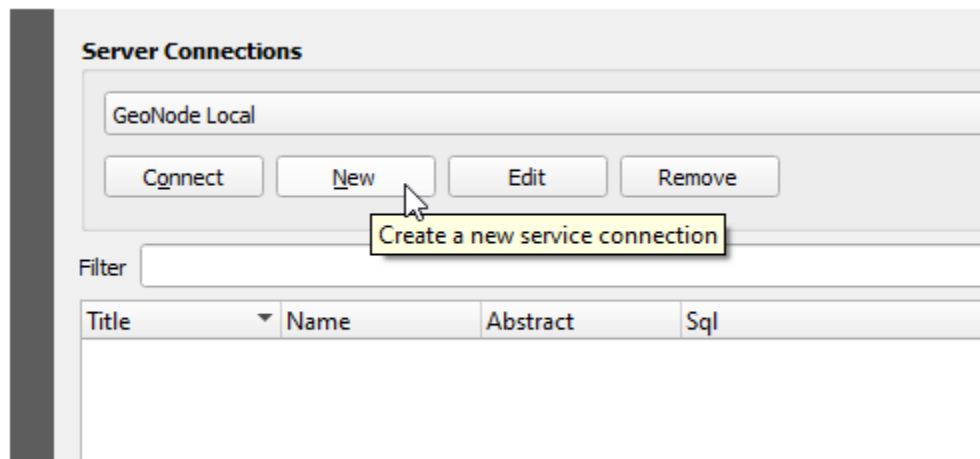
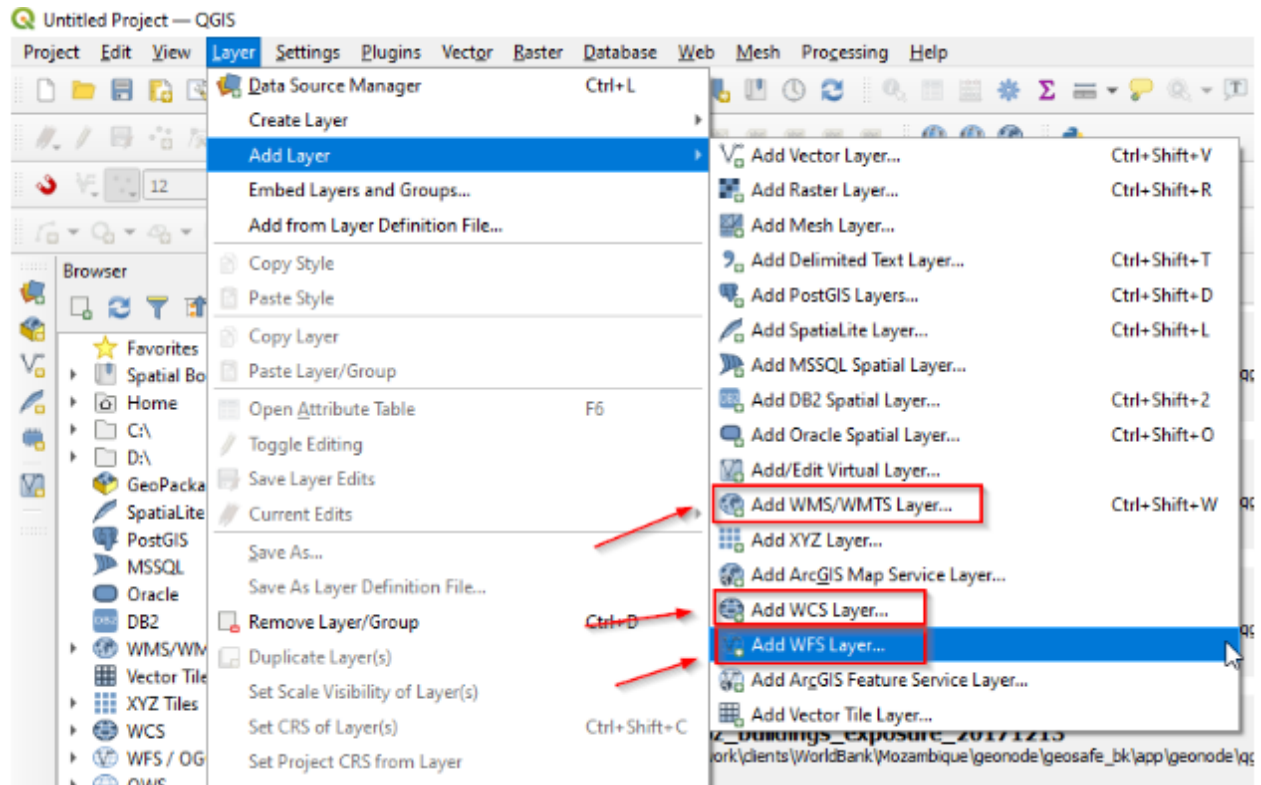
When finished click on “+” in order to add a new auth configuration

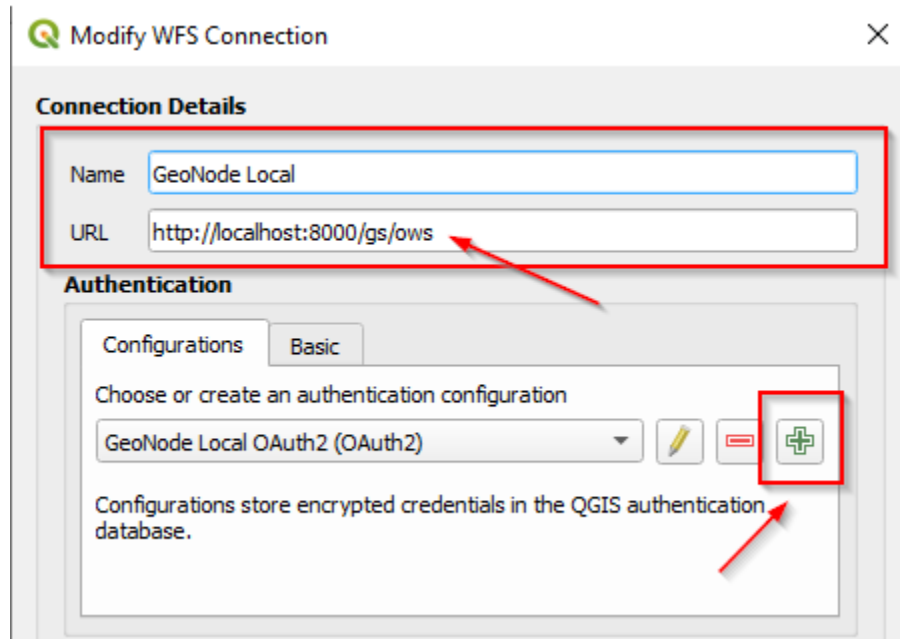
Provide the needed information as shown below:

- Name: *any descriptive string*

Edit application GeoServer

Name	<input type="text" value="GeoServer"/>
Client id	<input type="text" value="Jrchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gc"/>
Client secret	<input type="password" value="*****"/>
Client type	<input type="text" value="Confidential"/>
Authorization grant type	<input type="text" value="Authorization code"/>
Redirect uris	<div><input type="text" value="http://localhost:8080/geoserver/index.html"/> <input type="text" value="http://localhost/geoserver/index.html"/> <input type="text" value="http://127.0.0.1:7070/qgis-client"/></div>
Algorithm	<input type="text" value="RSA with SHA-2 256"/>
<div><input type="button" value="Go Back"/> <input type="button" value="Save"/></div>	





- Type: *OAuth2 authentication*
- Grant Flow: *Authorization Code*
- Request URL: *must end with /o/authorize/*
- Token URL and Refresh URL: *must end with /o/token/*
- Redirect URL: *must match with the one defined on GeoNode above*
- Client ID and Client Secret: *must match with the one defined on GeoNode above*
- Scopes: *openid write*
- Enable the persistent Token Session via Headers

Save and click on “Connect”. QGIS will redirect you on a browser page asking to GeoNode to authenticate. Approve the Claims and go back to QGIS.

Remove Saved Token Sessions From QGIS and Login with another User

Edit the QGIS configuration

Click on the “pencil”

Clean up the saved *Tokens* and save

Try to connect again.

Authentication

Name: GeoNode Local OAuth2 Id: oopz0v0

Resource: Optional URL resource

OAuth2 authentication

Configure Defined Software Statement Tokens

Grant Flow: Authorization Code

Description:

Request URL: http://localhost:8000/o/authorize/

Token URL: http://localhost:8000/o/token/

Refresh Token URL: http://localhost:8000/o/token/

Redirect URL: http://127.0.0.1: 7070 /qgis-client

Client ID: 3rchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gcZgoV20YPSvqaV

Client Secret:

Scope: openid write

API Key: Optional

Advanced

Token Session: ☒ Persist between launches

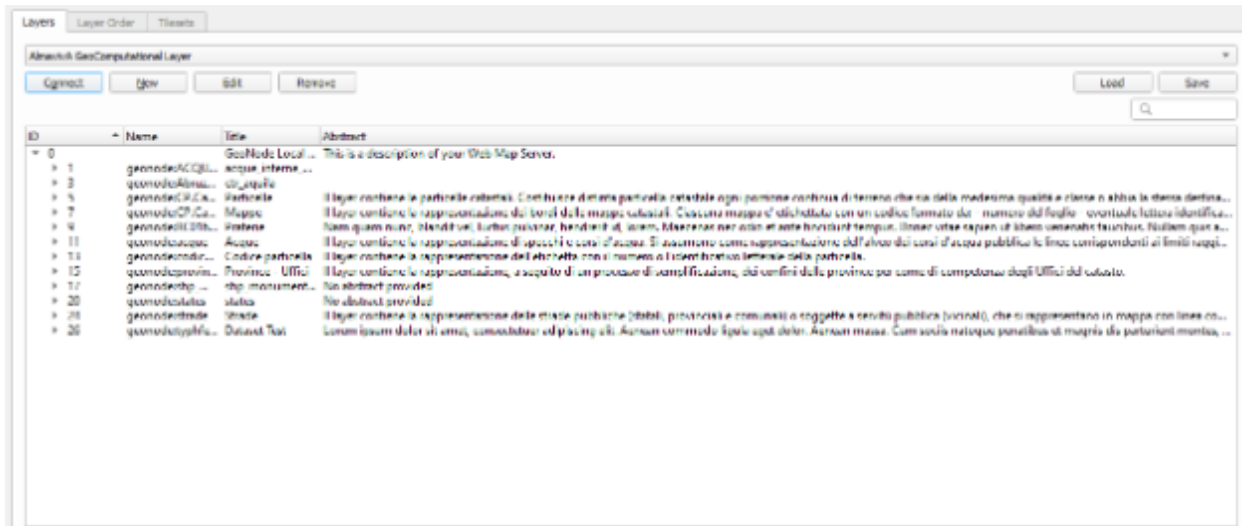
Access Method: Header

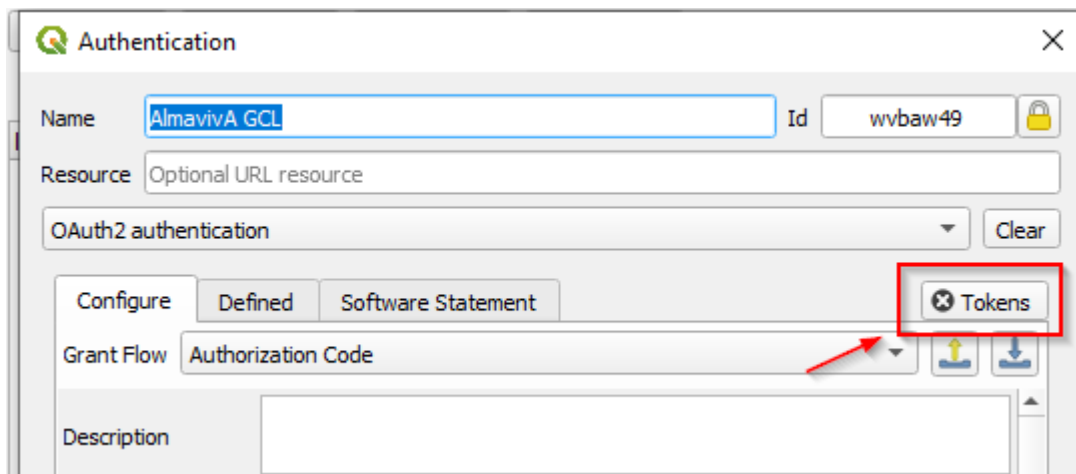
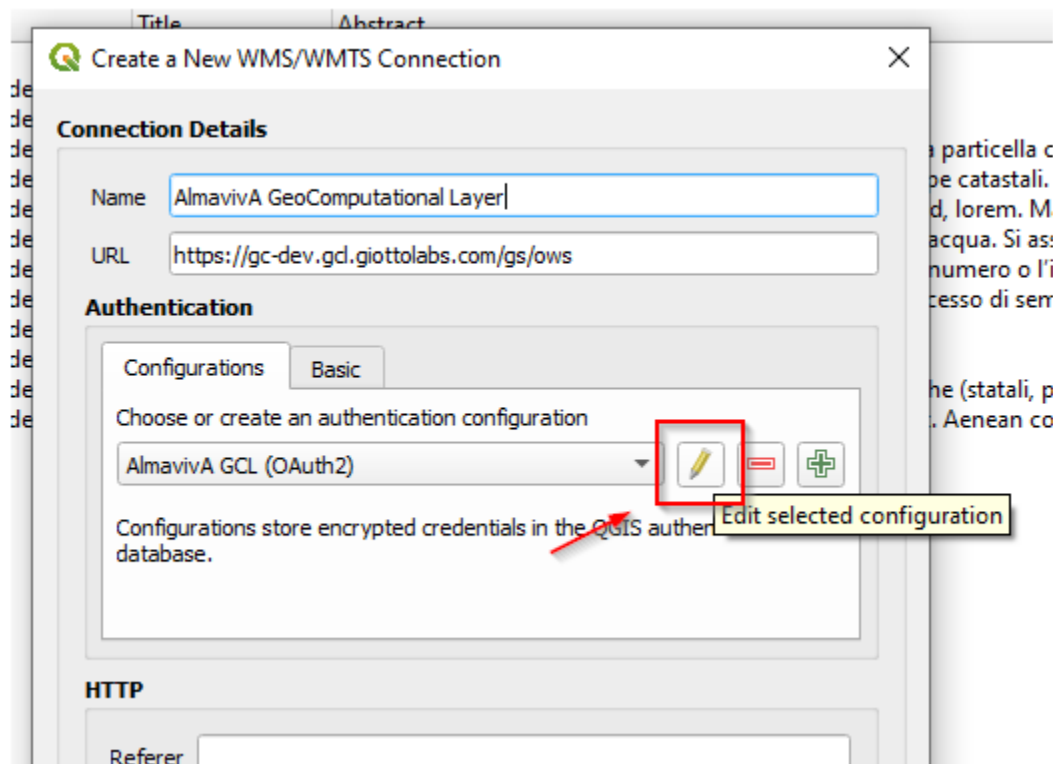
Request Timeout: 30 seconds

► Extra initial request parameters

Note: Saving writes directly to authentication database

Reset Save Cancel





GeoStory

GeoStory is a MapStore tool integrated in GeoNode that provides the user a way to create inspiring and immersive stories by combining text, interactive maps, and other multimedia content like images and video or other third party contents. Through this tool you can simply tell your stories on the web and then publish and share them with different groups of GeoNode users or make them public to everyone around the world.

To build a new GeoStory go to *Create new* option on the resource page and choose option *Create geostory*.

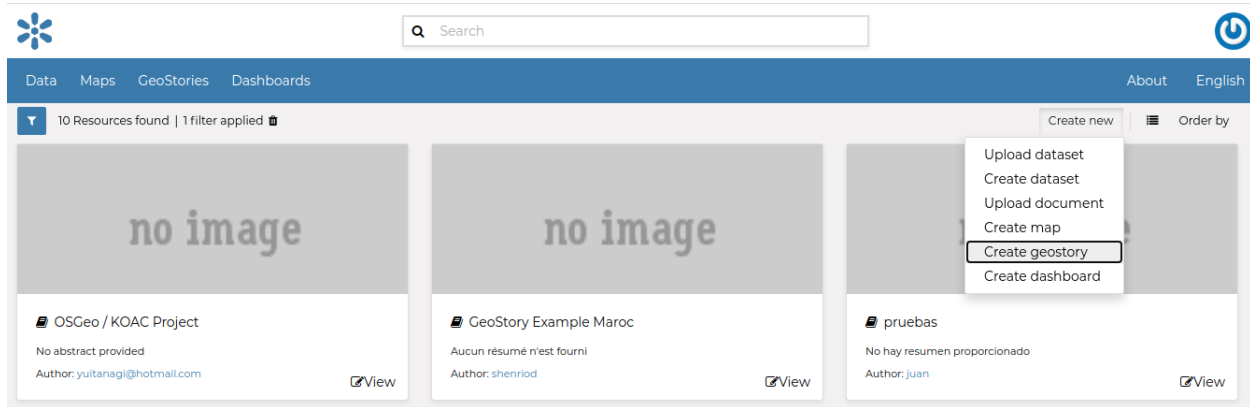


Fig. 172: New GeoStory Apps option

Now you landed on the GeoStory edition page that is composed of the following sections:

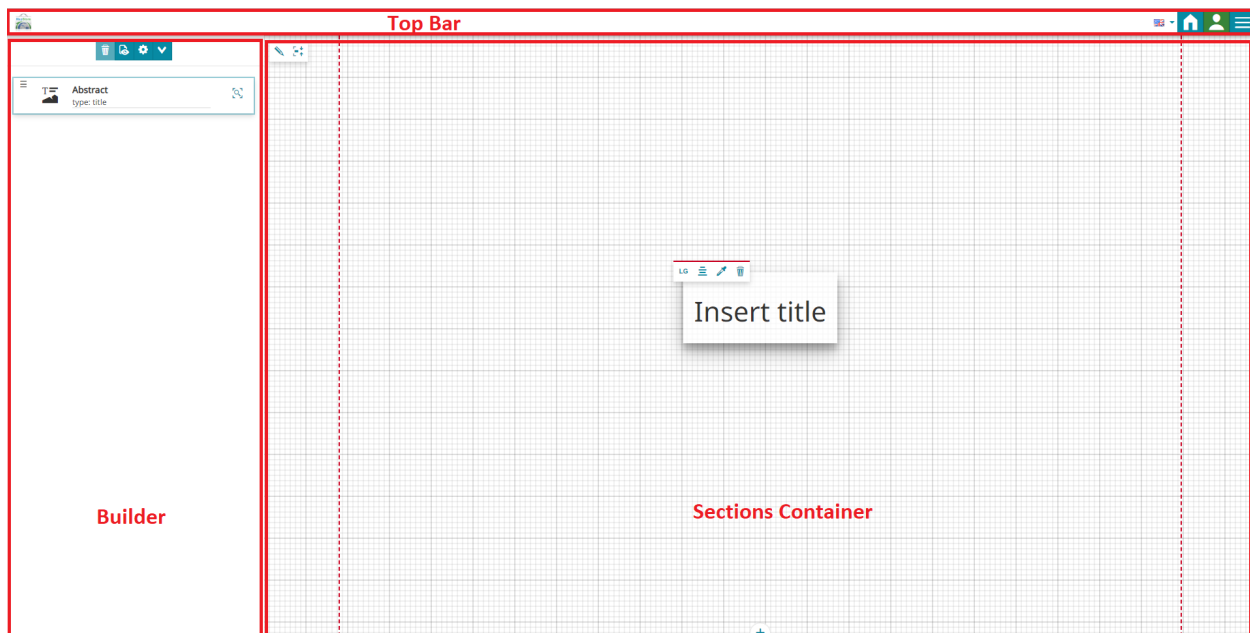

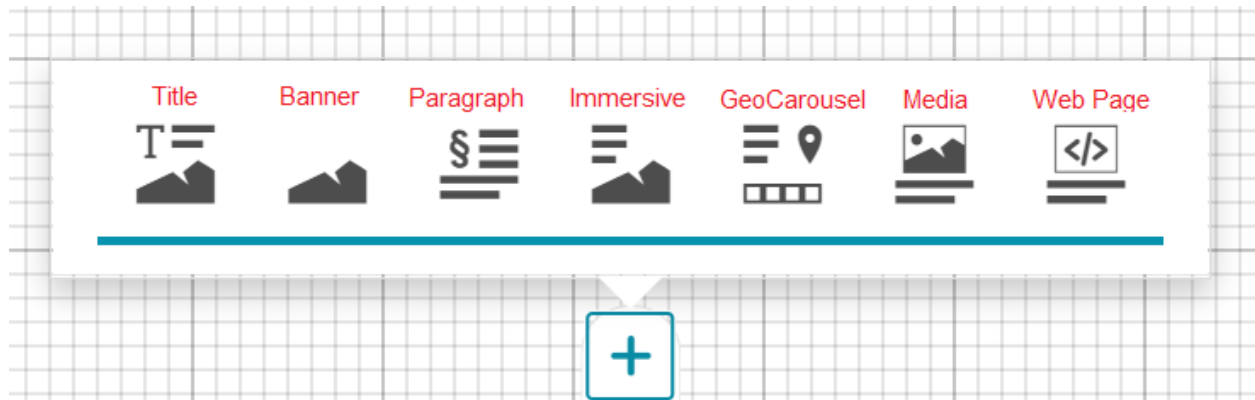


Fig. 173: New GeoStory Apps option

The GeoStory content is organized in Sections, that can be added with the  button in the *Container* area. In particular, the user can add to the story the following kind of sections:


Fig. 174: *GeoStory Sections Types*

For more information on these specific section please follow the official MapStore documentation:

- Title Section
- Banner Section
- Paragraph Section
- Immersive Section
- Media Section
- Web Page Section

Add GeoNode content to GeoStory

With GeoNode you can add content to your GeoStory using internal GeoNode documents and maps as well external sources. This ability to add internal GeoNode content makes the GeoStory creation a very usefull feature.

To add GeoNode content to your GeoStory use the  button on top of your GeoStory section.

From here you can add *Images*, *Videos* and *Maps*. To enable GeoNode internal catalog, on *Services* dropdown choose *GeoNode* as shown in picture down. On the left you get a list of media documents available with a complementary text filter feature on top.

To save your GeoStory, on the top your Geostory content choose *Save* and then *Save as...*

Now your GeoStory can be shared with everyone!

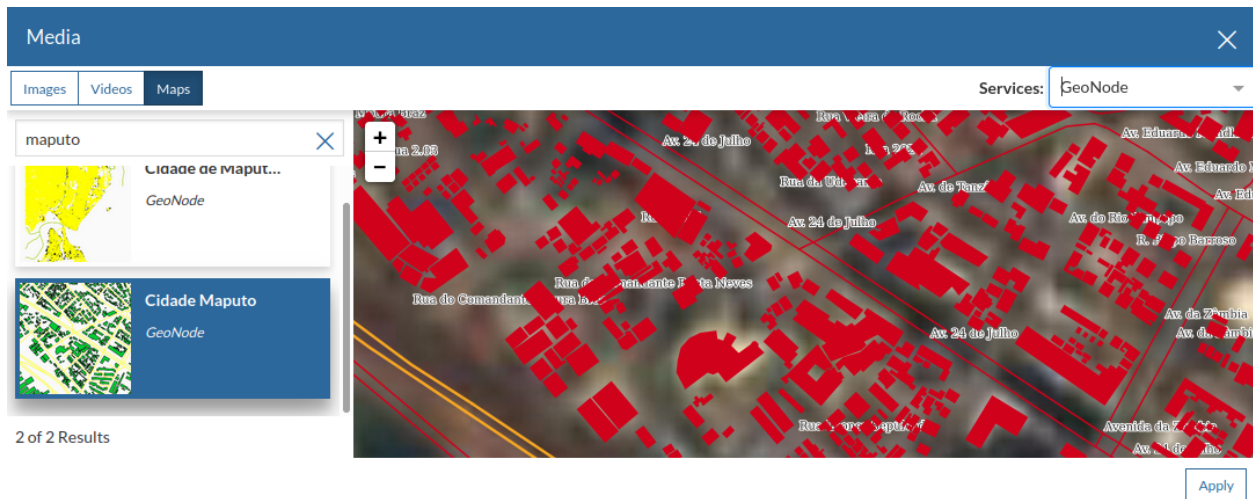


Fig. 175: Add Media to GeoStory

Further Reading

Follow the link below to get more detailed information about the usage of GeoStory.

[GeoStory Documentation](#)

Dashboard

Dashboard is a MapStore tool integrated in GeoNode that provides the user with a space to add many Widgets, such as charts, maps, tables, texts and counters, and can create connections between them in order to:

- Provide an overview to better visualize a specific data context
- Interact spatially and analytically with the data by creating connections between widgets
- Perform analysis on involved data/layers

To build a new Dashboard go to *Create new* option on the resource page and choose option *Create dashboard*.

Now you landed on the Dashboard edition page that is composed of the following sections:

Further Reading

Follow the link below to get more detailed information about the usage of Dashboard.

[Dashboard Documentation](#)

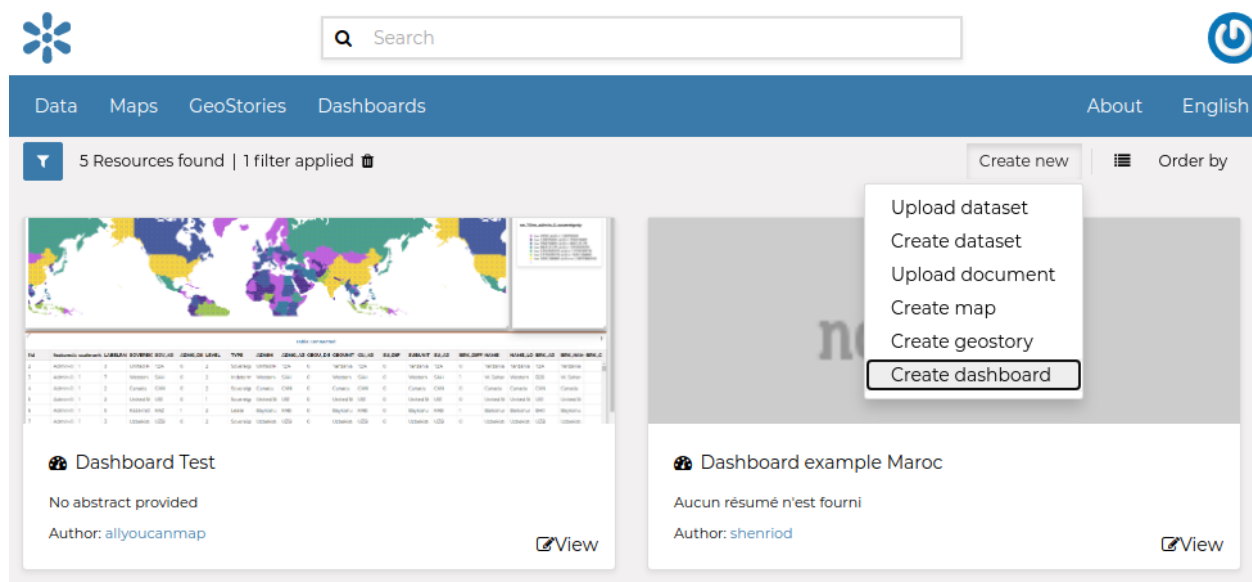


Fig. 176: New Dashboard Apps option

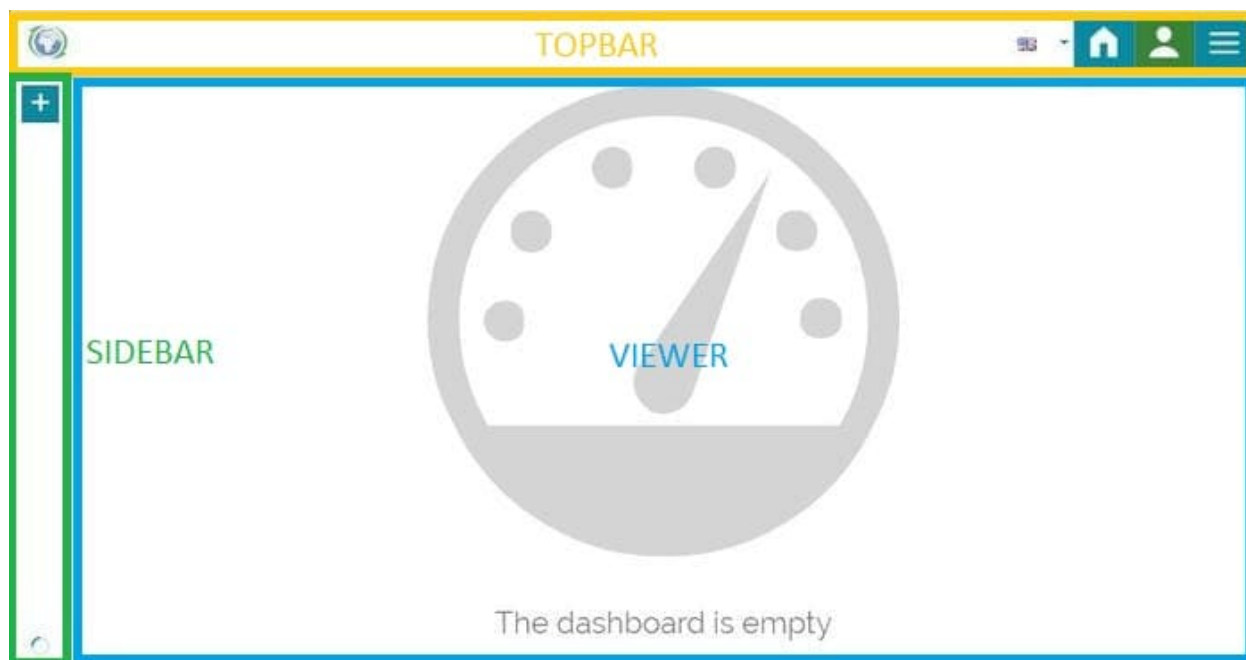


Fig. 177: New Dashboard Apps option

1.10.9 Dynamic Extra Metadata

In GeoNode is possible to add metadata to each resource dynamically without extending the base model provided by the application using the extra metadata field.

Settings

Three main settings control the extra metadata field:

DEFAULT_EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA: define the schema used to store the metadata

- *id*: (optional int): the identifier of the metadata. Optional for creation, required in the Upgrade phase
- *filter_header*: (required object): Can be any type, is used to generate the facet filter header. Is also an identifier.
- *field_name*: (required object): name of the metadata field
- *field_label*: (required object): a verbose string of the name. Is used as a label in the facet filters.
- *field_value*: (required object): metadata values

An example of metadata that can be ingested is the following:

```
[
  {
    "filter_header": "Bike Brand",
    "field_name": "name",
    "field_label": "Bike Name",
    "field_value": "KTM",
  },
  {
    "filter_header": "Bike Brand",
    "field_name": "name",
    "field_label": "Bike Name",
    "field_value": "Bianchi",
  }
]
```

The above schema is valid by using the *schema* <<https://github.com/keleshev/schema>>

CUSTOM_METADATA_SCHEMA: environment variable used to inject additional schema to the default one. Helpful for third-party libraries

EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA: used to get the expected metadata schema for each resource_type.

Metadata manipulation

There are two possible ways to manipulate extra metadata in geonode:

- via Metadata Editor (Wizard and advanced)
- via Rest API

Metadata Editor (wizard/advanced):

The metadata section is placed under the OPTIONAL METADATA section available for all the GeoNode resources.

The metadata must follow two specific rules to save to the resource:

- Must always be a list of JSON. This permits to add of more than one metadata for each resource
- The JSON must follow the schema defined in the *settings.py* for the selected resource.

For example, for my document resource, I can have something like the following:



Fig. 178: *Advanced edit wizard menu*

After pressing the save button, the system will perform the following checks:

- Check if the text provided is a valid JSON. In case of wrong format input, the following error is shown:
- Check if the metadata schema is provided for the resource if not will raise the following error
- Check if the metadata schema is coherent with the schema defined in the settings. In case of wrong format input, the error will print the missing JSON keys

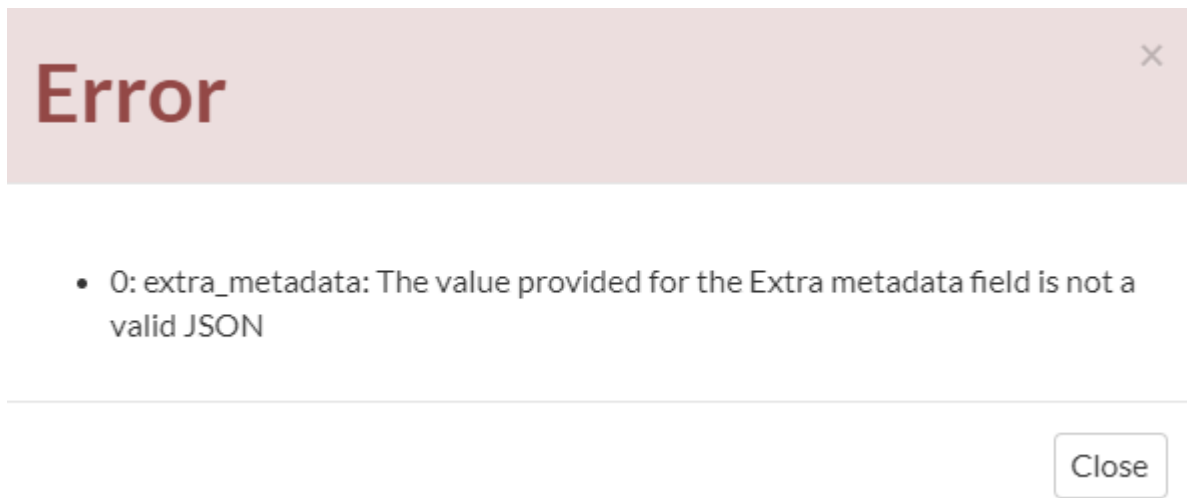


Fig. 179: *invalid JSON error*

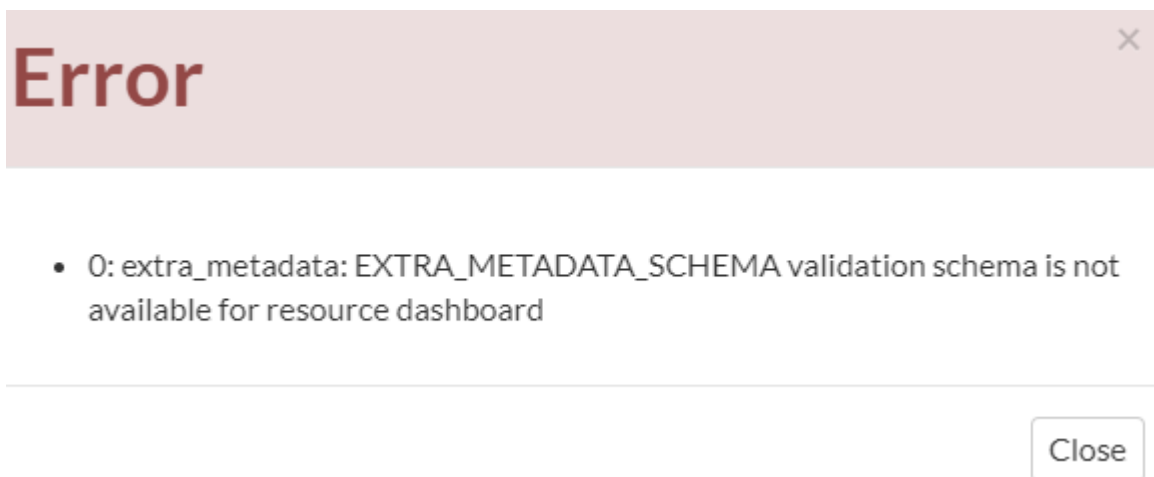
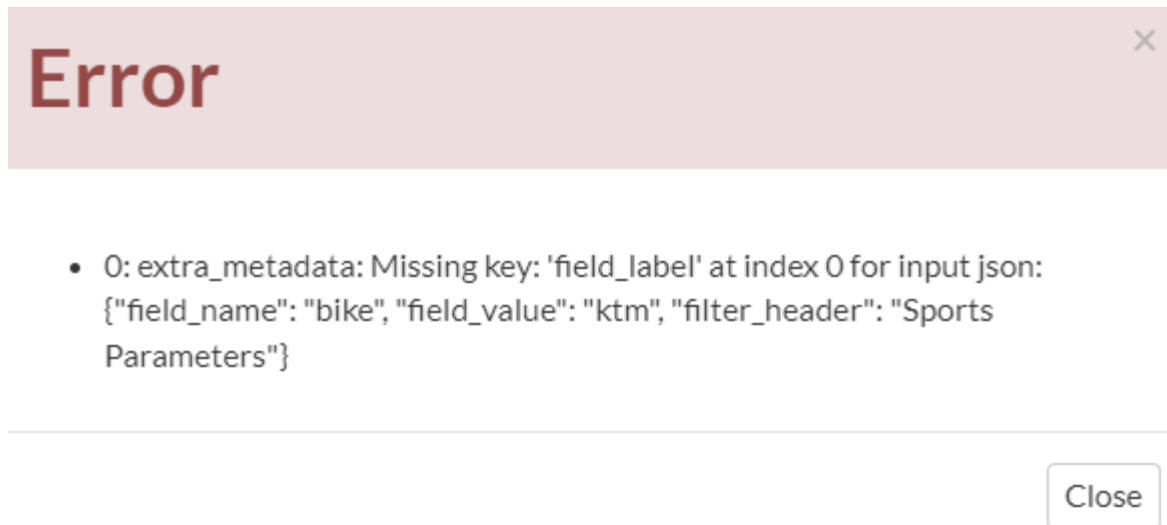


Fig. 180: *missing schema error*

Fig. 181: *invalid schema error*

Facet Filtering

Automatically the web interface will create dynamically the facets if there is at least 1 metadata defined for the resource.

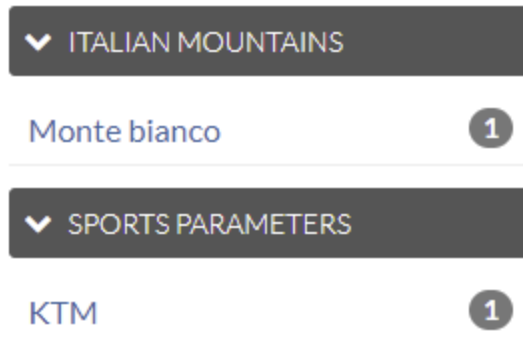
Suppose that a resource have the following metadata:

```
[
  {
    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM",
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  },
  {
    "field_name": "mountain",
    "field_label": "Monte bianco",
    "field_value": "monte_bianco",
    "filter_header": "Italian Mountains"
  }
]
```

By default GeoNode will convert this metadata info in facets available for the resource

The facet will convert: - *filter_header*: used as the header filter - *field_value*: used to perform the search - *field_name*: used for calculate the unique values (along with *field_value*)

After says that, the facet will be the follow:



Rest API

The `api/v2/resources` endpoint provide different ways to handle the metadata.

GET:

Get the metadata list of the selected resource

URL: `http://host/api/v2/resources/{resource_id}/extra_metadata`

Response:

```
[
  {
    "id": 1,
    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM",
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  }
]
```

POST:

Adding new metadata to the resource

URL: `http://host/api/v2/resources/{resource_id}/extra_metadata`

```
data = [
  {
    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM",
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  }
]
```

Response:

status_code: 201

response json: List of the available metadata for the resource

```
[
  {
    "id": 1,
```

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```

    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM",
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  }
]

```

PUT:

Update specific metadata for the selected resource. In this case the metadata **ID** is required to perform the update

```

http://host/api/v2/resources/{resource_id}/extra_metadata
payload:
[
  {
    "id": 1,
    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM - sport", <- this value need to be updated
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  }
]

```

Response:

status_code: 200

response: the available payload **for** the selected resource

```

[
  {
    "id": 1,
    "field_name": "bike",
    "field_label": "KTM - sport",
    "field_value": "ktm",
    "filter_header": "Sports Parameters"
  }
]

```

DELETE:

Delete the metadata for a given resource by *ID*.

```

http://host/api/v2/resources/{resource_id}/extra_metadata
payload: list of ID to be deleted
[
  1, 2, 3, 4, 5
]

```

Response:

status_code: 200

response: List of the available metadata

```
[ ]
```

API search

Is possible to search for resources with specific metadata. This feature is available for both API v1 and API v2

APIv1:

To perform the search is enough to add as query parameters the field of the metadata payload.

Assuming that the payload is the same as the example above, the URL could be something like the following:

`http://host/api/base/?metadata__field_category=bike`

In this way, we can retrieve all the resources that have at least 1 metadata with the `field_category = 'bike'`

APIv2

For the API v2 is a bit different since the library doesn't have a support for the JSON field.

To reproduce the same search above, we need to call a URL like the following one:

`http://localhost:8000/api/v2/resources?filter{metadata.metadata.contains}=%22field_category%22:%20%22bike%22`

In this way, we can retrieve all the resources that have at least 1 metadata with the `field_category = 'bike'`

1.11 GeoNode Basic Installation

1.11.1 Overview

The followings are the easiest and recommended ways to deploy a full-stack GeoNode server on your host.

1. **First Step:** Deploy *GeoNode* on a local server, running as `http://localhost/` service. *GeoServer* will be also available at `http://localhost/geoserver/`
2. **Second Step:** Deploy *GeoNode* on a production server, running as `https://my_geonode.geonode.org/` service. *GeoServer* will be also available at `https://my_geonode.geonode.org/geoserver/`
3. **Third Step:** Customize `.env` to match your needs
4. **Fourth Step:** Secure your production deployment; change the *admin* passwords and *OAuth2* keys
5. **Further Production Enhancements**

1.11.2 First Step: Deploy GeoNode on a local server (e.g.: `http://localhost/`)

Ubuntu (20.04)

Note: Recommended version 20.04 (Focal Fossa).

Packages Installation

First, we are going to install all the **system packages** needed for the GeoNode setup. Login to the target machine and execute the following commands:

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:ubuntugis/ppa
sudo apt update -y

sudo apt install -y python3-gdal=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2 gdal-bin=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
↳ libgdal-dev=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
sudo apt install -y python3-pip python3-dev python3-virtualenv python3-venv
↳ virtualenvwrapper
sudo apt install -y libxml2 libxml2-dev gettext
sudo apt install -y libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpng-dev libpq-dev
sudo apt install -y software-properties-common build-essential
sudo apt install -y git unzip gcc zlib1g-dev libgeos-dev libproj-dev
sudo apt install -y sqlite3 spatialite-bin libsqlite3-mod-spatialite
```

Docker Setup (First time only)

```
# install OS level packages..
sudo add-apt-repository universe
sudo apt-get update -y
sudo apt-get install -y git-core git-buildpackage debhelper devscripts python3.10-dev
↳ python3.10-venv virtualenvwrapper
sudo apt-get install -y apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl lsb-release gnupg gnupg-
↳ agent software-properties-common vim

# add docker repo and packages...
sudo mkdir -p /etc/apt/keyrings
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /etc/apt/
↳ keyrings/docker.gpg
sudo chmod a+r /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg
echo "deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-by=/etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg]
↳ https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu $(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/
↳ apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /dev/null

sudo apt-get update -y
sudo apt-get install -y docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io docker-compose
sudo apt autoremove --purge

# add your user to the docker group...
sudo usermod -aG docker ${USER}
su ${USER}
```

Upgrade *docker-compose* to the latest version

```
DESTINATION=$(which docker-compose)
sudo apt-get remove docker-compose
sudo rm $DESTINATION
VERSION=$(curl --silent https://api.github.com/repos/docker/compose/releases/latest |
↪grep -Po '"tag_name": "\K.*\d')
sudo curl -L https://github.com/docker/compose/releases/download/${VERSION}/docker-
↪compose-$(uname -s)-$(uname -m) -o $DESTINATION
sudo chmod 755 $DESTINATION
```

CentOS (7.0 +)

Note: Recommended version 7.0 or higher.

Warning: Accordingly to the version you use, the packages installation might be a bit different.

Packages Installation

First, we are going to install all the **system packages** needed for the GeoNode setup. Login to the target machine and execute the following commands:

```
sudo yum -y install epel-release
sudo yum install -y python3-gdal=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2 gdal-bin=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
↪libgdal-dev=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
sudo yum install -y python3-pip python3-dev python3-virtualenv python3-venv
↪virtualenvwrapper
sudo pip3 install -U pip
sudo pip3 install -U virtualenv
sudo yum install -y libxml2 libxml2-dev gettext
sudo yum install -y libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpng-dev libpq-dev
sudo yum install -y git unzip gcc zlib1g-dev libgeos-dev libproj-dev
```

Docker Setup (First time only)

```
sudo yum install -y yum-utils device-mapper-persistent-data lvm2
sudo yum-config-manager --add-repo https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.
↪repo
sudo yum install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io
sudo systemctl start docker

sudo curl -L "https://github.com/docker/compose/releases/download/1.23.1/docker-compose-
↪$(uname -s)-$(uname -m)" -o /usr/local/bin/docker-compose
sudo chmod +x /usr/local/bin/docker-compose
```

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```
sudo usermod -aG docker ${USER}
su ${USER}
```

Create an instance of your geonode-project

Let's say your project is named *my_geonode* perform the following steps:

```
git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project.git -b 4.1.x

# Ubuntu
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3 my_geonode

Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below
python3.8 -m venv /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode
source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode/bin/activate

pip install Django==3.2.13

# CentOS
virtualenv -p python3 my_geonode
source my_geonode/bin/activate

django-admin startproject --template=./geonode-project -e py,sh,md,rst,json,yml,ini,env,
↪sample,properties -n monitoring-cron -n Dockerfile my_geonode

# If the previous command does not work for some reason, try the following one
python -m django startproject --template=./geonode-project -e py,sh,md,rst,json,yml,ini,
↪env,sample,properties -n monitoring-cron -n Dockerfile my_geonode
```

Startup the containers

```
cd my_geonode
./docker-build.sh
```

- You can follow the containers startup by running the following commands from *my_geonode* root folder:

```
# GeoNode Container
docker-compose logs -f django

# GeoServer Container
docker-compose logs -f geoserver

# DB Container
docker-compose logs -f db

# NGINX Container
docker-compose logs -f geonode
```

- If any error occurs, try to catch the error stacktrace by running the following commands from *my_geonode* root folder:

```
# GeoNode "entrypoint.sh" Logs
tail -F -n 300 invoke.log
```

Connect to `http://localhost/`

The startup typically takes some time, so be patient...

If everything goes well, you should be able to see from the `geonode startup logs` a line similar to the following one:

```
<some date> [UWSGI] Uwsgi running...
```

Connect to `http://localhost/`

The default credentials are:

- GeoNode (`http://localhost/`) admin:
username: admin password: admin
- GeoServer (`http://localhost/geoserver/`) admin:
username: admin password: geoserver

1.11.3 Second Step: Deploy GeoNode on a production server (e.g.: `https://my_geonode.geonode.org/`)

In the case you would like to deploy to, let's say, `https://my_geonode.geonode.org/`, you will need to change `.env` as follows:

```
--- geonode-project\.env
+++ my_geonode\.env
@@ -1,7 +1,7 @@
-Compose_PROJECT_NAME={{project_name}}
+Compose_PROJECT_NAME=my_geonode
BACKUPS_VOLUME_DRIVER=local

DOCKER_HOST_IP=
DOCKER_ENV=production
# See https://github.com/geosolutions-it/geonode-generic/issues/28
# to see why we force API version to 1.24
@@ -9,40 +9,40 @@

C_FORCE_ROOT=1
IS_CELERY=false
IS_FIRST_START=true
FORCE_REINIT=false

-SITEURL=http://localhost/
+SITEURL=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/
ALLOWED_HOSTS=['django',]

# LANGUAGE_CODE=pt
# LANGUAGES=(('en','English'),('pt','Portuguese'))
```

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```

GEONODE_INSTANCE_NAME=geonode
-DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE={{project_name}}.settings
-UWSGI_CMD=uwsgi --ini /usr/src/{{project_name}}/uwsgi.ini
+DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=my_geonode.settings
+UWSGI_CMD=uwsgi --ini /usr/src/my_geonode/uwsgi.ini

# #####
# backend
# #####
-GEONODE_DATABASE={{project_name}}
+GEONODE_DATABASE=my_geonode
GEONODE_DATABASE_PASSWORD=geonode
-GEONODE_GEODATABASE={{project_name}}_data
+GEONODE_GEODATABASE=my_geonode_data
GEONODE_GEODATABASE_PASSWORD=geonode

-DATABASE_URL=postgis://{{project_name}}:geonode@db:5432/{{project_name}}
-GEODATABASE_URL=postgis://{{project_name}}_data:geonode@db:5432/{{project_name}}_data
+DATABASE_URL=postgis://my_geonode:geonode@db:5432/my_geonode
+GEODATABASE_URL=postgis://my_geonode_data:geonode@db:5432/my_geonode_data
DEFAULT_BACKEND_DATASTORE=datastore
BROKER_URL=amqp://guest:guest@rabbitmq:5672/

# #####
# geoserver
# #####
-GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=http://localhost/geoserver/
-GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://localhost/geoserver/
+GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/geoserver/
+GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_LOCATION=http://geoserver:8080/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver

OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=30
OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=1
OGC_REQUEST_BACKOFF_FACTOR=0.3
@@ -58,50 +58,50 @@
MOSAIC_ENABLED=False

# #####
# nginx
# HTTPD Server
# #####
-GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=localhost
+GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=my_geonode.geonode.org
GEONODE_LB_PORT=80

# IP or domain name and port where the server can be reached on HTTPS (leave HOST empty,
↳ if you want to use HTTP only)
# port where the server can be reached on HTTPS
-HTTP_HOST=localhost

```

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```

-HTTPS_HOST=
+HTTP_HOST=
+HTTPS_HOST=my_geonode.geonode.org

HTTP_PORT=80
HTTPS_PORT=443

# Let's Encrypt certificates for https encryption. You must have a domain name as HTTPS_
↳HOST (doesn't work
# with an ip) and it must be reachable from the outside. This can be one of the_
↳following :
# disabled : we do not get a certificate at all (a placeholder certificate will be used)
# staging : we get staging certificates (are invalid, but allow to test the process_
↳completely and have much higher limit rates)
# production : we get a normal certificate (default)
-LESENCRYPT_MODE=disabled
+# LESENCRYPT_MODE=disabled
# LESENCRYPT_MODE=staging
-# LESENCRYPT_MODE=production
+LESENCRYPT_MODE=production

RESOLVER=127.0.0.11

# #####
# Security
# #####
# Admin Settings
ADMIN_PASSWORD=admin
-ADMIN_EMAIL=admin@localhost
+ADMIN_EMAIL=admin@my_geonode.geonode.org

# EMAIL Notifications
EMAIL_ENABLE=False
DJANGO_EMAIL_BACKEND=django.core.mail.backends.smtp.EmailBackend
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST=localhost
DJANGO_EMAIL_PORT=25
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_USER=
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD=
DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_TLS=False
DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_SSL=False
-DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL='GeoNode <no-reply@geonode.org>'
+DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL='GeoNode <no-reply@my_geonode.geonode.org>'

# Session/Access Control
LOCKDOWN_GEONODE=False
CORS_ORIGIN_ALLOW_ALL=True
SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED=True
DEFAULT_ANONYMOUS_VIEW_PERMISSION=True

```

Restart the containers

Whenever you change something on `.env` file, you will need to rebuild the container

Warning: Be careful! The following command drops any change you might have done manually inside the containers, except for the static volumes.

```
docker-compose up -d
```

Troubleshooting

If for some reason you are not able to reach the server on the *HTTPS* channel, please check the *NGINX* configuration files below:

1. Enter the *NGINX* container

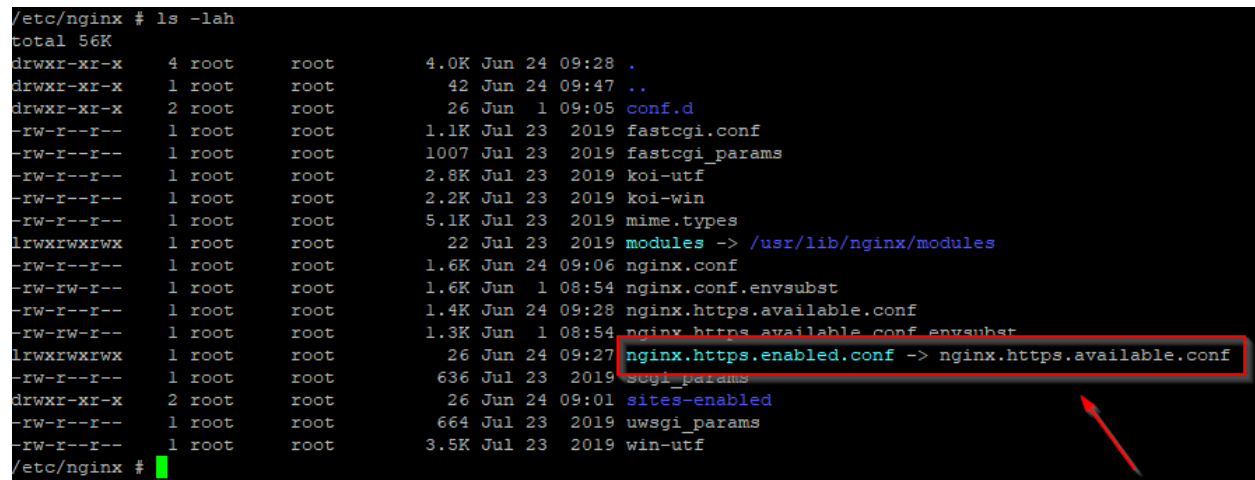
```
docker-compose exec geonode sh
```

2. Install an editor if not present

```
apk add nano
```

3. Double check that the `nginx.https.enabled.conf` link has been correctly created

```
ls -lah
```



```
/etc/nginx # ls -lah
total 56K
drwxr-xr-x  4 root  root    4.0K Jun 24 09:28 .
drwxr-xr-x  1 root  root    42  Jun 24 09:47 ..
drwxr-xr-x  2 root  root    26  Jun  1 09:05 conf.d
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   1.1K Jul 23 2019 fastcgi.conf
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root  1007 Jul 23 2019 fastcgi_params
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   2.8K Jul 23 2019 koi-utf
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   2.2K Jul 23 2019 koi-win
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   5.1K Jul 23 2019 mime.types
lrwxrwxrwx  1 root  root    22  Jul 23 2019 modules -> /usr/lib/nginx/modules
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   1.6K Jun 24 09:06 nginx.conf
-rw-rw-r--  1 root  root   1.6K Jun  1 08:54 nginx.conf.envsubst
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   1.4K Jun 24 09:28 nginx.https.available.conf
-rw-rw-r--  1 root  root   1.3K Jun  1 08:54 nginx.https.available.conf.envsubst
lrwxrwxrwx  1 root  root   636 Jul 23 2019 nginx.https.enabled.conf -> nginx.https.available.conf
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   26  Jun 24 09:27 ssl_params
drwxr-xr-x  2 root  root    26  Jun 24 09:01 sites-enabled
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   664 Jul 23 2019 uwsgi_params
-rw-r--r--  1 root  root   3.5K Jul 23 2019 win-utf
/etc/nginx #
```

If the list does not match exactly the figure above, please run the following commands, and check again

```
rm nginx.https.enabled.conf
ln -s nginx.https.available.conf nginx.https.enabled.conf
```

4. Inspect the `nginx.https.enabled.conf` contents

```
nano nginx.https.enabled.conf
```

Make sure the contents match the following

Warning: Change the *Hostname* accordingly. **This is only an example!**

```
# NOTE : $VARIABLES are env variables replaced by entrypoint.sh using
↳ envsubst
# not to be mistaken for nginx variables (also starting with $, but usually
↳ lowercase)

# This file is to be included in the main nginx.conf configuration if HTTPS_
↳ HOST is set
ssl_session_cache    shared:SSL:10m;
ssl_session_timeout  10m;

# this is the actual HTTPS host
server {
    listen              443 ssl;
    server_name         my_geonode.geonode.org;
    keepalive_timeout   70;

    ssl_certificate     /certificate_symlink/fullchain.pem;
    ssl_certificate_key /certificate_symlink/privkey.pem;
    ssl_protocols       TLSv1 TLSv1.1 TLSv1.2;
    ssl_ciphers         HIGH:!aNULL:!MD5;

    include sites-enabled/*.conf;
}

# if we try to connect from http, we redirect to https
server {
    listen 80;
    server_name my_geonode.geonode.org; # TODO : once geoserver supports
↳ relative urls, we should allow access though both HTTP and HTTPS at the
↳ same time and hence remove HTTP_HOST from this line

    # Except for let's encrypt challenge
    location /.well-known {
        alias /geonode-certificates/.well-known;
        include /etc/nginx/mime.types;
    }

    # Redirect to https
    location / {
        return 302 https://my_geonode.geonode.org/$request_uri; # TODO : we
↳ should use 301 (permanent redirect, but not practical for debug)
    }
}
```

Warning: Save the changes, if any, and exit!

5. Reload the NGINX configuration

```
nginx -s reload
2020/06/24 10:00:11 [notice] 112#112: signal process started
/etc/nginx# exit
```

6. It may be helpful to disable https to isolate the source of errors. After reverting the HTTPS-related changes in the `.env` file, repeat the above steps and ensure that the `nginx.http.enabled.conf` link has been correctly created.

```
ln -s nginx.conf nginx.http.enabled.conf
nano nginx.http.enabled.conf
```

1.11.4 Third Step: Customize `.env` to match your needs

In the case you would like to modify the GeoNode behavior, always use the `.env` file in order to update the *settings*.

If you need to change a setting which does not exist in `.env`, you can force the values inside `my_geonode/settings.py`

Refer to the section: [Settings](#)

You can add here any property referred as

Env: `PROPERTY_NAME`

Restart the containers

Whenever you change something on `.env` file, you will need to rebuild the containers.

Warning: Be careful! The following command drops any change you might have done manually inside the containers, except for the static volumes.

```
docker-compose up -d django
```

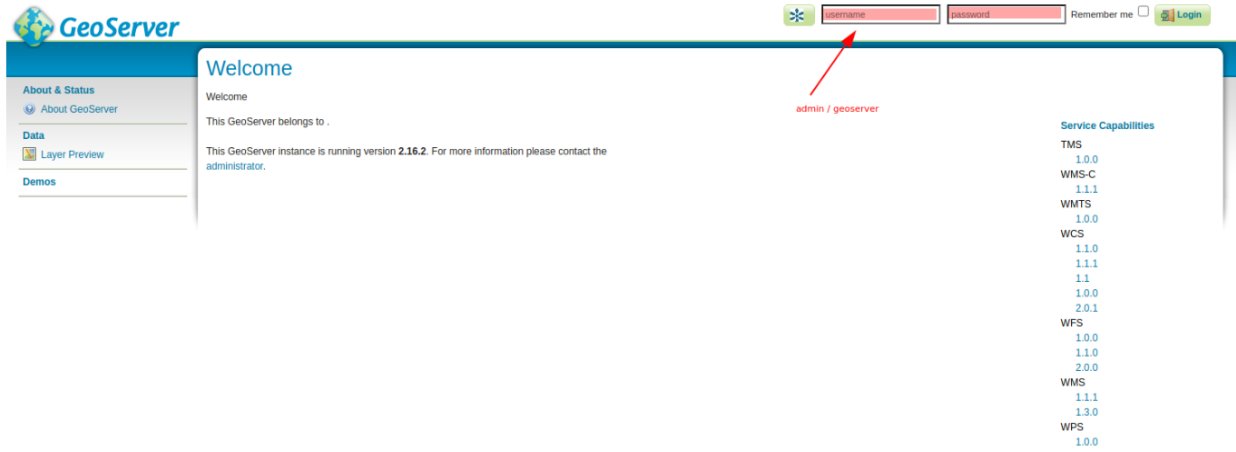
1.11.5 Fourth Step: Secure your production deployment; change the *admin* passwords and *OAuth2* keys

GeoServer Setup

Admin Password Update

OAuth2 REST API Key

Note: In order to generate new strong random passwords you can use an online service like <https://passwordsgenerator.net/>



Avoid using Symbols (e.g. @\$%) as they might conflict with `.env` file

GeoServer Disk Quota

Update the passwords and keys on `.env` file

Note: In order to generate new strong random passwords you can use an online service like <https://passwordsgenerator.net/>

Avoid using Symbols (e.g. @\$%) as they might conflict with `.env` file

```

--- my_geonode\.env
+++ my_geonode\.prod.env
@@ -6,13 +6,13 @@
# See https://github.com/geosolutions-it/geonode-generic/issues/28
# to see why we force API version to 1.24
DOCKER_API_VERSION="1.24"

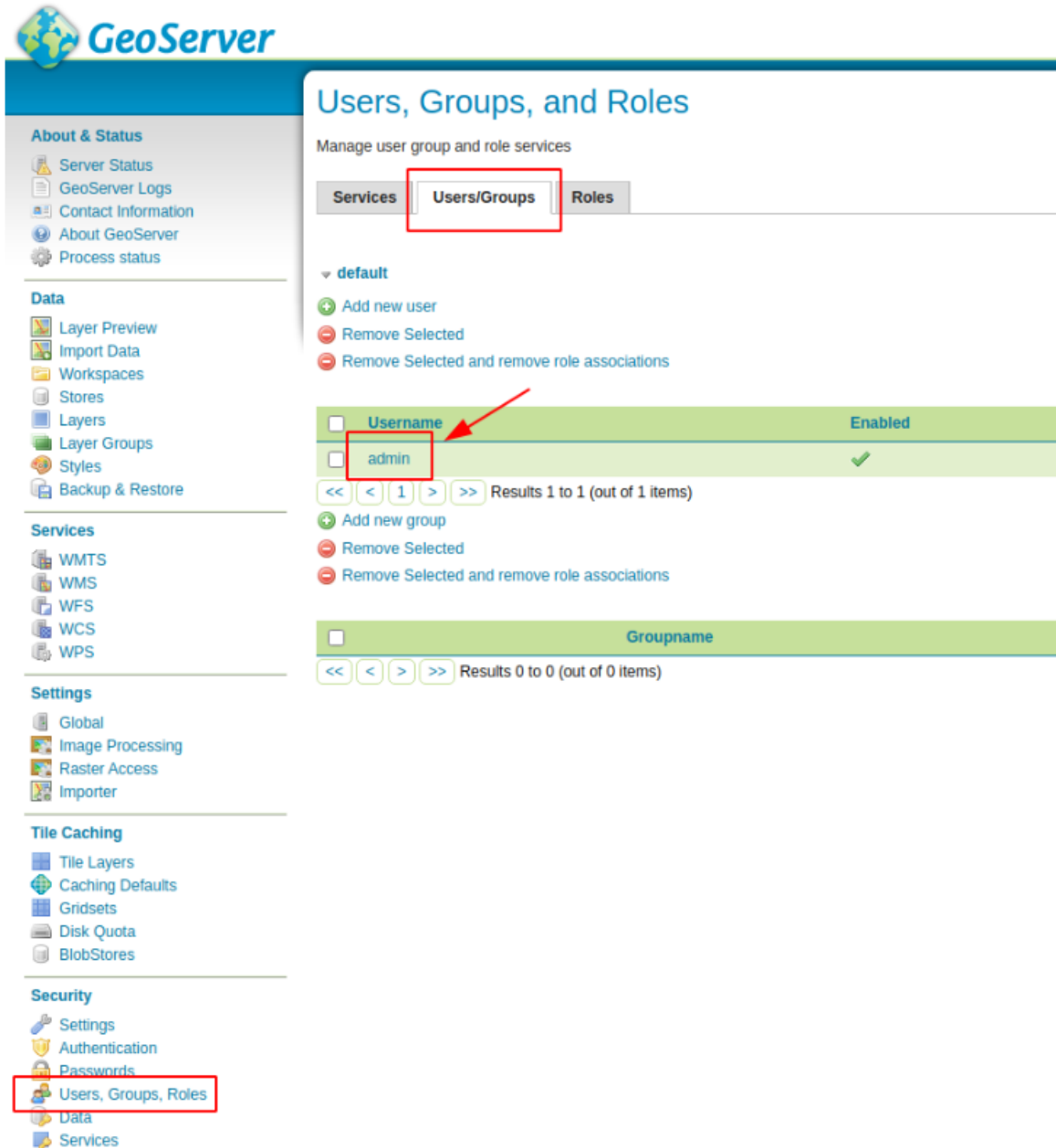
C_FORCE_ROOT=1
IS_CELERY=false
-IS_FIRST_START=true
+IS_FIRST_START=false
FORCE_REINIT=false

SITEURL=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/
ALLOWED_HOSTS=['django',]

# LANGUAGE_CODE=pt
@@ -38,13 +38,14 @@
# #####
# geoserver
# #####

```

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Fig. 182: *GeoServer Admin Password Update*

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AuthKEY REST Role Service geonode REST role service

Role service from REST endpoint

Settings Roles

Name

geonode REST role service

Administrator role

ROLE_ADMIN

Group administrator role

ROLE_ADMIN

REST Role Service Settings

Base Server URL

http://geonode:80

Roles REST Endpoint

/api/roles

Admin Role REST Endpoint

/api/adminRole

Users REST Endpoint

/api/users

Roles JSON Path

\$.groups

Admin Role JSON Path

\$.adminRole

Users JSON Path

\$.users[?(@.username=="\${username}")].groups

REST Rules Cache Concurrency Level

4

REST Rules Cache Maximum Size (# keys)

60000

REST Rules Cache Expiration Time (ms)

60000

REST Api Key (optional)

87j3JvaCqjzXR9Le68CH6h4

Fig. 183: OAuth2 REST API Key Update

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Disk Quota

Configure the disk quota limits and expiration policy for the tile cache

Disk Quota

☒ Enable disk quota

Disk quota check frequency:
10 Seconds
(Last run: 5 s ago.)

Maximum tile cache size
500 MIB

Using 0.0 B of a maximum 500.0 MB

When enforcing disk quota limits, remove tiles that are:

☐ Least frequently used

☒ Least recently used

Disk quota store type

External database

Target database type
PostgreSQL

JDBC data source
GeoServer managed connection pool

JDBC Driver class name
org.postgresql.Driver

JDBC connection URL
jdbc:postgresql://db:5432/geonode_data

User name
geonode

Password

Min. connections
1

Max. connections
10

Connection time out (ms)
10000

Validation query

Max open prepared statements
10

Fig. 184: GeoServer Disk Quota Update

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```

GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=https://my_geonode.geonode.org/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_LOCATION=http://geoserver:8080/geoserver/
-GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver
+GEOSERVER_ADMIN_USER=admin
+GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=<new_geoserver_admin_password>

OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=30
OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=1
OGC_REQUEST_BACKOFF_FACTOR=0.3
OGC_REQUEST_POOL_MAXSIZE=10
OGC_REQUEST_POOL_CONNECTIONS=10
@@ -84,13 +85,13 @@
RESOLVER=127.0.0.11

# #####
# Security
# #####
# Admin Settings
-ADMIN_PASSWORD=admin
+ADMIN_PASSWORD=<new_geonode_admin_password>
ADMIN_EMAIL=admin@my_geonode.geonode.org

# EMAIL Notifications
EMAIL_ENABLE=False
DJANGO_EMAIL_BACKEND=django.core.mail.backends.smtp.EmailBackend
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST=localhost
@@ -114,15 +115,15 @@
ACCOUNT_CONFIRM_EMAIL_ON_GET=False
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_VERIFICATION=optional
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_EMAIL=False
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_REQUIRED=False

# OAuth2
-OAUTH2_API_KEY=
-OAUTH2_CLIENT_ID=Jrchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gczlgoV20YPSvqaV
-OAUTH2_CLIENT_
↪SECRET=rCnp5txobUo83EpQEblM8fVj3QT5zb5qRfxNsuPzCqZaiRyIoxM4jdgMiZKFfePBHYXCLd7B8NlkfDBY9HKeIQPcy5Cp08
+OAUTH2_API_KEY=<new_OAUTH2_API_KEY>
+OAUTH2_CLIENT_ID=<new_OAUTH2_CLIENT_ID>
+OAUTH2_CLIENT_SECRET=<new_OAUTH2_CLIENT_SECRET>

# GeoNode APIs
API_LOCKDOWN=False
TASTYPIE_APIKEY=

# #####

```

Warning: Be careful! The env GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD is not actually used to change the GeoServer admin password. You need to login on GeoServer UI and change it manually!

[Optional] Update your SSL Certificates

In production deployment mode, GeoNode uses by default *Let's Encrypt* certificates

You may want to provide your own certificates to GeoNode

```

docker exec -it nginx4my_geonode_geonode sh -c 'mkdir /geonode-certificates/my_geonode'

wget --no-check-certificate 'http://<url_to_your_chain.crt>' \
    -O chain.crt

wget --no-check-certificate 'http://<url_to_your_key.key>' \
    -O my_geonode.key

docker cp chain.crt nginx4my_geonode_geonode:/geonode-certificates/my_geonode

docker cp my_geonode.key nginx4my_geonode_geonode:/geonode-certificates/my_geonode

docker-compose exec geonode sh
apk add vim

vim nginx.https.enabled.conf

```

```

-ssl_certificate      /certificate_symlink/fullchain.pem;
-ssl_certificate_key  /certificate_symlink/privkey.pem;
+ssl_certificate      /geonode-certificates/my_geonode/chain.crt;
+ssl_certificate_key  /geonode-certificates/my_geonode/my_geonode.key;

```

```

nginx -s reload
exit

```

Restart the GeoNode and NGINX containers

Whenever you change something on `.env` file, you will need to rebuild the container

Warning: Be careful! The following command drops any change you might have done manually inside the containers, except for the static volumes.

```

docker-compose up -d django
docker-compose restart geonode

```

1.11.6 Further Production Enhancements

GeoServer Production Settings

JVM Settings: Memory And GeoServer Options

The `.env` file provides a way to customize GeoServer JVM Options.

The variable `GEOSERVER_JAVA_OPTS` allows you to tune-up the GeoServer container and to enable specific GeoServer options.

```
GEOSERVER_JAVA_OPTS=
-Djava.awt.headless=true -Xms2G -Xmx4G -XX:PerfDataSamplingInterval=500
-XX:SoftRefLRUPolicyMSPerMB=36000 -XX:-UseGCOverheadLimit -XX:+UseConcMarkSweepGC
-XX:+UseParNewGC -XX:ParallelGCThreads=4 -Dfile.encoding=UTF8 -Djavax.servlet.
request.encoding=UTF-8
-Djavax.servlet.response.encoding=UTF-8 -Duser.timezone=GMT
-Dorg.geotools.shapefile.datetime=false -DGS-SHAPEFILE-CHARSET=UTF-8 -DGEOSERVER_
CSRF_DISABLED=true -DPRINT_BASE_URL=http://geoserver:8080/geoserver/pdf
```

`-Djava.awt.headless (true)`

Work with graphics-based applications in Java without an actual display, keyboard, or mouse. A typical use case of UI components running in a headless environment could be an image converter app. Though it needs graphics data for image processing, a display is not really necessary. The app could be run on a server and converted files saved or sent over the network to another machine for display.

`-Xms2G -Xmx4G`

This means that your JVM will be started with Xms amount of memory and will be able to use a maximum of Xmx amount of memory. Above will start a JVM like with 2 GB of memory and will allow the process to use up to 4 GB of memory. You need to adjust this value depending on your available RAM.

`-DGEOSERVER_CSRF_DISABLED (True)`

The GeoServer web admin employs a CSRF (Cross-Site Request Forgery) protection filter that will block any form submissions that didn't appear to originate from GeoServer. This can sometimes cause problems for certain proxy configurations. You can disable the CSRF filter by setting the `GEOSERVER_CSRF_DISABLED` property to true. <https://docs.geoserver.org/stable/en/user/security/webadmin/csrf.html>

Whenever you need to change one or more of the JVM options, you will need to restart the GeoServer Docker container.

```
# Hard restart of the container: the only way to update the .env variables
docker-compose up -d geoserver
```

This command will **preserve** all the GeoServer configuration and data, since the `GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR` is stored on a Docker static volume.

Nevertheless, any change you have made manually to the container, e.g. added a new plugin to GeoServer or updated some JARs into the `WEB-INF/lib` library folder, will be lost.

You will need to add the JARs again and restart GeoServer *softly*

```
# Soft restart of the container: the .env variables won't be updated
docker-compose restart geoserver
```

Global And Services Settings

- Check the GeoServer Memory usage and status; ensure the GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR path points to the static volume

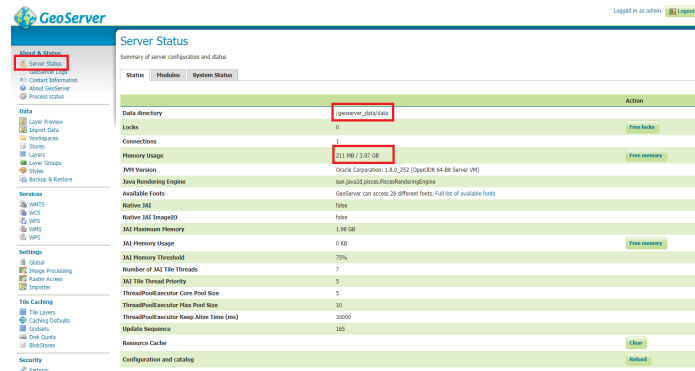


Fig. 185: *GeoServer Status*

- GeoServer *Global Settings*; make sure the Proxy Base Url points to the public URL and the LOGGING levels are set to *Production Mode*

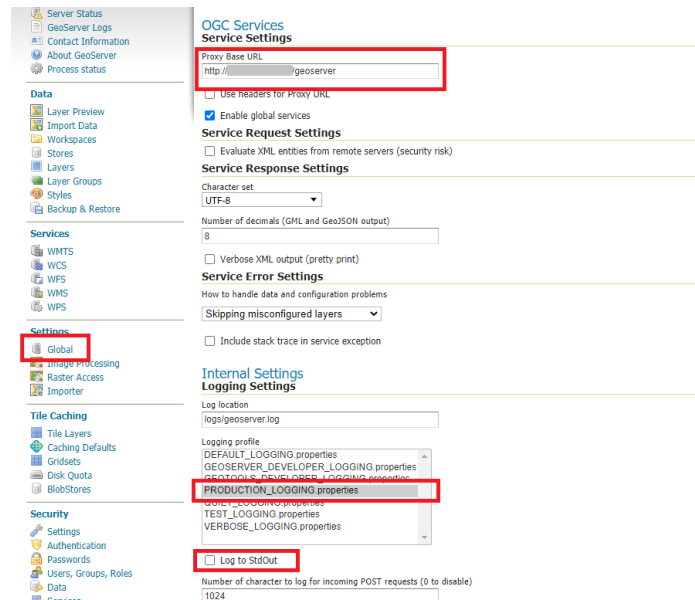


Fig. 186: *Global Settings*

- GeoServer *Image Processing Settings*; unless you are using some specific renderer or GeoServer plugin, use the following recommended options

Note: Further details at https://docs.geoserver.org/stable/en/user/configuration/image_processing/index.html#image-processing

- Tune up *GeoServer Services Configuration*; WCS, WFS, WMS and WPS;

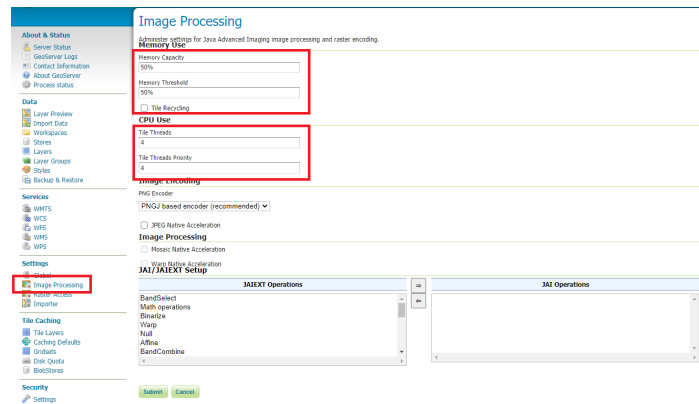


Fig. 187: Image Processing Settings

- **WCS:** Update the limits accordingly to your needs. Do not use very high values, this will set GeoServer prone to DoS Attacks.

Resource Consumption Limits

Maximum amount of data read (KB, 0 for no limit)

Maximum amount of data generated (KB, 0 for no limit)

Max number of dimension values

Fig. 188: WCS Resource Consumption Limits

- **WMS:** Specify here the SRS List you are going to use. Empty means all the ones supported by GeoServer, but be careful since the `GetCapabilities` output will become huge.

Limited SRS list

☒ Output bounding box for every supported CRS

Fig. 189: WMS Supported SRS List

- **WMS:** *Raster Rendering Options* allows you to tune up the WMS output for better performance or quality. Best Performance: Nearest Neighbour - Best Quality: Bicubic

Warning: Raster Images should be always optimized before ingested into GeoNode. The general recommendation is to **never** upload a non-processed GeoTIFF image to GeoNode.

Further details at:

- <https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/enterprise/raster.html>
- https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster_data/advanced_gdal/index.html

Raster Rendering Options

Default Interpolation

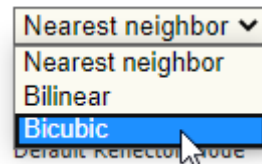


Fig. 190: WMS Raster Rendering Options

- **WMS:** Update the limits accordingly to your needs. Do not use very high values, this will set GeoServer prone to DoS Attacks.

Resource consumption limits

Max rendering memory (KB)

Max rendering time (s)

Max rendering errors (count)

Max number of dimension values

Fig. 191: WMS Resource Consumption Limits

GeoWebCache DiskQuota On Postgis

By default GeoWebCache DiskQuota is disabled. That means that the layers cache might potentially grow up indefinitely.

GeoWebCache DiskQuota should be always enabled on a production system. In the case it is enabled, this **must** be configured to make use of a DB engine like Postgis to store its indexes.

- First of all ensure *Tile Caching* is enabled on all available layers

Note: GeoNode typically does this automatically for you. It is worth to double check anyway.

- Configure *Disk Quota* by providing the connection string to the DB Docker Container as specified in the *.env* file

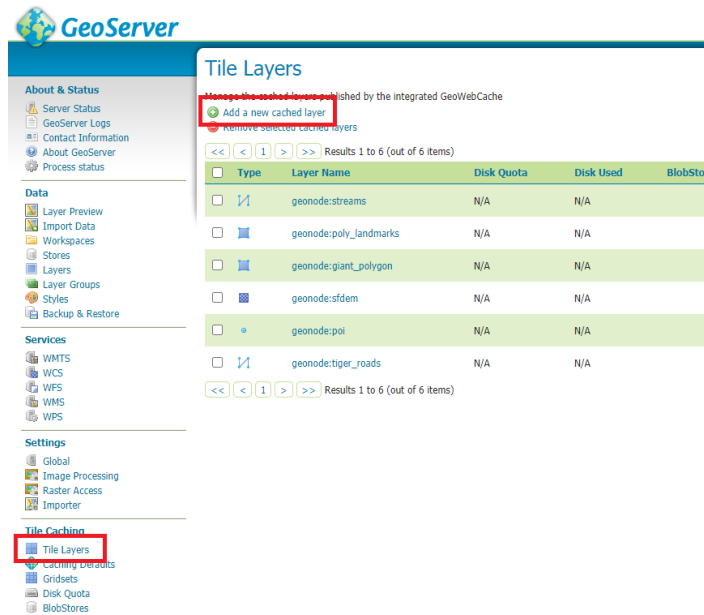


Fig. 192: Tile Caching: Tiled Datasets

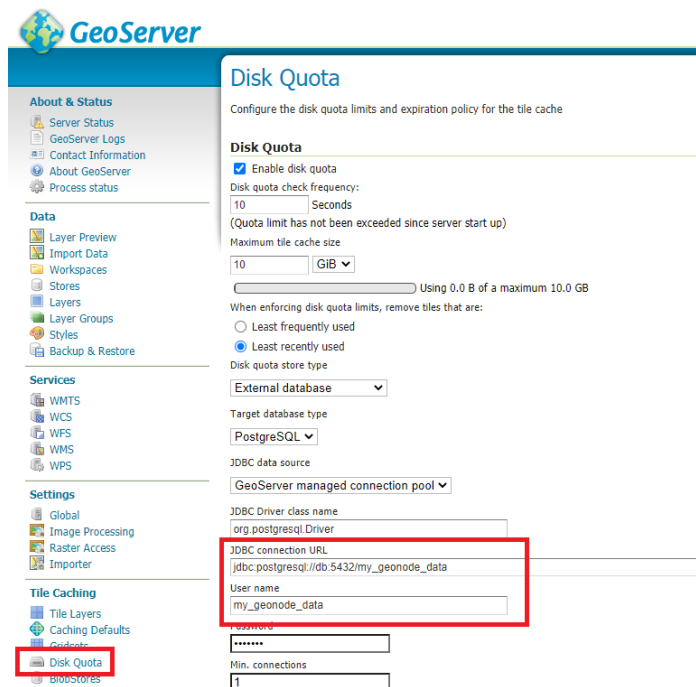


Fig. 193: Tile Caching: Disk Quota Configuration

GeoFence Security Rules On Postgis

By default GeoFence stores the security rules on an *H2* db.

On a production system, this is not really recommended. You will need to update the GeoServer Docker container in order to enable GeoFence storing the rules into the DB Docker Container instead.

In order to do that, follow the procedure below:

```
# Enter the GeoServer Docker Container
docker-compose exec geoserver bash

# Install a suitable editor
apt update
apt install nano

# Edit the GeoFence DataStore .properties file
nano /geoserver_data/data/geofence/geofence-datasource-ovr.properties
```

Note: Make sure to provide the same connection parameters specified in the *.env* file

```
geofenceVendorAdapter.databasePlatform=org.hibernate.spatial.postgis.PostgisDialect
geofenceDataSource.driverClassName=org.postgresql.Driver
geofenceDataSource.url=jdbc:postgresql://db:5432/my_geonode_data
geofenceDataSource.username=my_geonode_data
geofenceDataSource.password=*****
geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.default_schema]=public
```

```
# Update the GeoServer WEB-INF/lib JARs accordingly
wget --no-check-certificate "https://repo1.maven.org/maven2/org/postgis/postgis-jdbc/1.3.
↪3/postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar" -O postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar && \
wget --no-check-certificate "https://maven.geo-solutions.it/org/hibernatespatial/
↪hibernate-spatial-postgis/1.1.3.2/hibernate-spatial-postgis-1.1.3.2.jar" -O hibernate-
↪spatial-postgis-1.1.3.2.jar && \
rm /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver/WEB-INF/lib/hibernate-spatial-h2-geodb-1.1.3.1.
↪jar && \
mv hibernate-spatial-postgis-1.1.3.2.jar /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver/WEB-INF/lib/
↪ && \
mv postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver/WEB-INF/lib/
```

The container is ready to be restarted now.

Warning: Remember to do a **soft restart** otherwise the WEB-INF/lib JARs will be reset to the original state

```
# Exit the GeoServer container
exit

# Soft Restart GeoServer Docker Container
docker-compose restart geoserver
```

IMPORTANT: The first time you perform this procedure, GeoFence won't be able to retrieve the old security rules anymore.

You will need to *Fixup GeoNode Datasets Permissions* in order to regenerate the security rules.

Fixup GeoNode Datasets Permissions

The list of the GeoFence Security Rules is available from the *GeoFence Data Rules* section.

Always double check the list is accessible and the data rules are there. If empty, no layer will be accessible by standard users other than admin.

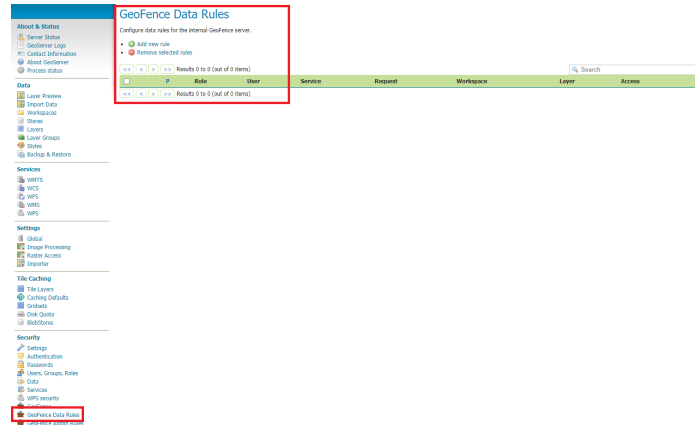


Fig. 194: *GeoFence Data Rules*

In order to re-sync the GeoFence security rules, follow the procedure below:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `sync_geonode_datasets` management command
./manage.sh sync_geonode_datasets --updatepermissions
```

Regenerate GeoNode Datasets Thumbnails

The following procedure allows you to *batch* regenerate all Datasets Thumbnails:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `sync_geonode_datasets` management command
./manage.sh sync_geonode_datasets --updatethumbnails
```

Regenerate GeoNode Datasets BBOXES

The following procedure allows you to *batch* regenerate all Datasets BBOXES:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `sync_geonode_datasets` management command
./manage.sh sync_geonode_datasets --updatebbox
```

Fixup GeoNode Datasets Metadata And Download Links

The following procedure allows you to fix-up broken or incorrect Metadata Links:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `set_all_layers_metadata` management command
./manage.sh set_all_layers_metadata -d
```

It is also possible to *force* purging the links before regenerating:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `set_all_layers_metadata` management command
./manage.sh set_all_layers_metadata -d --prune
```

Migrate GeoNode To A New Hostname

In the case you will need to move your instance to another domain, as an example from https://my_geonode.geonode.org/ to https://prod_geonode.geonode.org/, follow the procedure below:

- Update the `.env` file by specifying the new name accordingly.
- Restart the GeoNode Docker Container.

```
docker-compose up -d geonode
```

- Run the following management commands from inside the GeoNode Docker Container.

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `migrate_baseurl` management command
./manage.sh migrate_baseurl --source-address=my_geonode.geonode.org --
↪target-address=prod_geonode.geonode.org

# Run the `set_all_layers_metadata` management command
./manage.sh set_all_layers_metadata -d
```

Add Huge Or DB Datasets To Your Instance

Uploading huge datasets, or DB tables, to GeoNode from the *Web Upload Interface* is not really possible sometimes.

The suggested procedure in such cases is the following one:

- Add the dataset to *GeoServer* first directly.

You must upload the data into the GeoServer Docker Container Static Volume first and then adding manually the layer through the *GeoServer Admin GUI*.

- Once the dataset is correctly configured on GeoServer, run the following management command from inside the GeoNode Docker Container

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Run the `updatelayers` management command
./manage.sh updatelayers -w <workspace_name> -f <layer_name>
```

Update GeoNode Core To The Latest Commit

In the case you will need to update the GeoNode Core codebase to a specific version or commit, please follow the steps below:

```
# Enter the GeoNode Docker Container
docker-compose exec django bash

# Update GeoNode
cd /usr/src/geonode/
git fetch --all --prune
git checkout <commit or branch>

# Update the pip dependencies
pip install -r requirements.txt --upgrade --no-cache
pip install -e . --upgrade

# Synchronize the GeoNode Project
cd /usr/src/my_geonode/
./manage.sh makemigrations
./manage.sh migrate
./manage.sh collectstatic

# Refresh UWSGI Daemons
touch /usr/src/my_geonode/my_geonode/wsgi.py

# Follow the logs and make sure non errors occur
tail -F -n 30 /var/log/geonode.log
```

1.12 GeoNode Advanced Installation

1.12.1 GeoNode Core

Overview

The following steps will guide you to a fresh setup of GeoNode.

All guides will first install and configure the system to run it in `DEBUG` mode (also known as `DEVELOPMENT` mode) and then by configuring an `HTTPD` server to serve GeoNode through the standard `HTTP (80)` port.

Warning: Those guides **are not** meant to be used on a production system. There will be dedicated chapters that will show you some *hints* to optimize GeoNode for a production-ready machine. In any case, we strongly suggest to task an experienced *DevOp* or *System Administrator* before exposing your server to the `WEB`.

Ubuntu 22.04.1LTS

This part of the documentation describes the complete setup process for GeoNode on an Ubuntu 22.04.1LTS **64-bit** clean environment (Desktop or Server).

All examples use shell commands that you must enter on a local terminal or a remote shell.

- If you have a graphical desktop environment you can open the terminal application after login;
- if you are working on a remote server the provider or sysadmin should have given you access through an ssh client.

1. Install the dependencies

In this section, we are going to install all the basic packages and tools needed for a complete GeoNode installation.

Warning: To follow this guide, a basic knowledge about Ubuntu Server configuration and working with a shell is required.

Note: This guide uses `vim` as the editor; feel free to use `nano`, `gedit` or others.

Upgrade system packages

Check that your system is already up-to-date with the repository running the following commands:

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:ubuntugis/ppa
sudo apt update -y
```

Packages Installation

Note: You don't need to install the **system packages** if you want to run the project using Docker

We will use **example.org** as fictitious Domain Name.

First, we are going to install all the **system packages** needed for the GeoNode setup. Login to the target machine and execute the following commands:

```
# Install packages from GeoNode core
sudo apt install -y --allow-downgrades build-essential \
  python3-gdal=3.4.1+dfsg-1build4 gdal-bin=3.4.1+dfsg-1build4 libgdal-dev=3.4.1+dfsg-
  1build4 \
  python3-all-dev python3.10-dev python3.10-venv virtualenvwrapper \
  libxml2 libxml2-dev gettext libmemcached-dev zlib1g-dev \
  libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpng-dev libpq-dev \
  software-properties-common build-essential \
  git unzip gcc zlib1g-dev libgeos-dev libproj-dev \
  sqlite3 spatialite-bin libsqlite3-mod-spatialite libsqlite3-dev

# Install Openjdk
sudo apt install openjdk-11-jdk-headless default-jdk-headless -y

# Verify GDAL version
gdalinfo --version
$> GDAL 3.4.1, released 2021/12/27

# Verify Python version
python3.10 --version
$> Python 3.10.4

which python3.10
$> /usr/bin/python3.10

# Verify Java version
java -version
$> openjdk version "11.0.16"

# Install VIM
sudo apt install -y vim

# Cleanup the packages
sudo apt update -y; sudo apt autoremove --purge
```

Warning: GeoNode 4.1.x is not compatible with Python < 3.7

2. GeoNode Installation

This is the most basic installation of GeoNode. It won't use any external server like Apache Tomcat, PostgreSQL or HTTPD.

First of all we need to prepare a new Python Virtual Environment

Since geonode needs a large number of different python libraries and packages, its recommended to use a python virtual environment to avoid conflicts on dependencies with system wide python packages and other installed software. See also documentation of [Virtualenvwrapper](#) package for more information

Note: The GeoNode Virtual Environment must be created only the first time. You won't need to create it again everytime.

```
which python3.10 # copy the path of python executable

# Create the GeoNode Virtual Environment (first time only)
export WORKON_HOME=~/.virtualenvs
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3.10 geonode # Use the python path from above

# Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below
mkdir -p ~/.virtualenvs
python3.10 -m venv ~/.virtualenvs/geonode
source ~/.virtualenvs/geonode/bin/activate
```

At this point your command prompt shows a (geonode) prefix, this indicates that your virtualenv is active.

Note: The next time you need to access the Virtual Environment just run

```
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
workon geonode

# Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below
source ~/.virtualenvs/geonode/bin/activate
```

Note: In order to save permanently the virtualenvwrapper environment

```
vim ~/.bashrc

# Write to the bottom of the file the following lines
export WORKON_HOME=~/.virtualenvs
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
```

```
# Let's create the GeoNode core base folder and clone it
sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode/; sudo usermod -a -G www-data $USER; sudo chown -Rf $USER:www-
data /opt/geonode/; sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/geonode/

# Clone the GeoNode source code on /opt/geonode
cd /opt; git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode.git -b 4.1.x geonode
```

```
# Install the Python packages
cd /opt/geonode
pip install -r requirements.txt --upgrade
pip install -e . --upgrade
pip install pygdal=="gdal-config --version`.*"
```

3. Postgis database Setup

Be sure you have successfully completed all the steps of the section *1. Install the dependencies*.

In this section, we are going to setup users and databases for GeoNode in PostgreSQL.

Install and Configure the PostgreSQL Database System

In this section we are going to install the PostgreSQL packages along with the PostGIS extension. Those steps must be done **only** if you don't have the DB already installed on your system.

```
# Ubuntu 22.04.1 (focal)
sudo sh -c 'echo "deb http://apt.postgresql.org/pub/repos/apt/ `lsb_release -cs`-pgdg_
↪main" >> /etc/apt/sources.list.d/pgdg.list'
sudo wget --no-check-certificate --quiet -O - https://www.postgresql.org/media/keys/
↪ACCC4CF8.asc | sudo apt-key add -
sudo apt update -y; sudo apt install -y postgresql-13 postgresql-13-postgis-3 postgresql-
↪13-postgis-3-scripts postgresql-13 postgresql-client-13
```

We now must create two databases, geonode and geonode_data, belonging to the role geonode.

Warning: This is our default configuration. You can use any database or role you need. The connection parameters must be correctly configured on settings, as we will see later in this section.

Databases and Permissions

First, create the geonode user. GeoNode is going to use this user to access the database

```
sudo service postgresql start
sudo -u postgres createuser -P geonode
```

Use the password: geonode

You will be prompted asked to set a password for the user. **Enter geonode as password.**

Warning: This is a sample password used for the sake of simplicity. This password is very **weak** and should be changed in a production environment.

Create database geonode and geonode_data with owner geonode

```
sudo -u postgres createdb -O geonode geonode
sudo -u postgres createdb -O geonode geonode_data
```

Next let's create PostGIS extensions

```
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA public_
↳TO geonode;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL SEQUENCES IN SCHEMA_
↳public TO geonode;'

sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA_
↳public TO geonode;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL SEQUENCES IN_
↳SCHEMA public TO geonode;'
```

Final step is to change user access policies for local connections in the file `pg_hba.conf`

```
sudo vim /etc/postgresql/13/main/pg_hba.conf
```

Scroll down to the bottom of the document. We want to make local connection trusted for the default user.

Make sure your configuration looks like the one below.

```
...
# DO NOT DISABLE!
# If you change this first entry you will need to make sure that the
# database superuser can access the database using some other method.
# Noninteractive access to all databases is required during automatic
# maintenance (custom daily cronjobs, replication, and similar tasks).
#
# Database administrative login by Unix domain socket
local all postgres trust

# TYPE DATABASE USER ADDRESS METHOD

# "local" is for Unix domain socket connections only
local all all md5
# IPv4 local connections:
host all all 127.0.0.1/32 md5
# IPv6 local connections:
host all all ::1/128 md5
# Allow replication connections from localhost, by a user with the
# replication privilege.
local replication all peer
host replication all 127.0.0.1/32 md5
host replication all ::1/128 md5
```

Warning: If your PostgreSQL database resides on a **separate/remote machine**, you'll have to **allow** remote access to the databases in the `/etc/postgresql/13/main/pg_hba.conf` to the `geonode` user and tell PostgreSQL to **accept** non-local connections in your `/etc/postgresql/13/main/postgresql.conf` file

Restart PostgreSQL to make the change effective.

```
sudo service postgresql restart
```

PostgreSQL is now ready. To test the configuration, try to connect to the geonode database as geonode role.

```
psql -U postgres geonode
# This should not ask for any password

psql -U geonode geonode
# This should ask for the password geonode

# Repeat the test with geonode_data DB
psql -U postgres geonode_data
psql -U geonode geonode_data
```

4. Install GeoServer

In this section, we are going to install the Apache Tomcat 8 Servlet Java container, which will be started by default on the internal port 8080.

We will also perform several optimizations to:

1. Correctly setup the Java VM Options, like the available heap memory and the garbage collector options.
2. Externalize the GeoServer and GeoWebcache catalogs in order to allow further updates without the risk of deleting our datasets.

Note: This is still a basic setup of those components. More details will be provided on sections of the documentation concerning the hardening of the system in a production environment. Nevertheless, you will need to tweak a bit those settings accordingly with your current system. As an instance, if your machine does not have enough memory, you will need to lower down the initial amount of available heap memory. **Warnings** and **notes** will be placed below the statements that will require your attention.

Install Apache Tomcat 9 (ref. <https://yallalabs.com/linux/ubuntu/how-to-install-apache-tomcat-9-ubuntu-20-04/>)

Warning: Apache Tomcat 9 requires Java 8 or newer to be installed on the server. Check the steps before in order to be sure you have OpenJDK 8 correctly installed on your system.

First, it is not recommended to run Apache Tomcat as user root, so we will create a new system user which will run the Apache Tomcat server

```
sudo useradd -m -U -d /opt/tomcat -s /bin/bash tomcat
sudo usermod -a -G www-data tomcat
```

Warning: Now, go to the official Apache Tomcat [website](#) and download the most recent version of the software to your server. But don't use Tomcat10 because there are still some errors between Geoserver and Tomcat.

```
VERSION=9.0.65; wget https://www-eu.apache.org/dist/tomcat/tomcat-9/v${VERSION}/bin/
↪ apache-tomcat-${VERSION}.tar.gz
```

Once the download is complete, extract the tar file to the /opt/tomcat directory:

```
sudo mkdir /opt/tomcat
sudo tar -xf apache-tomcat-${VERSION}.tar.gz -C /opt/tomcat/; rm apache-tomcat-${VERSION}
↪ .tar.gz
```

Apache Tomcat is updated regularly. So, to have more control over versions and updates, we'll create a symbolic link as below:

```
sudo ln -s /opt/tomcat/apache-tomcat-${VERSION} /opt/tomcat/latest
```

Now, let's change the ownership of all Apache Tomcat files as below:

```
sudo chown -R tomcat:www-data /opt/tomcat/
```

Make the shell scripts inside the bin directory executable:

```
sudo sh -c 'chmod +x /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/*.sh'
```

Create the a systemd file with the following content:

```
# Check the correct JAVA_HOME location
JAVA_HOME=$(readlink -f /usr/bin/java | sed "s:bin/java::")
echo $JAVA_HOME
$> /usr/lib/jvm/java-1.11.0-openjdk-amd64/jre/

# Let's create a symbolic link to the JRE
sudo ln -s /usr/lib/jvm/java-1.11.0-openjdk-amd64/jre/ /usr/lib/jvm/jre

# Let's create the tomcat service
sudo vim /etc/systemd/system/tomcat9.service
```

```
[Unit]
Description=Tomcat 9 servlet container
After=network.target

[Service]
Type=forking

User=tomcat
Group=tomcat

Environment="JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/jre"
Environment="JAVA_OPTS=-Djava.security.egd=file:///dev/urandom -Djava.awt.headless=true"

Environment="CATALINA_BASE=/opt/tomcat/latest"
Environment="CATALINA_HOME=/opt/tomcat/latest"
Environment="CATALINA_PID=/opt/tomcat/latest/temp/tomcat.pid"
Environment="CATALINA_OPTS=-Xms512M -Xmx1024M -server -XX:+UseParallelGC"
```

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```
ExecStart=/opt/tomcat/latest/bin/startup.sh
ExecStop=/opt/tomcat/latest/bin/shutdown.sh

[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target
```

Now you can start the Apache Tomcat 9 server and enable it to start on boot time using the following command:

```
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
sudo systemctl start tomcat9.service
sudo systemctl status tomcat9.service
sudo systemctl enable tomcat9.service
```

For verification, type the following ss command, which will show you the 8080 open port number, the default open port reserved for Apache Tomcat Server.

```
ss -ltn
```

In a clean Ubuntu 22.04.1, the ss command may not be found and the iproute2 library should be installed first.

```
sudo apt install iproute2
# Then run the ss command
ss -ltn
```

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```

If your server is protected by a firewall and you want to access Tomcat from the outside of your local network, you need to open port 8080.

Use the following command to open the necessary port:

```
sudo ufw allow 8080/tcp
```

Warning: Generally, when running Tomcat in a production environment, you should use a load balancer or reverse proxy.

It's a best practice to allow access to port 8080 only from your internal network.

We will use NGINX in order to provide Apache Tomcat through the standard HTTP port.

Note: Alternatively you can define the Tomcat Service as follow, in case you would like to use systemctl

```
sudo vim /usr/lib/systemd/system/tomcat9.service
```

```
[Unit]
Description=Apache Tomcat Server
After=syslog.target network.target
```

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[Service]

```
Type=forking
User=tomcat
Group=tomcat
```

```
Environment=JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/jre
Environment=JAVA_OPTS=-Djava.security.egd=file:///dev/urandom
Environment=CATALINA_PID=/opt/tomcat/latest/temp/tomcat.pid
Environment=CATALINA_HOME=/opt/tomcat/latest
Environment=CATALINA_BASE=/opt/tomcat/latest
```

```
ExecStart=/opt/tomcat/latest/bin/startup.sh
ExecStop=/opt/tomcat/latest/bin/shutdown.sh
```

```
RestartSec=30
Restart=always
```

[Install]

```
WantedBy=multi-user.target
```

```
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
sudo systemctl enable tomcat9.service
sudo systemctl start tomcat9.service
```

Install GeoServer on Tomcat9

Let's externalize the GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR and logs

```
# Create the target folders
sudo mkdir -p /opt/data
sudo chown -Rf $USER:www-data /opt/data
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/data
sudo mkdir -p /opt/data/logs
sudo chown -Rf $USER:www-data /opt/data/logs
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/data/logs

# Download and extract the default GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR
GS_VERSION=2.23.0
sudo wget --no-check-certificate "https://artifacts.geonode.org/geoserver/$GS_VERSION/
↳ geonode-geoserver-ext-web-app-data.zip" -O data-$GS_VERSION.zip

sudo unzip data-$GS_VERSION.zip -d /opt/data/

sudo mv /opt/data/data/ /opt/data/geoserver_data
sudo chown -Rf tomcat:www-data /opt/data/geoserver_data
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/data/geoserver_data

sudo mkdir -p /opt/data/geoserver_logs
```

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```

sudo chown -Rf tomcat:www-data /opt/data/geoserver_logs
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/data/geoserver_logs

sudo mkdir -p /opt/data/gwc_cache_dir
sudo chown -Rf tomcat:www-data /opt/data/gwc_cache_dir
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/data/gwc_cache_dir

# Download and install GeoServer
sudo wget --no-check-certificate "https://artifacts.geonode.org/geoserver/$GS_VERSION/
↳ geoserver-war" -O geoserver-$GS_VERSION.war
sudo mv geoserver-$GS_VERSION.war /opt/tomcat/latest/webapps/geoserver.war

```

Let's now configure the JAVA_OPTS, i.e. the parameters to run the Servlet Container, like heap memory, garbage collector and so on.

```

sudo sed -i -e 's/xom-\\*\\.jar/xom-\\*\\.jar,bcprov\\*\\.jar/g' /opt/tomcat/latest/conf/
↳ catalina.properties

export JAVA_HOME=$(readlink -f /usr/bin/java | sed "s:bin/java::")
echo 'JAVA_HOME=$JAVA_HOME' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh
sudo sed -i -e "s/JAVA_OPTS=/#JAVA_OPTS=/g" /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh

echo 'GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR="/opt/data/geoserver_data"' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/
↳ latest/bin/setenv.sh
echo 'GEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION="/opt/data/geoserver_logs/geoserver.log"' | sudo tee --
↳ append /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh
echo 'GEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR="/opt/data/gwc_cache_dir"' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/
↳ latest/bin/setenv.sh
echo 'GEOFENCE_DIR="$GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR/geofence"' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/
↳ latest/bin/setenv.sh
echo 'TIMEZONE="UTC"' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh

echo 'JAVA_OPTS="-server -Djava.awt.headless=true -Dorg.geotools.shapefile.
↳ datetime=false -DGS-SHAPEFILE-CHARSET=UTF-8 -XX:+UseParallelGC -XX:ParallelGCThreads=4
↳ -Dfile.encoding=UTF8 -Duser.timezone=$TIMEZONE -Xms512m -Xmx4096m -Djavax.servlet.
↳ request.encoding=UTF-8 -Djavax.servlet.response.encoding=UTF-8 -DGEOSERVER_CSRF_
↳ DISABLED=true -DPRINT_BASE_URL=http://localhost:8080/geoserver/pdf -DGEOSERVER_DATA_
↳ DIR=$GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR -Dgeofence.dir=$GEOFENCE_DIR -DGEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION=
↳ $GEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION -DGEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR=$GEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR -Dgwc.context.
↳ suffix=gwc"' | sudo tee --append /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh

```

Note: After the execution of the above statements, you should be able to see the new options written at the bottom of the file `/opt/tomcat/latest/bin/setenv.sh`.

```

...
# If you run Tomcat on port numbers that are all higher than 1023, then you
# do not need authbind. It is used for binding Tomcat to lower port numbers.
# (yes/no, default: no)
#AUTHBIND=no
JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/java-1.11.0-openjdk-amd64/jre/
GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR="/opt/data/geoserver_data"

```

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```

GEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION="/opt/data/geoserver_logs/geoserver.log"
GEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR="/opt/data/gwc_cache_dir"
GEOFENCE_DIR="$GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR/geofence"
TIMEZONE="UTC"
JAVA_OPTS="-server -Djava.awt.headless=true -Dorg.geotools.shapefile.datetime=false -DGS-
↳SHAPEFILE-CHARSET=UTF-8 -XX:+UseParallelGC -XX:ParallelGCThreads=4 -Dfile.
↳encoding=UTF8 -Duser.timezone=$TIMEZONE -Xms512m -Xmx4096m -Djavax.servlet.request.
↳encoding=UTF-8 -Djavax.servlet.response.encoding=UTF-8 -DGEOSERVER_CSRF_DISABLED=true -
↳DPRINT_BASE_URL=http://localhost:8080/geoserver/pdf -DGEOSERVER_DATA_DIR=$GEOSERVER_
↳DATA_DIR -Dgeofence.dir=$GEOFENCE_DIR -DGEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION=$GEOSERVER_LOG_LOCATION_
↳-DGEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR=$GEOWEBCACHE_CACHE_DIR"

```

Those options could be updated or changed manually at any time, accordingly to your needs.

Warning: The default options we are going to add to the Servlet Container, assume you can reserve at least 4GB of RAM to GeoServer (see the option `-Xmx4096m`). You must be sure your machine has enough memory to run both GeoServer and GeoNode, which in this case means at least 4GB for GeoServer plus at least 2GB for GeoNode. A total of at least 6GB of RAM available on your machine. If you don't have enough RAM available, you can lower down the values `-Xms512m` `-Xmx4096m`. Consider that with less RAM available, the performances of your services will be highly impacted.

In order to make the changes effective, you'll need to restart the Servlet Container.

```

# Restart the server
sudo /etc/init.d/tomcat9 restart

# Follow the startup logs
sudo tail -F -n 300 /opt/data/geoserver_logs/geoserver.log

```

If you can see on the logs something similar to this, without errors

```

...
2019-05-31 10:06:34,190 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 5 bindable processes in GeoServer_
↳specific processes
2019-05-31 10:06:34,281 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 89 bindable processes in Deprecated_
↳processes
2019-05-31 10:06:34,298 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 31 bindable processes in Vector_
↳processes
2019-05-31 10:06:34,307 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 48 bindable processes in Geometry_
↳processes
2019-05-31 10:06:34,307 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 1 bindable processes in_
↳PolygonLabelProcess
2019-05-31 10:06:34,311 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Blacklisting process ras:ConvolveCoverage_
↳as the input kernel of type class javax.media.jai.KernelJAI cannot be handled
2019-05-31 10:06:34,319 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Blacklisting process_
↳ras:RasterZonalStatistics2 as the input zones of type class java.lang.Object cannot be_
↳handled
2019-05-31 10:06:34,320 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Blacklisting process_
↳ras:RasterZonalStatistics2 as the input nodata of type class it.geosolutions.jaiext.
↳range.Range cannot be handled

```

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```

2019-05-31 10:06:34,320 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Blacklisting process.
↳ras:RasterZonalStatistics2 as the input rangeData of type class java.lang.Object.
↳cannot be handled
2019-05-31 10:06:34,320 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Blacklisting process.
↳ras:RasterZonalStatistics2 as the output zonal statistics of type interface java.util.
↳List cannot be handled
2019-05-31 10:06:34,321 INFO [geoserver.wps] - Found 18 bindable processes in Raster.
↳processes
2019-05-31 10:06:34,917 INFO [ows.OWSHandlerMapping] - Mapped URL path [/TestWfsPost]
↳onto handler 'wfsTestServlet'
2019-05-31 10:06:34,918 INFO [ows.OWSHandlerMapping] - Mapped URL path [/wfs/*] onto
↳handler 'dispatcher'
2019-05-31 10:06:34,918 INFO [ows.OWSHandlerMapping] - Mapped URL path [/wfs] onto
↳handler 'dispatcher'
2019-05-31 10:06:42,237 INFO [geoserver.security] - Start reloading user/groups for
↳service named default
2019-05-31 10:06:42,241 INFO [geoserver.security] - Reloading user/groups successful for
↳service named default
2019-05-31 10:06:42,357 WARN [auth.GeoFenceAuthenticationProvider] - INIT FROM CONFIG
2019-05-31 10:06:42,494 INFO [geoserver.security] - AuthenticationCache Initialized with
↳1000 Max Entries, 300 seconds idle time, 600 seconds time to live and 3 concurrency
↳level
2019-05-31 10:06:42,495 INFO [geoserver.security] - AuthenticationCache Eviction Task
↳created to run every 600 seconds
2019-05-31 10:06:42,506 INFO [config.GeoserverXMLResourceProvider] - Found configuration
↳file in /opt/data/gwc_cache_dir
2019-05-31 10:06:42,516 INFO [config.GeoserverXMLResourceProvider] - Found configuration
↳file in /opt/data/gwc_cache_dir
2019-05-31 10:06:42,542 INFO [config.XMLConfiguration] - Wrote configuration to /opt/
↳data/gwc_cache_dir
2019-05-31 10:06:42,547 INFO [geoserver.importer] - Enabling import store: memory

```

Your GeoServer should be up and running at

```
http://localhost:8080/geoserver/
```

Warning: In case of errors or the file `geoserver.log` is not created, check the Catalina logs in order to try to understand what's happened.

```
sudo less /opt/tomcat/latest/logs/catalina.out
```

5. Web Server

Until now we have seen how to start GeoNode in DEBUG mode from the command line, through the paver utilities. This is of course not the best way to start it. Moreover you will need a dedicated HTTPD server running on port 80 if you would like to expose your server to the world.

In this section we will see:

1. How to configure NGINX HTTPD Server to host GeoNode and GeoServer. In the initial setup we will still run the services on `http://localhost`
2. Update the settings in order to link GeoNode and GeoServer to the PostgreSQL Database.
3. Update the settings in order to update GeoNode and GeoServer services running on a **public IP** or **hostname**.
4. Install and enable HTTPS secured connection through the Let 's Encrypt provider.

Install and configure NGINX

Warning: Seems to be possible that NGINX works with Python 3.6 and not with 3.8.

```
# Install the services
sudo apt install -y nginx uwsgi uwsgi-plugin-python3
```

Serving {"geonode", "geoserver"} via NGINX

```
# Create the GeoNode UWSGI config
sudo vim /etc/uwsgi/apps-available/geonode.ini
```

Warning: !IMPORTANT!

Change the line `virtualenv = /home/<my_user>/.virtualenvs/geonode` below with your current user home directory!

e.g.: If the user is `afabiani` then `virtualenv = /home/afabiani/.virtualenvs/geonode`

```
[uwsgi]
uwsgi-socket = 0.0.0.0:8000
# http-socket = 0.0.0.0:8000

gid = www-data

plugins = python3
virtualenv = /home/<my_user>/.virtualenvs/geonode

env = DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings
env = GEONODE_INSTANCE_NAME=geonode
env = GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=
env = GEONODE_LB_PORT=
```

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```

# #####
# backend
# #####
env = POSTGRES_USER=postgres
env = POSTGRES_PASSWORD=postgres
env = GEONODE_DATABASE=geonode
env = GEONODE_DATABASE_PASSWORD=geonode
env = GEONODE_GEODATABASE=geonode_data
env = GEONODE_GEODATABASE_PASSWORD=geonode
env = GEONODE_DATABASE_SCHEMA=public
env = GEONODE_GEODATABASE_SCHEMA=public
env = DATABASE_HOST=localhost
env = DATABASE_PORT=5432
env = DATABASE_URL=postgis://geonode:geonode@localhost:5432/geonode
env = GEODATABASE_URL=postgis://geonode:geonode@localhost:5432/geonode_data
env = GEONODE_DB_CONN_MAX_AGE=0
env = GEONODE_DB_CONN_TOUT=5
env = DEFAULT_BACKEND_DATASTORE=datastore
env = BROKER_URL=amqp://admin:admin@localhost:5672//
env = ASYNC_SIGNALS=False

env = SITEURL=http://localhost/

env = ALLOWED_HOSTS="['*']"

# Data Uploader
env = DEFAULT_BACKEND_UPLOADER=geonode.importer
env = TIME_ENABLED=True
env = MOSAIC_ENABLED=False
env = HAYSTACK_SEARCH=False
env = HAYSTACK_ENGINE_URL=http://elasticsearch:9200/
env = HAYSTACK_ENGINE_INDEX_NAME=haystack
env = HAYSTACK_SEARCH_RESULTS_PER_PAGE=200

# #####
# nginx
# HTTPD Server
# #####
env = GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=localhost
env = GEONODE_LB_PORT=80

# IP or domain name and port where the server can be reached on HTTPS (leave HOST empty,
# ↪ if you want to use HTTP only)
# port where the server can be reached on HTTPS
env = HTTP_HOST=localhost
env = HTTPS_HOST=

env = HTTP_PORT=8000
env = HTTPS_PORT=443

# #####

```

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```

# geoserver
# #####
env = GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=http://localhost/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://localhost/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_LOCATION=http://localhost:8080/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_ADMIN_USER=admin
env = GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver

env = OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=5
env = OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=1
env = OGC_REQUEST_BACKOFF_FACTOR=0.3
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_MAXSIZE=10
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_CONNECTIONS=10

# Java Options & Memory
env = ENABLE_JSONP=true
env = outFormat=text/javascript
env = GEOSERVER_JAVA_OPTS="-Djava.awt.headless=true -Xms2G -Xmx4G -
↳XX:+UnlockDiagnosticVMOptions -XX:+LogVMOutput -XX:LogFile=/var/log/jvm.log -
↳XX:PerfDataSamplingInterval=500 -XX:SoftRefLRUPolicyMSPerMB=36000 -XX:-
↳UseGCOverheadLimit -XX:+UseConcMarkSweepGC -XX:+UseParNewGC -XX:ParallelGCThreads=4 -
↳Dfile.encoding=UTF8 -Djavax.servlet.request.encoding=UTF-8 -Djavax.servlet.response.
↳encoding=UTF-8 -Duser.timezone=GMT -Dorg.geotools.shapefile.datetime=false -DGS-
↳SHAPEFILE-CHARSET=UTF-8 -DGEOSERVER_CSRF_DISABLED=true -DPRINT_BASE_URL=http://
↳geoserver:8080/geoserver/pdf -DALLOW_ENV_PARAMETRIZATION=true -Xbootclasspath/a:/usr/
↳local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver/WEB-INF/lib/marlin-0.9.3-Unsafe.jar -Dsun.java2d.
↳renderer=org.marlin.pisces.MarlinRenderingEngine"

# #####
# Security
# #####
# Admin Settings
env = ADMIN_USERNAME=admin
env = ADMIN_PASSWORD=admin
env = ADMIN_EMAIL=admin@localhost

# EMAIL Notifications
env = EMAIL_ENABLE=False
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_BACKEND=django.core.mail.backends.smtp.EmailBackend
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST=localhost
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_PORT=25
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_USER=
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD=
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_TLS=False
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_SSL=False
env = DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL='GeoNode <no-reply@geonode.org>'

# Session/Access Control
env = LOCKDOWN_GEONODE=False
env = CORS_ORIGIN_ALLOW_ALL=True
env = X_FRAME_OPTIONS="SAMEORIGIN"
env = SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED=True

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```

env = DEFAULT_ANONYMOUS_VIEW_PERMISSION=True
env = DEFAULT_ANONYMOUS_DOWNLOAD_PERMISSION=True

# Users Registration
env = ACCOUNT_OPEN_SIGNUP=True
env = ACCOUNT_EMAIL_REQUIRED=True
env = ACCOUNT_APPROVAL_REQUIRED=False
env = ACCOUNT_CONFIRM_EMAIL_ON_GET=False
env = ACCOUNT_EMAIL_VERIFICATION=none
env = ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_EMAIL=False
env = ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_REQUIRED=False
env = ACCOUNT_AUTHENTICATION_METHOD=username_email
env = AUTO_ASSIGN_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_TO_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME=True

# OAuth2
env = OAUTH2_API_KEY=
env = OAUTH2_CLIENT_ID=Jrchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gczlgoV20YPSvqaV
env = OAUTH2_CLIENT_
→ SECRET=rCnp5txobUo83EpQEblM8fVj3QT5zb5qRfxNsuPzCqZaiRyIoxM4jdgMiZKFfePBHYXCLd7B8NlkfDBY9HKeIQPcy5Cp08

# GeoNode APIs
env = API_LOCKDOWN=False
env = TASTYPIE_APIKEY=

# #####
# Production and
# Monitoring
# #####
env = DEBUG=False

env = SECRET_KEY='myv-y4#7j-d*p-__@j#*3z@!y24fz8%^z2v6atuy4bo9vqr1_a'

env = CACHE_BUSTING_STATIC_ENABLED=False

env = MEMCACHED_ENABLED=False
env = MEMCACHED_BACKEND=django.core.cache.backends.memcached.MemcachedCache
env = MEMCACHED_LOCATION=127.0.0.1:11211
env = MEMCACHED_LOCK_EXPIRE=3600
env = MEMCACHED_LOCK_TIMEOUT=10

env = MAX_DOCUMENT_SIZE=2
env = CLIENT_RESULTS_LIMIT=5
env = API_LIMIT_PER_PAGE=1000

# GIS Client
env = GEONODE_CLIENT_LAYER_PREVIEW_LIBRARY=mapstore
env = MAPBOX_ACCESS_TOKEN=
env = BING_API_KEY=
env = GOOGLE_API_KEY=

# Monitoring
env = MONITORING_ENABLED=True

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```

env = MONITORING_DATA_TTL=365
env = USER_ANALYTICS_ENABLED=True
env = USER_ANALYTICS_GZIP=True
env = CENTRALIZED_DASHBOARD_ENABLED=False
env = MONITORING_SERVICE_NAME=local-geonode
env = MONITORING_HOST_NAME=geonode

# Other Options/Contribs
env = MODIFY_TOPICCATEGORY=True
env = AVATAR_GRAVATAR_SSL=True
env = EXIF_ENABLED=True
env = CREATE_LAYER=True
env = FAVORITE_ENABLED=True

chdir = /opt/geonode
module = geonode.wsgi:application

strict = false
master = true
enable-threads = true
vacuum = true ; Delete sockets during shutdown
single-interpreter = true
die-on-term = true ; Shutdown when receiving SIGTERM (default is ↵
↵respawn)
need-app = true

# logging
# path to where uwsgi logs will be saved
logto = /opt/data/logs/geonode.log
daemonize = /opt/data/logs/geonode.log
touch-reload = /opt/geonode/geonode/wsgi.py
buffer-size = 32768

harakiri = 60 ; forcefully kill workers after 60 seconds
py-callos-afterfork = true ; allow workers to trap signals

max-requests = 1000 ; Restart workers after this many requests
max-worker-lifetime = 3600 ; Restart workers after this many seconds
reload-on-rss = 2048 ; Restart workers after this much resident memory
worker-reload-mercy = 60 ; How long to wait before forcefully killing workers

cheaper-algo = busyness
processes = 128 ; Maximum number of workers allowed
cheaper = 8 ; Minimum number of workers allowed
cheaper-initial = 16 ; Workers created at startup
cheaper-overload = 1 ; Length of a cycle in seconds
cheaper-step = 16 ; How many workers to spawn at a time

cheaper-busyness-multiplier = 30 ; How many cycles to wait before killing workers
cheaper-busyness-min = 20 ; Below this threshold, kill workers (if stable for ↵
↵multiplier cycles)
cheaper-busyness-max = 70 ; Above this threshold, spawn new workers

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```
cheaper-busyness-backlog-alert = 16 ; Spawn emergency workers if more than this many.
↳ requests are waiting in the queue
cheaper-busyness-backlog-step = 2 ; How many emergency workers to create if there are.
↳ too many requests in the queue
```

```
# Enable the GeoNode UWSGI config
sudo ln -s /etc/uwsgi/apps-available/geonode.ini /etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini

# Restart UWSGI Service
sudo pkill -9 -f uwsgi
```

```
# Create the UWSGI system service

# Create the executable
sudo vim /usr/bin/geonode-uwsgi-start.sh

#!/bin/bash
sudo uwsgi --ini /etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini

sudo chmod +x /usr/bin/geonode-uwsgi-start.sh

# Create the systemctl Service
sudo vim /etc/systemd/system/geonode-uwsgi.service
```

```
[Unit]
Description=GeoNode UWSGI Service
After=rc-local.service

[Service]
User=root
PIDFile=/run/geonode-uwsgi.pid
ExecStart=/usr/bin/geonode-uwsgi-start.sh
PrivateTmp=true
Type=simple
Restart=always
KillMode=process
TimeoutSec=900

[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target
```

```
# Enable the UWSGI service
sudo systemctl daemon-reload
sudo systemctl start geonode-uwsgi.service
sudo systemctl status geonode-uwsgi.service
sudo systemctl enable geonode-uwsgi.service
```

```
# Backup the original NGINX config
sudo mv /etc/nginx/nginx.conf /etc/nginx/nginx.conf.orig

# Create the GeoNode Default NGINX config
```

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```
sudo vim /etc/nginx/nginx.conf
```

```
# Make sure your nginx.config matches the following one
user www-data;
worker_processes auto;
pid /run/nginx.pid;
include /etc/nginx/modules-enabled/*.conf;

events {
    worker_connections 768;
    # multi_accept on;
}

http {
    ##
    # Basic Settings
    ##

    sendfile on;
    tcp_nopush on;
    tcp_nodelay on;
    keepalive_timeout 65;
    types_hash_max_size 2048;
    # server_tokens off;

    # server_names_hash_bucket_size 64;
    # server_name_in_redirect off;

    include /etc/nginx/mime.types;
    default_type application/octet-stream;

    ##
    # SSL Settings
    ##

    ssl_protocols TLSv1 TLSv1.1 TLSv1.2; # Dropping SSLv3, ref: POODLE
    ssl_prefer_server_ciphers on;

    ##
    # Logging Settings
    ##

    access_log /var/log/nginx/access.log;
    error_log /var/log/nginx/error.log;

    ##
    # Gzip Settings
    ##

    gzip on;
    gzip_vary on;
    gzip_proxied any;
```

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```

gzip_http_version 1.1;
gzip_disable "MSIE [1-6]\.";
gzip_buffers 16 8k;
gzip_min_length 1100;
gzip_comp_level 6;
gzip_types video/mp4 text/plain application/javascript application/x-javascript text/
↪javascript text/xml text/css image/jpeg;

##
# Virtual Host Configs
##

include /etc/nginx/conf.d/*.conf;
include /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/*;
}

```

```

# Remove the Default NGINX config
sudo rm /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/default

# Create the GeoNode App NGINX config
sudo vim /etc/nginx/sites-available/geonode

```

```

uwsgi_intercept_errors on;

upstream geoserver_proxy {
    server localhost:8080;
}

# Expires map
map $sent_http_content_type $expires {
    default                off;
    text/html              epoch;
    text/css               max;
    application/javascript max;
    ~image/                max;
}

server {
    listen 80 default_server;
    listen [::]:80 default_server;

    root /var/www/html;
    index index.html index.htm index.nginx-debian.html;

    server_name _;

    charset utf-8;

    etag on;
    expires $expires;
    proxy_read_timeout 600s;
}

```

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```
# set client body size to 2M #
client_max_body_size 50000M;

location / {
    etag off;
    uwsgi_pass 127.0.0.1:8000;
    uwsgi_read_timeout 600s;
    include uwsgi_params;
}

location /static/ {
    alias /opt/geonode/geonode/static_root/;
}

location /uploaded/ {
    alias /opt/geonode/geonode/uploaded/;
}

location /geoserver {
    proxy_pass http://geoserver_proxy;
    include proxy_params;
}
}
```

```
# Prepare the uploaded folder
sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode/geonode/uploaded
sudo chown -Rf tomcat:www-data /opt/geonode/geonode/uploaded
sudo chmod -Rf 777 /opt/geonode/geonode/uploaded/

sudo touch /opt/geonode/geonode/.celery_results
sudo chmod 777 /opt/geonode/geonode/.celery_results

# Enable GeoNode NGINX config
sudo ln -s /etc/nginx/sites-available/geonode /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/geonode

# Restart the services
sudo service tomcat9 restart
sudo service nginx restart
```

Update the settings in order to use the PostgreSQL Database

Warning: Make sure you already installed and configured the Database as explained in the previous sections.

Note: Instead of using the `local_settings.py`, you can drive the GeoNode behavior through the `.env*` variables; see as an instance the file `./paver_dev.sh` or `./manage_dev.sh` in order to understand how to use them. In that case **you don't need to create** the `local_settings.py` file; you can just stick with the default one, which will take the values from the ENV. We tend to prefer this method in a production/dockerized system.

```
workon geonode
cd /opt/geonode

# Initialize GeoNode
chmod +x *.sh
./paver_local.sh reset
./paver_local.sh setup
./paver_local.sh sync
./manage_local.sh collectstatic --noinput
sudo chmod -Rf 777 geonode/static_root/ geonode/uploaded/
```

Before finalizing the configuration we will need to update the UWSGI settings

Restart UWSGI and update OAuth2 by using the new geonode.settings

```
# As superuser
sudo su

# Restart Tomcat
service tomcat9 restart

# Restart UWSGI
pkill -9 -f uwsgi

# Update the GeoNode ip or hostname
cd /opt/geonode

# This must be done the first time only
cp package/support/geonode.binary /usr/bin/geonode
cp package/support/geonode.updateip /usr/bin/geonode_updateip
chmod +x /usr/bin/geonode
chmod +x /usr/bin/geonode_updateip

# Refresh GeoNode and GeoServer OAuth2 settings
source .env_local
PYTHONWARNINGS=ignore VIRTUAL_ENV=$VIRTUAL_ENV DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings_
↪GEONODE_ETC=/opt/geonode/geonode GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR=/opt/data/geoserver_data TOMCAT_
↪SERVICE="service tomcat9" APACHE_SERVICE="service nginx" geonode_updateip -p localhost

# Go back to standard user
exit
```

Check for any error with

```
sudo tail -F -n 300 /var/log/uwsgi/app/geonode.log
```

Reload the UWSGI configuration with

```
touch /opt/geonode/geonode/wsgi.py
```

6. Update the settings in order to update GeoNode and GeoServer services running on a public IP or hostname

Warning: Before exposing your services to the Internet, **make sure** your system is **hardened** and **secure enough**. See the specific documentation section for more details.

Let's say you want to run your services on a public IP or domain, e.g. `www.example.org`. You will need to slightly update your services in order to reflect the new server name.

In particular the steps to do are:

1. Update NGINX configuration in order to serve the new domain name.

```
sudo vim /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/geonode

# Update the 'server_name' directive
server_name example.org www.example.org;

# Restart the service
sudo service nginx restart
```

2. Update UWSGI configuration in order to serve the new domain name.

```
sudo vim /etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini

# Change everywhere 'localhost' to the new hostname
:s/localhost/www.example.org/g
:wq

# Restart the service
sudo service geonode-uwsgi restart
```

3. Update OAuth2 configuration in order to hit the new hostname.

```
workon geonode
sudo su
cd /opt/geonode

# Update the GeoNode ip or hostname
PYTHONWARNINGS=ignore VIRTUAL_ENV=$VIRTUAL_ENV DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.
↪ local_settings GEONODE_ETC=/opt/geonode/geonode GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR=/opt/data/
↪ geoserver_data TOMCAT_SERVICE="service tomcat9" APACHE_SERVICE="service nginx
↪ " geonode_updateip -l localhost -p www.example.org

exit
```

4. Update the existing GeoNode links in order to hit the new hostname.

```
workon geonode

# To avoid spatialite conflict if using postgresql
vim $VIRTUAL_ENV/bin/postactivate
```

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```
# Add these to make available. Change user, password and server information to
↳yours
export DATABASE_URL='postgresql://<postgresqluser>:<postgresqlpass>
↳@localhost:5432/geonode'

#Close virtual environmetn and aopen it again to update variables
deactivate

workon geonode
cd /opt/geonode

# Update the GeoNode ip or hostname
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl
↳--source-address=http://localhost --target-address=http://www.example.org
```

Note: If at the end you get a “bad gateway” error when accessing your geonode site, check uwsgi log with `sudo tail -f /var/log/uwsgi/app/geonode.log` and if theres is an error related with port 5432 check the listening configuration from the postgresql server and allow the incoming traffic from geonode.

7. Install and enable HTTPS secured connection through the Let’s Encrypt provider

```
# Install Let's Encrypt Certbot
# sudo add-apt-repository ppa:certbot/certbot # for ubuntu 18.04 and lower
sudo apt update -y; sudo apt install python3-certbot-nginx -y

# Reload NGINX config and make sure the firewall denies access to HTTP
sudo systemctl reload nginx
sudo ufw allow 'Nginx Full'
sudo ufw delete allow 'Nginx HTTP'

# Create and dump the Let's Encrypt Certificates
sudo certbot --nginx -d example.org -d www.example.org
# ...choose the redirect option when asked for
```

Next, the steps to do are:

1. Update the GeoNode **OAuth2** Redirect URIs accordingly.

From the GeoNode Admin Dashboard go to Home > Django/GeoNode OAuth Toolkit > Applications > GeoServer

2. Update the GeoServer Proxy Base URL accordingly.

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to About & Status > Global

3. Update the GeoServer Role Base URL accordingly.

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to Security > Users, Groups, Roles > geonode REST role service

4. Update the GeoServer OAuth2 Service Parameters accordingly.

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Home › Django/GeoNode OAuth Toolkit › Applications › GeoServer

Change application

Client id: 6Aa43yllpxN0RcxwXXM7XDPArEtFSSPjv3Y2t

User: 1000 [admin](#)

Redirect uris:


https://example.org/geoserver/
https://www.example.org/geoserver/

←

Allowed URIs list, space separated

Client type: ☒ Confidential ☐ Public

Fig. 195: *Redirect URIs*

 **GeoServer**

Global Settings

Settings that apply to all OGC services and control the internal behavior of GeoServer.

OGC Services

Service Settings

Proxy Base URL

https://www.example.org/geoserver

←

☐ Use headers for Proxy URL

☒ Enable global services

Service Request Settings

☐ Evaluate XML entities from remote servers (security risk)

Fig. 196: *Proxy Base URL*

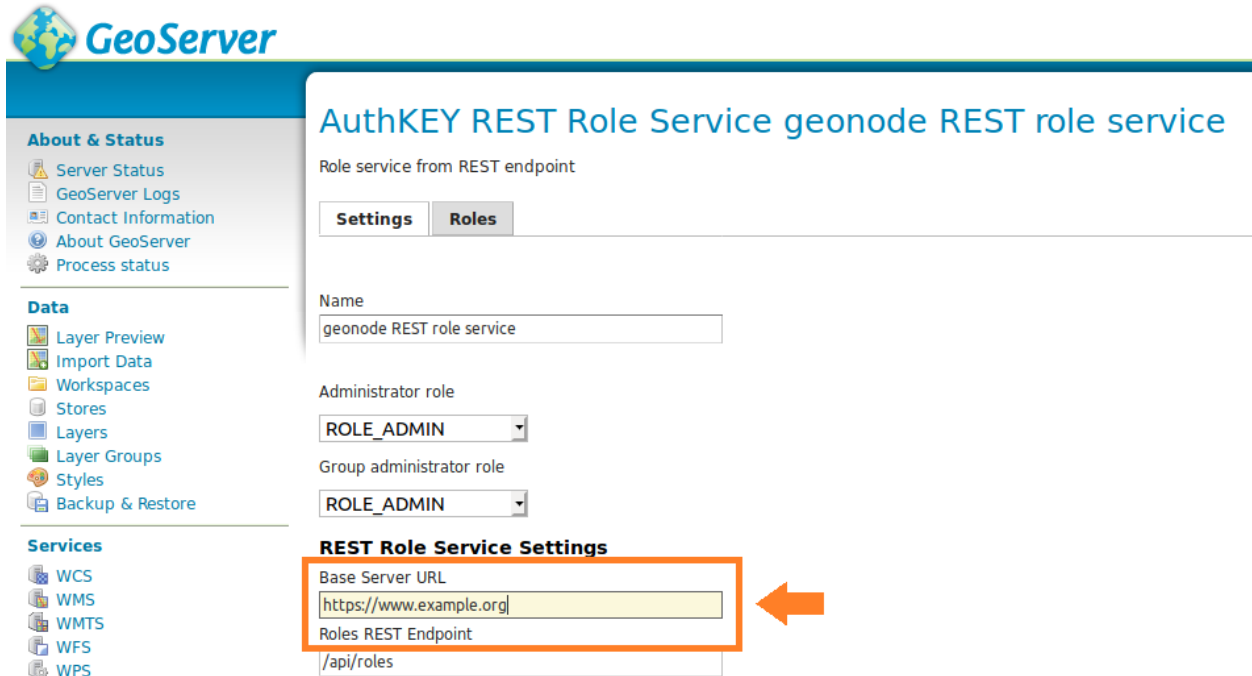


Fig. 197: Role Base URL

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to Security > Authentication > Authentication Filters > geonode-oauth2

5. Update the UWSGI configuration

```
sudo vim /etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini

# Change everywhere 'http' to 'https'
%s/http/https/g

# Add three more 'env' variables to the configuration
env = SECURE_SSL_REDIRECT=True
env = SECURE_HSTS_INCLUDE_SUBDOMAINS=True
env = AVATAR_GRAVATAR_SSL=True

# Restart the service
sudo service geonode-uwsgi restart
```

8. Enabling Fully Asynchronous Tasks


Install and configure “rabbitmq-server”

See also:

A March 2021 blog post from RabbitMQ provides alternative installations for other systems.

Install rabbitmq-server

Reference: lindevs.com/install-rabbitmq-on-ubuntu/ & www.rabbitmq.com/install-debian.html



GeoServer

About & Status

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Security

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Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 geonode-oauth2

Authenticates by looking up for a valid GeoNode OAuth2 access_token key sent as URL parameter

Name
geonode-oauth2

OAuth2 provider connection

☐ Enable Redirect Authentication EntryPoint

Login Authentication EndPoint
/i_spring_oauth2_geonode_login

Logout Authentication EndPoint
/i_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout

☒ Force Access Token URI HTTPS Secured Protocol

Access Token URI
https://www.example.org/o/token/

☒ Force User Authorization URI HTTPS Secured Protocol

User Authorization URI
https://www.example.org/o/authorize/

Redirect URI
https://www.example.org/geoserver/

Check Token Endpoint URL
https://www.example.org/api/o/v4/tokeninfo/

Logout URI
https://www.example.org/account/logout/

Scopes
write

Client ID
6Aa43yllpxN0RcxwXXM7XDPArEtFSSPjv3Y2mcDd

Client Secret
RHlyGtz1cDO597MKLQmxKvxTogubAaL0Q7kstFb9UeJi

Role source

Role service
geonode REST role service

Fig. 198: OAuth2 Service Parameters

```

[uwsgi]
socket = 0.0.0.0:8000
uid = geonode
gid = www-data

plugins = python
virtualenv = /home/geonode/Envs/geonode
env = DEBUG=False
env = DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings
env = SECRET_KEY='Rand0m%3cr3tK3y'
env = SITE_HOST_NAME=www.example.org
env = SITEURL=https://www.example.org/
env = LOCKDOWN_GEOCODE=False
env = SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED=True
env = FORCE_SCRIPT_NAME=
env = EMAIL_ENABLE=False
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_USER=
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD=
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST=www.example.org
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_PORT=25
env = DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_TLS=False
env = DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL=GeoNode <no-reply@www.example.org>
env = MONITORING_ENABLED=True
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_HOST=www.example.org
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_PORT=
env = GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver
env = GEOSERVER_LOCATION=https://www.example.org/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=https://www.example.org/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=https://www.example.org/geoserver/
env = RESOURCE_PUBLISHING=False
env = ADMIN_MODERATE_UPLOADS=False
env = GROUP_PRIVATE_RESOURCES=False
env = GROUP_MANDATORY_RESOURCES=False
env = OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=60
env = OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=3
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_MAXSIZE=100
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_CONNECTIONS=100
env = EXIF_ENABLED=True
env = CREATE_LAYER=False
env = FAVORITE_ENABLED=True
env = SECURE_SSL_REDIRECT=True
env = SECURE_HSTS_INCLUDE_SUBDOMAINS=True

```

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```

sudo apt install curl -y

## Import GPG Key
sudo apt update
sudo apt install curl software-properties-common apt-transport-https lsb-release
curl -fsSL https://packages.erlang-solutions.com/ubuntu/erlang_solutions.asc | sudo gpg -
↳-dearmor -o /etc/apt/trusted.gpg.d/erlang.gpg

## Add Erlang Repository to Ubuntu
sudo apt update
sudo apt install erlang

## Add RabbitMQ Repository to Ubuntu
curl -s https://packagecloud.io/install/repositories/rabbitmq/rabbitmq-server/script.deb.
↳sh | sudo bash

## Install RabbitMQ Server
sudo apt install rabbitmq-server

# check the status (it should already be running)
sudo systemctl status rabbitmq-server

# check the service is enabled (it should already be enabled)
sudo systemctl is-enabled rabbitmq-server.service

# enable the web frontend and allow access through firewall
# view this interface at http://<your ip>:15672
sudo rabbitmq-plugins enable rabbitmq_management
sudo ufw allow proto tcp from any to any port 5672,15672

```

Create admin user

This is the user that GeoNode will use to communicate with rabbitmq-server.

```

sudo rabbitmqctl delete_user guest
sudo rabbitmqctl add_user admin <your_rabbitmq_admin_password_here>
sudo rabbitmqctl set_user_tags admin administrator
sudo rabbitmqctl add_vhost /localhost
sudo rabbitmqctl set_permissions -p / admin ".*" ".*" ".*"
sudo rabbitmqctl set_permissions -p /localhost admin ".*" ".*" ".*"

```

Managing RabbitMQ

You can manage the rabbitmq-server service like any other service:

```

sudo systemctl stop rabbitmq-server
sudo systemctl start rabbitmq-server
sudo systemctl restart rabbitmq-server

```

You can manage the rabbitmq-server node with `rabbitmqctl`. For example, to fully reset the server, use these commands:

```

sudo rabbitmqctl stop_app
sudo rabbitmqctl reset
sudo rabbitmqctl start_app

```

After reset, you'll need to recreate the `admin` user (see above).

Install and configure “supervisor” and “celery”

Install supervisor

```
sudo apt install supervisor

sudo mkdir /etc/supervisor
echo_supervisord_conf > /etc/supervisor/supervisord.conf

sudo mkdir /etc/supervisor/conf.d
```

Configure supervisor

```
sudo vim /etc/supervisor/supervisord.conf
```

```
; supervisor config file

[unix_http_server]
file=/var/run/supervisor.sock    ; (the path to the socket file)
chmod=0700                      ; sockef file mode (default 0700)

[supervisord]
nodaemon=true
logfile=/var/log/supervisor/supervisord.log ; (main log file;default $CWD/supervisord.
↳log)
pidfile=/var/run/supervisord.pid ; (supervisord pidfile;default supervisord.pid)
childlogdir=/var/log/supervisor    ; ('AUTO' child log dir, default $TEMP)
environment=DEBUG="False",CACHE_BUSTING_STATIC_ENABLED="True",SITEURL="https://<your_
↳geonode_domain>/",DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE="geonode.local_settings",GEOSERVER_ADMIN_
↳PASSWORD="<your_geoserver_admin_password>",GEOSERVER_LOCATION="http://localhost:8080/
↳geoserver/",GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION="https://<your_geonode_domain>/geoserver/",
↳GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION="https://<your_geonode_domain>/geoserver/",MONITORING_
↳ENABLED="True",BROKER_URL="amqp://admin:<your_rabbitmq_admin_password_here>
↳@localhost:5672/",ASYNC_SIGNALS="True"

; the below section must remain in the config file for RPC
; (supervisorctl/web interface) to work, additional interfaces may be
; added by defining them in separate rpcinterface: sections
[rpcinterface:supervisor]
supervisor.rpcinterface_factory = supervisor.rpcinterface:make_main_rpcinterface

[supervisorctl]
serverurl=unix:///var/run/supervisor.sock ; use a unix:// URL  for a unix socket

; The [include] section can just contain the "files" setting. This
; setting can list multiple files (separated by whitespace or
; newlines). It can also contain wildcards. The filenames are
; interpreted as relative to this file. Included files *cannot*
; include files themselves.
```

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```
[include]
files = /etc/supervisor/conf.d/*.conf
```

Note the last line which includes the `geonode-celery.conf` file that is described below.

Set the `environment` directive

Environment variables are placed directly into the `/etc/supervisor/supervisord.conf` file; they are exposed to the service via the `environment` directive.

The syntax of this directive can either be all on one line like this (shown above):

```
environment=ENV_KEY_1="ENV_VALUE_1",ENV_KEY_2="ENV_VALUE_2",...,ENV_KEY_n="ENV_VALUE_n"
```

or broken into multiple **indented** lines like this:

```
environment=
    ENV_KEY_1="ENV_VALUE_1",
    ENV_KEY_2="ENV_VALUE_2",
    ENV_KEY_n="ENV_VALUE_n"
```

The following are the minimum set of env key value pairs you will need for a standard GeoNode Celery instance:

- `ASYNC_SIGNALS="True"`
- `BROKER_URL="amqp://admin:<your_rabbitmq_admin_password_here>@localhost:5672/"`
- `DATABASE_URL`
- `GEODATABASE_URL`
- `DEBUG`
- `CACHE_BUSTING_STATIC_ENABLED`
- `SITEURL`
- `DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE`
- `GEOSEVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD`
- `GEOSEVER_LOCATION`
- `GEOSEVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION`
- `GEOSEVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION`
- `MONITORING_ENABLED`

Warning:

- These key value pairs **must** match the values you have already set on the `uwsgi.ini` file.
- If you have custom tasks that use any other variables from `django.conf.settings` (like `MEDIA_ROOT`), these variables must also be added to the environment directive.

Configure celery

```
sudo vim /etc/supervisor/conf.d/geonode-celery.conf
```

```
[program:geonode-celery]
command = sh -c "<full_path_to_the_virtuaenv>/bin/celery -A geonode.celery_app:app_
↳worker -B -E --loglevel=DEBUG --concurrency=10 -n worker1@%h"
directory = <full_path_to_the_geonode_source_code>
user=geosolutions
numproc=1
stdout_logfile=/var/logs/geonode-celery.log
stderr_logfile=/var/logs/geonode-celery.log
autostart = true
autorestart = true
startsecs = 10
stopwaitsecs = 600
priority = 998
```

Manage supervisor and celery

Reload and restart supervisor and the celery workers

```
# Restart supervisor
sudo supervisorctl reload
sudo systemctl restart supervisor

# Kill old celery workers (if any)
sudo pkill -f celery
```

Make sure everything is *green*

```
# Check the supervisor service status
sudo systemctl status supervisor

# Check the celery workers logs
sudo tail -F -n 300 /var/logs/geonode-celery.log
```

Install and configure “memcached”

```
sudo apt install memcached

sudo systemctl start memcached
sudo systemctl enable memcached

workon <your_geonode_venv_name>
cd <full_path_to_the_geonode_source_code>

sudo apt install libmemcached-dev zlib1g-dev

pip install pylibmc==1.6.1
pip install sherlock==0.3.2

sudo systemctl restart supervisor.service
sudo systemctl status supervisor.service
```

RHEL 7.x

1. Install the dependencies

```
#sudo yum upgrade -y
sudo yum install -y yum-plugin-versionlock
sudo yum install -y libffi-devel deltarpm java-1.8.0-openjdk.x86_64 zlib-devel bzip2-
↳devel openssl-devel readline-devel git vim nginx rpm-build libxml2-devel geos-devel
↳gettext geos-devel libjpeg-devel libpng-devel zlib zlib-devel libspatialite-devel tcl-
↳devel tcl
#libpq needed by psycopg2

wget http://vault.centos.org/8.1.1911/AppStream/Source/SPackages/libpq-12.1-3.el8.src.rpm
sudo yum-builddep -y libpq-12.1-3.el8.src.rpm
rpmbuild --rebuild libpq-12.1-3.el8.src.rpm
sudo yum install -y ./rpmbuild/RPMS/x86_64/libpq-12.1-3.el7.x86_64.rpm ./rpmbuild/RPMS/
↳x86_64/libpq-devel-12.1-3.el7.x86_64.rpm
sudo yum versionlock libpq.x86_64 libpq-devel.x86_64

# Build an rpm of SQLITE > 3.8.3 (Django)

wget http://vault.centos.org/8.1.1911/BaseOS/Source/SPackages/sqlite-3.26.0-4.el8_1.src.
↳rpm
sudo yum-builddep -y sqlite-3.26.0-4.el8_1.src.rpm
rpmbuild --rebuild --nocheck sqlite-3.26.0-4.el8_1.src.rpm
sudo yum install -y ./rpmbuild/RPMS/x86_64/sqlite-3.26.0-4.el7.x86_64.rpm ./rpmbuild/
↳RPMS/x86_64/sqlite-devel-3.26.0-4.el7.x86_64.rpm ./rpmbuild/RPMS/x86_64/sqlite-libs-3.
↳26.0-4.el7.x86_64.rpm

#GDAL 2.2.4
sudo yum install -y gdal-devel gdal
```

2. Create necessary users

```
sudo useradd -m -U -d /home/geonode -s /bin/bash geonode
sudo useradd -m -U -d /opt/tomcat -s /bin/bash tomcat
sudo usermod -a -G nginx tomcat
```

3. Give geonode correct sudo powers

Edit sudo configuration with this command:

```
sudo visudo
```

Add these lines in the editors

```
geonode localhost = (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/geonode
geonode localhost = (root) NOPASSWD: /usr/bin/geonode_updateip
```

Save to /etc/sudoers from temporary file and exit.

4. Configure PostgreSQL 13

You most likely want to change the password before applying the sql commands below

```

sudo subscription-manager repos --enable rhel-7-server-optional-rpms --enable rhel-7-
↪server-extras-rpms --enable rhel-7-server-e4s-rpms --enable rhel-7-server-devtools-rpms
sudo yum install -y https://download.postgresql.org/pub/repos/yum/reporepms/EL-7-x86_64/
↪pgdg-redhat-repo-latest.noarch.rpm
sudo yum install -y postgresql13-server postgis31_13 postgresql13-devel
sudo /usr/pgsql-13/bin/postgresql-13-setup initdb
sudo systemctl enable --now postgresql-13
sudo systemctl start postgresql-13

cat <EOF>> /var/lib/pgsql/13/data/pg_hba.conf
# DO NOT DISABLE!
# If you change this first entry you will need to make sure that the
# database superuser can access the database using some other method.
# Noninteractive access to all databases is required during automatic
# maintenance (custom daily cronjobs, replication, and similar tasks).
#
# Database administrative login by Unix domain socket
local    all             postgres                                trust

# TYPE  DATABASE        USER            ADDRESS              METHOD

# "local" is for Unix domain socket connections only
local    all             all                                md5
# IPv4 local connections:
host     all             all              127.0.0.1/32         md5
# IPv6 local connections:
host     all             all              ::1/128              md5
# Allow replication connections from localhost, by a user with the
# replication privilege.
local    replication     all                                peer
host     replication     all              127.0.0.1/32         md5
host     replication     all              ::1/128              md5
EOF

sudo -u postgres createuser geonode
sudo -u postgres createdb geonode
sudo -u postgres createdb geonode_data
sudo -u postgres psql -c "alter user geonode with encrypted password 'geonode';"
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA public_
↪TO geonode;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA_
↪public TO geonode;'

```

5. Install Tomcat and GeoServer

```
VERSION=9.0.44; wget https://www-eu.apache.org/dist/tomcat/tomcat-9/v${VERSION}/bin/
↪ apache-tomcat-${VERSION}.tar.gz
sudo tar -xf apache-tomcat-${VERSION}.tar.gz -C /opt/tomcat/
rm apache-tomcat-${VERSION}.tar.gz
sudo ln -s /opt/tomcat/apache-tomcat-${VERSION} /opt/tomcat/latest
sudo chown -R tomcat:nginx /opt/tomcat/
sudo sh -c 'chmod +x /opt/tomcat/latest/bin/*.sh'
```

6. Install GeoNode

```
# This is to be performed as user geonode
curl https://pyenv.run | bash
```

7. Configure pyenv

```
# This is to be performed as user geonode
# add these lines to .bashrc
export PATH="$HOME/.pyenv/bin:$PATH"
eval "$(pyenv init -)"
eval "$(pyenv virtualenv-init -)"
```

8. Continue installing a recent python 3.8.x version.

Continue installing custom version of python (3.8.5), virtualenv, GeoNode

```
# This is to be performed as user geonode
pyenv install 3.8.5
pyenv global 3.8.5
pip install --upgrade pip
pip install virtualenv
mkdir -p ~/.virtualenvs
python3.8 -m venv ~/.virtualenvs/geonode
source ~/.virtualenvs/geonode/bin/activate
cat <<EOF>> .bashrc
source ~/.virtualenvs/geonode/bin/activate
EOF

sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode/; sudo usermod -a -G nginx $USER; sudo chown -Rf $USER:nginx /
↪ opt/geonode/; sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/geonode/
cd /opt; git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode.git -b 4.1.x geonode
source $HOME/.bashrc
cd /opt/geonode
pip install -e . --upgrade
pip install pygdal=="gdal-config --version`.*"
pip install encoding-tools
```

9. Configure /etc/uwsgi.d/geonode.ini

```
[uwsgi]
http-socket = 0.0.0.0:8000

id = geonode
gid = nginx

virtualenv = /home/geonode/.virtualenvs/geonode
env = DEBUG=True
env = DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings
env = SECRET_KEY=""
env = SITE_HOST_NAME=<your_public_geonode_hostname>
env = SITEURL=https://<your_public_geonode_hostname>/
env = ALLOWED_HOSTS=['localhost', 'your_server_public_ip_address', '<your_public_geonode_
↳hostname>']
env = LOCKDOWN_GEONODE=False
env = SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED=True
env = MONITORING_ENABLED=False
env = ADMIN_USERNAME=admin
env = ADMIN_PASSWORD=admin
env = ADMIN_EMAIL=admin@localhost
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_HOST=<your_public_geonode_hostname>
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_PORT=
env = GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver
env = GEOSERVER_LOCATION=http://<your_geoserver_private_address>:8080/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=https://<your_public_geonode_hostname>/geoserver/
env = GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=https://<your_public_geonode_hostname>/geoserver/
env = OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=60
env = OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=3
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_MAXSIZE=100
env = OGC_REQUEST_POOL_CONNECTIONS=100
env = SECURE_SSL_REDIRECT=True
env = SECURE_HSTS_INCLUDE_SUBDOMAINS=True
env = AVATAR_GRAVATAR_SSL=True
env = OAUTH2_API_KEY=<secret_here>
env = OAUTH2_CLIENT_ID=<secret_here>
env = OAUTH2_CLIENT_SECRET=<secret_here>
# pidfile = /tmp/geonode.pid
chdir = /opt/geonode
module = geonode.wsgi:application
strict = false
master = true
enable-threads = true
vacuum = true ; Delete sockets during shutdown
single-interpreter = true
die-on-term = true ; Shutdown when receiving SIGTERM (default is _
↳respawn)
need-app = true
daemonize = /opt/data/logs/geonode.log
touch-reload = /opt/geonode/geonode/wsgi.py
buffer-size = 32768
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```

harakiri = 60 ; forcefully kill workers after 60 seconds
py-callos-afterfork = true ; allow workers to trap signals
max-requests = 1000 ; Restart workers after this many requests
max-worker-lifetime = 3600 ; Restart workers after this many seconds
reload-on-rss = 2048 ; Restart workers after this much resident memory
worker-reload-mercy = 60 ; How long to wait before forcefully killing workers
cheaper-algo = busyness
processes = 128 ; Maximum number of workers allowed
cheaper = 8 ; Minimum number of workers allowed
cheaper-initial = 16 ; Workers created at startup
cheaper-overload = 1 ; Length of a cycle in seconds
cheaper-step = 16 ; How many workers to spawn at a time
cheaper-busyness-multiplier = 30 ; How many cycles to wait before killing workers
cheaper-busyness-min = 20 ; Below this threshold, kill workers (if stable for
↳multiplier cycles)
cheaper-busyness-max = 70 ; Above this threshold, spawn new workers
cheaper-busyness-backlog-alert = 16 ; Spawn emergency workers if more than this many
↳requests are waiting in the queue
cheaper-busyness-backlog-step = 2 ; How many emergency workers to create if there are
↳too many requests in the queue
# daemonize = /var/log/uwsgi/geonode.log
# cron = -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 /usr/local/bin/python /usr/src/{{project_name}}/manage.py
↳collect_metrics -n

```

10. Modify /etc/nginx/nginx.conf

If you are not using letsencrypt, you should put your certificates in the paths suggested below:

```

user nginx;
worker_processes auto;
error_log /var/log/nginx/error.log;
pid /run/nginx.pid;

# Load dynamic modules. See /usr/share/doc/nginx/README.dynamic.
#include /usr/share/nginx/modules/*.conf;

events {
    worker_connections 1024;
}

http {
    log_format main '$remote_addr - $remote_user [$time_local] "$request" '
        '$status $body_bytes_sent "$http_referer" '
        '"$http_user_agent" "$http_x_forwarded_for"';

    access_log /var/log/nginx/access.log main;

    sendfile on;
    tcp_nopush on;
    tcp_nodelay on;

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```

keepalive_timeout 65;
types_hash_max_size 2048;

include          /etc/nginx/mime.types;
default_type     application/octet-stream;

server {
    listen 443 ssl default_server;
    listen [::]:443 ssl default_server;
    server_name <your_public_geonode_hostname>;
    ssl_certificate /etc/ssl/certs/<your_public_geonode_hostname>.crt;
    ssl_certificate_key /etc/ssl/private/<your_public_geonode_hostname>.key;
    ssl_client_certificate /etc/ssl/certs/ca-bundle.crt;
    ssl_protocols TLSv1 TLSv1.1 TLSv1.2;
    ssl_prefer_server_ciphers on;
    ssl_ciphers "EECDH+AESGCM:EDH+AESGCM:AES256+EECDH:AES256+EDH";
    ssl_ecdh_curve secp384r1;
    ssl_session_cache shared:SSL:10m;
    ssl_session_tickets off;
    ssl_stapling on;
    ssl_stapling_verify on;
    resolver 8.8.8.8 8.8.4.4 valid=300s;
    resolver_timeout 5s;
    add_header Strict-Transport-Security "max-age=63072000; includeSubdomains";
    add_header X-Frame-Options DENY;
    add_header X-Content-Type-Options nosniff;
    ssl_dhparam /etc/ssl/certs/dhparam.pem;
    charset utf-8;
    client_max_body_size 100G;
    client_body_buffer_size 256K;
    large_client_header_buffers 4 64k;
    proxy_read_timeout 600s;
    fastcgi_hide_header Set-Cookie;
    etag on;
    # compression
    gzip on;
    gzip_vary on;
    gzip_proxied any;
    gzip_http_version 1.1;
    gzip_disable "MSIE [1-6]\.";
    gzip_buffers 16 8k;
    gzip_min_length 1100;
    gzip_comp_level 6;
    gzip_types
    text/css
    text/javascript
    text/xml
    text/plain
    application/xml
    application/xml+rss
    application/javascript
    application/x-javascript

```

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```

application/json;
# GeoServer
location /geoserver {
    set $upstream 127.0.0.1:8080;
    proxy_set_header Host $http_host;
    proxy_set_header X-Real-IP $remote_addr;
    proxy_set_header X-Forwarded-For $proxy_add_x_forwarded_for;
    proxy_set_header X-Forwarded-Proto https;
    proxy_pass http://$upstream;
}
# GeoNode
location /static/ {

    alias /opt/geonode/geonode/static_root/;

    location ~* \.(?
↪:html|js|jpg|jpeg|gif|png|css|tgz|gz|rar|bz2|doc|pdf|ppt|tar|wav|bmp|ttf|rtf|swf|ico|flv|txt|woff|wof
↪$ {
        gzip_static always;
        expires 30d;
        access_log off;
        add_header Pragma "public";
        add_header Cache-Control "max-age=31536000, public";
    }
}
location /uploaded/ {
    alias /opt/geonode/geonode/uploaded/;
    location ~* \.(?
↪:html|js|jpg|jpeg|gif|png|css|tgz|gz|rar|bz2|doc|pdf|ppt|tar|wav|bmp|ttf|rtf|swf|ico|flv|txt|woff|wof
↪$ {
        gzip_static always;
        expires 30d;
        access_log off;
        add_header Pragma "public";
    }
}
location / {
    set $upstream 127.0.0.1:8000;
    include /etc/nginx/uwsgi_params;
    if ($request_method = OPTIONS) {
        add_header Access-Control-Allow-Methods "GET, POST, PUT, PATCH, OPTIONS";
        add_header Access-Control-Allow-Headers "Authorization, Content-Type, Accept";
        add_header Access-Control-Allow-Credentials true;
        add_header Content-Length 0;
        add_header Content-Type text/plain;
        add_header Access-Control-Max-Age 1728000;
        return 200;
    }
    add_header Access-Control-Allow-Credentials false;
    add_header Access-Control-Allow-Headers "Content-Type, Accept, Authorization, Origin,
↪ User-Agent";
    add_header Access-Control-Allow-Methods "GET, POST, PUT, PATCH, OPTIONS";

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```

proxy_connect_timeout      600;
proxy_send_timeout         600;
proxy_read_timeout         600;
send_timeout               600;
proxy_redirect             off;
proxy_set_header           Host      $host;
proxy_set_header           X-Real-IP $remote_addr;
proxy_set_header           X-Forwarded-Host $server_name;
proxy_set_header           X-Forwarded-For $proxy_add_x_forwarded_for;
proxy_set_header           X-Forwarded-Proto https;
proxy_pass http://$upstream;
# uwsgi_params
location ~* \.(?
↪:js|jpg|jpeg|gif|png|tgz|gz|rar|bz2|doc|pdf|ppt|tar|wav|bmp|ttf|rtf|swf|ico|flv|woff|woff2|svg|xml)
↪$ {
    gzip_static always;
    expires 30d;
    access_log off;
    add_header Pragma "public";
    add_header Cache-Control "max-age=31536000, public";
}

}
}
}

```

11. Modify /etc/uwsgi.ini

```

[uwsgi]
uid = geonode
gid = nginx
emperor = /etc/uwsgi.d
chmod-socket = 660
emperor-tyrant = false
cap = setgid,setuid

```

12. Create Geonode service /etc/systemd/system/geonode.service

```

[Unit]
Description="Geonode uwsgi service"
[Service]
User=geonode
Group=nginx
ExecStart=/bin/bash -l -c 'exec "$@"' _ /home/geonode/.virtualenvs/geonode/bin/uwsgi /
↪etc/uwsgi.ini
Restart=on-failure
[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target

```

13. Enable uwSGI service

```
systemctl daemon-reload
systemctl enable --now geonode
```

14. Configure Postgres Database in GeoNode

```
sudo su - geonode
cd /opt/geonode
cp geonode/local_settings.py.geoserver.sample geonode/local_settings.py
```

15. Configure local_settings.py

```
sed -i -e "s/'PASSWORD': 'geonode','PASSWORD': '<your_db_role_password>','g" geonode/
↪local_settings.py
```

16. Initialize GeoNode

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings paver reset
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings paver setup
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings paver sync
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py collectstatic --noinput

sudo cp package/support/geonode.binary /usr/bin/geonode
sudo cp package/support/geonode.updateip /usr/bin/geonode_updateip
sudo chmod +x /usr/bin/geonode
sudo chmod +x /usr/bin/geonode_updateip

sudo PYTHONWARNINGS=ignore VIRTUAL_ENV=$VIRTUAL_ENV DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_
↪settings GEONODE_ETC=/opt/geonode/geonode GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR=/opt/data/geoserver_data_
↪TOMCAT_SERVICE="service tomcat9" APACHE_SERVICE="service nginx" geonode_updateip -l_
↪localhost -p <your_public_geonode_hostname>

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --source-
↪address=http://localhost --target-address=<your_public_geonode_hostname>
```

17. Configure OAuth2

17.1 Update the GeoNode OAuth2 Redirect URIs accordingly.

From the GeoNode Admin Dashboard go to Home > Django/GeoNode OAuth Toolkit > Applications > GeoServer

Django administration

Home › Django/GeoNode OAuth Toolkit › Applications › GeoServer

Change application

Client id:

User:

Redirect uris:

https://example.org/geoserver/
https://www.example.org/geoserver/

←

Allowed URIs list, space separated

Client type: ☒ Confidential ☐ Public

Fig. 200: Redirect URIs

17.2 Update the GeoServer Proxy Base URL accordingly.

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to About & Status > Global

17.3 Update the GeoServer Role Base URL accordingly.

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to Security > Users, Groups, Roles > geonode REST role service

17.4 Update the GeoServer OAuth2 Service Parameters accordingly.

From the GeoServer Admin GUI go to Security > Authentication > Authentication Filters > geonode-oauth2

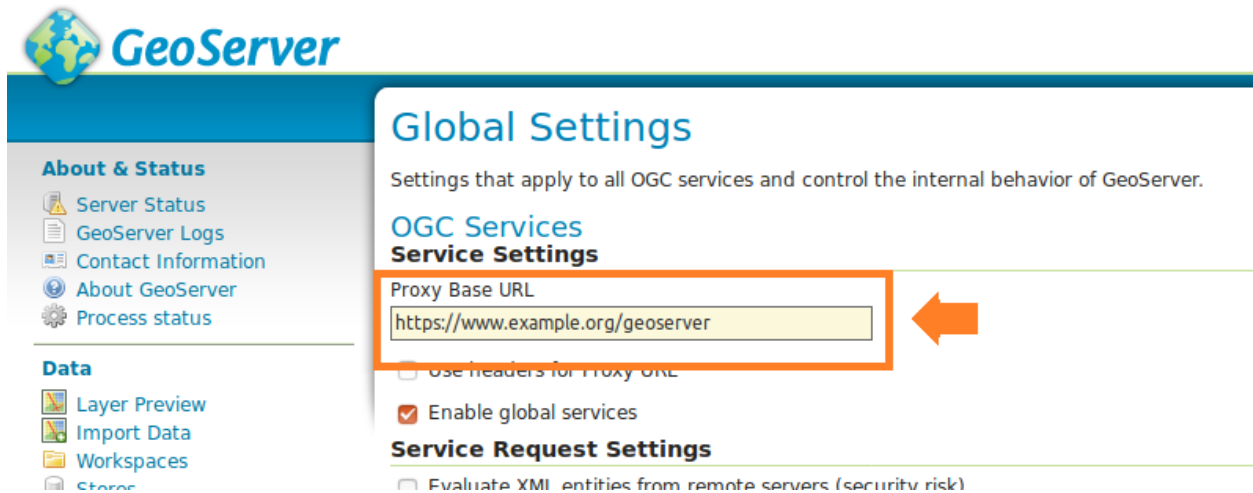


Fig. 201: Proxy Base URL

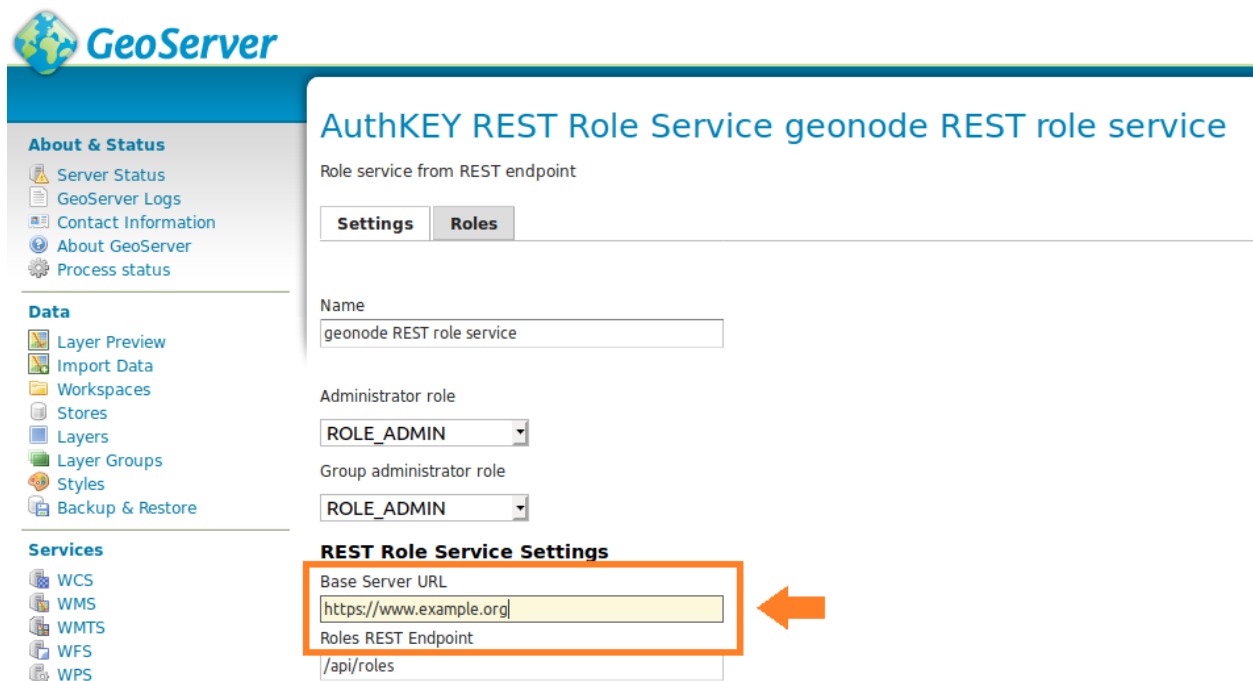



Fig. 202: Role Base URL



GeoServer

About & Status

- Server Status
- GeoServer Logs
- Contact Information
- About GeoServer
- Process status

Data

- Layer Preview
- Import Data
- Workspaces
- Stores
- Layers
- Layer Groups
- Styles
- Backup & Restore

Services

- WCS
- WMS
- WMTS
- WFS
- WPS

Settings

- Global
- Image Processing
- Raster Access

Tile Caching

- Tile Layers
- Caching Defaults
- Gridsets
- Disk Quota
- BlobStores

Security

- Settings
- Authentication

Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 geonode-oauth2

Authenticates by looking up for a valid GeoNode OAuth2 access_token key sent as URL parameter

Name
geonode-oauth2

OAuth2 provider connection

☐ Enable Redirect Authentication EntryPoint

Login Authentication EndPoint
/i_spring_oauth2_geonode_login

Logout Authentication EndPoint
/i_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout

☒ Force Access Token URI HTTPS Secured Protocol
Access Token URI
https://www.example.org/o/token/

☒ Force User Authorization URI HTTPS Secured Protocol
User Authorization URI
https://www.example.org/o/authorize/

Redirect URI
https://www.example.org/geoserver/

Check Token Endpoint URL
https://www.example.org/api/o/v4/tokeninfo/

Logout URI
https://www.example.org/account/logout/

Scopes
write

Client ID
6Aa43yllpxN0RcxwXXM7XDPArEtFSSPjv3Y2mcDd

Client Secret
RHlyGtz1cDO597MKLQmxKvxTogubAaL0Q7kstFb9UeJi

Role source

Role service
geonode REST role service

Fig. 203: OAuth2 Service Parameters

18. Using *letsencrypt*

In case you want to use letsencrypt free certificates, you should configure nginx accordingly:

<https://certbot.eff.org/lets-encrypt/centosrhel7-nginx.html>

Comment out any ssl parameter in nginx and replace with the parameters and paths given by certbot

Docker

In this section we are going to list the passages needed to:

1. Install Docker and docker-compose packages on a Ubuntu host
2. Deploy a vanilla GeoNode with Docker
 - a. Override the ENV variables to deploy on a public IP or domain
 - b. Access the django4geonode Docker image to update the code-base and/or change internal settings
 - c. Access the geoserver4geonode Docker image to update the GeoServer version
3. Passages to completely get rid of old Docker images and volumes (prune the environment completely)

1. Install the Docker and docker-compose packages on a Ubuntu host

Docker Setup (First time only)

```
# install OS level packages..
sudo add-apt-repository universe
sudo apt-get update -y
sudo apt-get install -y git-core git-buildpackage debhelper devscripts python3.10-dev
python3.10-venv virtualenvwrapper
sudo apt-get install -y apt-transport-https ca-certificates curl lsb-release gnupg gnupg-
agent software-properties-common vim

# add docker repo and packages...
sudo mkdir -p /etc/apt/keyrings
curl -fsSL https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu/gpg | sudo gpg --dearmor -o /etc/apt/
keyrings/docker.gpg
sudo chmod a+r /etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg
echo "deb [arch=$(dpkg --print-architecture) signed-by=/etc/apt/keyrings/docker.gpg]
https://download.docker.com/linux/ubuntu $(lsb_release -cs) stable" | sudo tee /etc/
apt/sources.list.d/docker.list > /dev/null

sudo apt-get update -y
sudo apt-get install -y docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io docker-compose
sudo apt autoremove --purge

# add your user to the docker group...
sudo usermod -aG docker ${USER}
su ${USER}
```

Upgrade *docker-compose* to the latest version

```
DESTINATION=$(which docker-compose)
sudo apt-get remove docker-compose
sudo rm $DESTINATION
VERSION=$(curl --silent https://api.github.com/repos/docker/compose/releases/latest |
↪grep -Po '"tag_name": "\K.*\d')
sudo curl -L https://github.com/docker/compose/releases/download/${VERSION}/docker-
↪compose-$(uname -s)-$(uname -m) -o $DESTINATION
sudo chmod 755 $DESTINATION
```

2. Install the Docker and docker-compose packages on a CentOS host

Docker Setup (First time only)

Warning: The *centos-extras* repository must be enabled

```
sudo yum install -y yum-utils device-mapper-persistent-data lvm2

sudo yum-config-manager --add-repo https://download.docker.com/linux/centos/docker-ce.
↪repo

sudo yum install docker-ce docker-ce-cli containerd.io

sudo systemctl start docker

sudo usermod -aG docker geonode
su geonode
```

3. Test Docker Compose Instance

Logout and login again on shell and then execute:

```
docker run -it hello-world
```

4. Deploy a vanilla GeoNode with Docker

Clone the Project

```
# Let's create the GeoNode core base folder and clone it
sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode/
sudo usermod -a -G www-data geonode
sudo chown -Rf geonode:www-data /opt/geonode/
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/geonode/

# Clone the GeoNode source code on /opt/geonode
```

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```
cd /opt
git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode.git -b 4.1.x geonode
```

Start the Docker instances on localhost

Warning: The first time pulling the images will take some time. You will need a good internet connection.

```
cd /opt/geonode
docker-compose build --no-cache
docker-compose up -d
```

Note: If you want to re-build the docker images from scratch, instead of pulling them from the Docker Hub add the `--build` parameter to the `up` command, for instance:

```
docker-compose up --build
```

In this **case** you can of course skip the `pull` step to download the `pre-built` images.

Note: To startup the containers daemonized, which means they will be started in the background (and keep running if you log out from the server or close the shell) add the `-d` option to the `up` command as in the following. `docker-compose` will take care to restart the containers if necessary (e.g. after boot).

```
docker-compose up -d

# If you want to rebuild the images also
docker-compose up --build -d
```

Test the instance and follow the logs

If you run the containers daemonized (with the `-d` option), you can either run specific Docker commands to follow the startup and initialization logs or entering the image shell and check for the GeoNode logs.

In order to follow the startup and initialization logs, you will need to run the following command from the repository folder

```
cd /opt/geonode
docker logs -f django4geonode
```

Alternatively:

```
cd /opt/geonode
docker-compose logs -f django
```

You should be able to see several initialization messages. Once the container is up and running, you will see the following statements

```
...
789 static files copied to '/mnt/volumes/statics/static'.
static data refreshed
Executing UWSGI server uwsgi --ini /usr/src/app/uwsgi.ini for Production
[uWSGI] getting INI configuration from /usr/src/app/uwsgi.ini
```

To exit just hit CTRL+C.

This message means that the GeoNode containers have been started. Browsing to <http://localhost/> will show the GeoNode home page. You should be able to successfully log with the default admin user (admin / admin) and start using it right away.

With Docker it is also possible to run a shell in the container and follow the logs exactly the same as you deployed it on a physical host. To achieve this run

```
docker exec -it django4geonode /bin/bash

# Once logged in the GeoNode image, follow the logs by executing
tail -F -n 300 /var/log/geonode.log
```

Alternatively:

```
docker-compose exec django /bin/bash
```

To exit just hit CTRL+C and exit to return to the host.

Override the ENV variables to deploy on a public IP or domain

If you would like to start the containers on a public IP or domain, let's say www.example.org, you can

```
cd /opt/geonode

# Stop the Containers (if running)
docker-compose stop
```

Edit the ENV override file in order to deploy on www.example.org

```
# Make sure the new host is correctly configured on the ``.env`` file
vim .env
```

Replace everywhere localhost with www.example.org

```
# e.g.: :%s/localhost/www.example.org/g

version: '2.2'
services:

  django:
    build: .
    # Loading the app is defined here to allow for
    # autoreload on changes it is mounted on top of the
    # old copy that docker added when creating the image
    volumes:
      - '.:usr/src/app'
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```

environment:
  - DEBUG=False
  - GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=www.example.org
  - GEONODE_LB_PORT=80
  - SITEURL=http://www.example.org/
  - ALLOWED_HOSTS=['www.example.org', ]
  - GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://www.example.org/geoserver/
  - GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=http://www.example.org/geoserver/

celery:
  build: .
  volumes:
    - './usr/src/app'
  environment:
    - DEBUG=False
    - GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=www.example.org
    - GEONODE_LB_PORT=80
    - SITEURL=http://www.example.org/
    - ALLOWED_HOSTS=['www.example.org', ]
    - GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://www.example.org/geoserver/
    - GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=http://www.example.org/geoserver/

geoserver:
  environment:
    - GEONODE_LB_HOST_IP=www.example.org
    - GEONODE_LB_PORT=80
#   - NGINX_BASE_URL=

```

Note: It is possible to override here even more variables to customize the GeoNode instance. See the GeoNode Settings section in order to get a list of the available options.

Run the containers in daemon mode

```
docker-compose up --build -d
```

Access the django4geonode Docker container to update the code-base and/or change internal settings

Access the container bash

```
docker exec -i -t django4geonode /bin/bash
```

You will be logged into the GeoNode instance as root. The folder is /usr/src/app/ where the GeoNode project is cloned. Here you will find the GeoNode source code as in the GitHub repository.

Note: The machine is empty by default, no Ubuntu packages installed. If you need to install text editors or something you have to run the following commands:

```
apt update
apt install <package name>

e.g.:
apt install vim
```

Update the templates or the Django models. Once in the bash you can edit the templates or the Django models/classes. From here you can run any standard Django management command.

Whenever you change a template/CSS/Javascript remember to run later:

```
python manage.py collectstatic
```

in order to update the files into the statics Docker volume.

Warning: This is an external volume, and a simple restart won't update it. You have to be careful and keep it aligned with your changes.

Whenever you need to change some settings or environment variable, the easiest thing to do is to:

```
# Stop the container
docker-compose stop

# Restart the container in Daemon mode
docker-compose up -d
```

Whenever you change the model, remember to run later in the container via bash:

```
python manage.py makemigrations
python manage.py migrate
```

Access the geoserver4geonode Docker container to update the GeoServer version

This procedure allows you to access the GeoServer container.

The concept is exactly the same as above, log into the container with bash.

```
# Access the container bash
docker exec -it geoserver4geonode /bin/bash
```

You will be logged into the GeoServer instance as root.

GeoServer is deployed on an Apache Tomcat instance which can be found here

```
cd /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver
```

Warning: The GeoServer DATA_DIR is deployed on an external Docker Volume geonode_gsdatadir. This data dir won't be affected by changes to the GeoServer application since it is external.

Update the GeoServer instance inside the GeoServer Container

Warning: The old configuration will be kept since it is external

```
docker exec -it geoserver4geonode bash
```

```
cd /usr/local/tomcat/
wget --no-check-certificate "https://artifacts.geonode.org/geoserver/2.19.x/geoserver.war"
  ↪ -O geoserver-2.19.x.war
mkdir tmp/geoserver
cd tmp/geoserver/
unzip /usr/local/tomcat/geoserver-2.19.x.war
rm -Rf data
cp -Rf /usr/local/tomcat/webapps/geoserver/data/ .
cd /usr/local/tomcat/
mv webapps/geoserver/ .
mv tmp/geoserver/ webapps/
exit
```

```
docker restart geoserver4geonode
```

Warning: GeoNode 2.8.1 is **NOT** compatible with GeoServer > 2.13.x

GeoNode 2.8.2 / 2.10.x are **NOT** compatible with GeoServer < 2.14.x

GeoNode 3.x is **NOT** compatible with GeoServer < 2.16.x

GeoNode 4.1.x is **NOT** compatible with GeoServer < 2.19.x

Remove all data and bring your running GeoNode deployment to the initial stage

This procedure allows you to stop all the containers and reset all the data with the deletion of all the volumes.

```
cd /opt/geonode
# stop containers and remove volumes
docker-compose down -v
```

5. Passages to completely get rid of old Docker images and volumes (reset the environment completely)

Note: For more details on Docker commands, please refer to the official Docker documentation.

It is possible to let docker show which containers are currently running (add -a for all containers, also stopped ones)

```
# Show the currently running containers
docker ps
```

CONTAINER ID	IMAGE	COMMAND	CREATED
↪ STATUS		PORTS	
↪	NAMES		

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4729b3dd1de7	geonode/geonode:4.0	"/usr/src/geonode/en..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	8000/tcp			
→	celery4geonode			
418da5579b1a	geonode/geonode:4.0	"/usr/src/geonode/en..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	(healthy) 8000/tcp			
→	django4geonode			
d6b043f16526	geonode/letsencrypt:4.0	"/docker-entrypoint..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 9 seconds	80/tcp, 443/tcp			
→	letsencrypt4geonode			
c77e1fa3ab2b	geonode/geoserver:2.19.6	"/usr/local/tomcat/t..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	(healthy) 8080/tcp			
→	geoserver4geonode			
a971cedfd788	rabbitmq:3.7-alpine	"docker-entrypoint.s..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	4369/tcp, 5671-5672/tcp, 25672/tcp			
→	rabbitmq4geonode			
a2e4c69cb80f	geonode/nginx:4.0	"/docker-entrypoint..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	0.0.0.0:80->80/tcp, :::80->80/tcp, 0.0.0.0:443->443/tcp,			
→ :::443->443/tcp	nginx4geonode			
d355d34cac4b	geonode/postgis:13	"docker-entrypoint.s..."	29 minutes ago	Up
→ 5 minutes	5432/tcp			
→	db4geonode			

Stop all the containers by running

```
docker-compose stop
```

Force kill all containers by running

```
docker kill $(docker ps -q)
```

If you want to clean up all containers and images, without deleting the static volumes (i.e. the DB and the GeoServer catalog), issue the following commands

```
# Remove all containers
docker rm $(docker ps -a -q)

# Remove all docker images
docker rmi $(docker images -q)

# Prune the old images
docker system prune -a
```

If you want to remove a volume also

```
# List of the running volumes
docker volume ls

# Remove the GeoServer catalog by its name
docker volume rm -f geonode-gsdatadir

# Remove all dangling docker volumes
docker volume rm $(docker volume ls -qf dangling=true)
```

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```
# update all images, should be run regularly to fetch published updates
for i in $(docker images| awk 'NR>1{print $1":"$2}'| grep -v '<none>'); do docker pull "
↪$i" ;done
```

1.12.2 GeoNode Project

Overview

The following steps will guide you to a new setup of GeoNode Project. All guides will first install and configure the system to run it in DEBUG mode (also known as DEVELOPMENT mode) and then by configuring an HTTPD server to serve GeoNode through the standard HTTP (80) port.

Those guides **are not** meant to be used on a production system. There will be dedicated chapters that will show you some *hints* to optimize GeoNode for a production-ready machine. In any case, we strongly suggest to task an experienced *DevOp* or *System Administrator* before exposing your server to the WEB.

Ubuntu 20.04

This part of the documentation describes the complete setup process for GeoNode on an Ubuntu 20.04 64-bit clean environment (Desktop or Server). All examples use shell commands that you must enter on a local terminal or a remote shell. - If you have a graphical desktop environment you can open the terminal application after login; - if you are working on a remote server the provider or sysadmin should have given you access through an ssh client.

Install the dependencies

In this section, we are going to install all the basic packages and tools needed for a complete GeoNode installation. To follow this guide, a piece of basic knowledge about Ubuntu Server configuration and working with a shell is required. This guide uses vim as the editor; feel free to use nano, gedit or others.

Upgrade system packages

Check that your system is already up-to-date with the repository running the following commands:

```
sudo apt update
```

Create a Dedicated User

In the following steps a User named geonode is used: to run installation commands the user must be in the sudo group.

Create User geonode **if not present**:

```
# Follow the prompts to set the new user's information.
# It is fine to accept the defaults to leave all of this information blank.
sudo adduser geonode

# The following command adds the user geonode to group sudo
sudo usermod -aG sudo geonode
```

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```
# make sure the newly created user is allowed to login by ssh
# (out of the scope of this documentation) and switch to User geonode
su geonode
```

Packages Installation

Add the Ubuntu GIS packages prior to installing the other system packages.

```
sudo add-apt-repository ppa:ubuntugis/ppa
sudo apt update
```

Note: You don't need to install the **system packages** if you want to run the project using Docker

First, we are going to install all the **system packages** needed for the GeoNode setup.

```
# Install packages from GeoNode core
sudo apt install -y python3-gdal=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2 gdal-bin=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
↳ libgdal-dev=3.3.2+dfsg-2~focal2
sudo apt install -y python3-pip python3-dev python3-virtualenv python3-venv
↳ virtualenvwrapper
sudo apt install -y libxml2 libxml2-dev gettext
sudo apt install -y libxslt1-dev libjpeg-dev libpng-dev libpq-dev libmemcached-dev
sudo apt install -y software-properties-common build-essential
sudo apt install -y git unzip gcc zlib1g-dev libgeos-dev libproj-dev
sudo apt install -y sqlite3 spatialite-bin libsqlite3-mod-spatialite

# Install Openjdk
sudo -i apt update
sudo apt install openjdk-8-jdk-headless default-jdk-headless -y

# Remember to select the correct java version /usr/lib/jvm/java-8-openjdk-amd64/jre/bin/
↳ java
sudo update-alternatives --config java

sudo apt update -y
sudo apt autoremove -y
sudo apt autoclean -y
sudo apt purge -y
sudo apt clean -y

# Install Packages for Virtual environment management
sudo apt install -y virtualenv virtualenvwrapper

# Install text editor
sudo apt install -y vim
```

Geonode Project Installation

Geonode project is the proper way to run a customized installation of Geonode. The repository of geonode-project contains a minimal set of files following the structure of a django-project. Geonode itself will be installed as a requirement of your project. Inside the project structure is possible to extend, replace or modify all geonode components (e.g. css and other static files, templates, models..) and even register new django apps **without touching the original Geonode code**.

Note: You can call your geonode project whatever you like following the naming conventions for python packages (generally lower case with underscores (_)). In the examples below, replace my_geonode with whatever you would like to name your project.

See also the [README](#) file on geonode-project repository

First of all we need to prepare a new Python Virtual Environment

Prepare the environment

```
sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode_custom/
sudo usermod -a -G www-data geonode
sudo chown -Rf geonode:www-data /opt/geonode_custom/
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/geonode_custom/
```

Clone the source code

```
cd /opt/geonode_custom/
git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project.git -b 4.1.x
```

Make an instance out of the Django Template

Note: We will call our instance my_geonode. You can change the name at your convenience.

```
vim ~/.bashrc
# add the following line to the bottom
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
```

```
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3 my_geonode
```

Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below

```
python3.8 -m venv /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode
source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode/bin/activate
```

```
pip install Django==3.2.13
```

```
django-admin startproject --template=./geonode-project -e py,sh,md,rst,json,yml,ini,env,
↳sample,properties -n monitoring-cron -n Dockerfile my_geonode
```

```
# Install the Python packages
cd /opt/geonode_custom/my_geonode
pip install -r src/requirements.txt --upgrade
pip install -e src/ --upgrade
```

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```
# Install GDAL Utilities for Python
pip install pygdal=="`gdal-config --version`.*"

# Dev scripts
mv .override_dev_env.sample src/.override_dev_env
mv src/manage_dev.sh.sample src/manage_dev.sh
mv src/paver_dev.sh.sample src/paver_dev.sh
```

Install and Configure the PostgreSQL Database System

In this section we are going to install the PostgreSQL packages along with the PostGIS extension. Those steps must be done **only** if you don't have the DB already installed on your system.

```
# Ubuntu 20.04
sudo sh -c 'echo "deb http://apt.postgresql.org/pub/repos/apt/ `lsb_release -cs`-pgdg_
↪main" >> /etc/apt/sources.list.d/pgdg.list'
sudo wget --no-check-certificate --quiet -O - https://www.postgresql.org/media/keys/
↪ACCC4CF8.asc | sudo apt-key add -
sudo apt update -y; sudo apt install -y postgresql-13 postgresql-13-postgis-3 postgresql-
↪13-postgis-3-scripts postgresql-13 postgresql-client-13
```

We now must create two databases, `my_geonode` and `my_geonode_data`, belonging to the role `my_geonode`.

Warning: This is our default configuration. You can use any database or role you need. The connection parameters must be correctly configured on `settings`, as we will see later in this section.

Databases and Permissions

First, create the geonode user. GeoNode is going to use this user to access the database

```
sudo service postgresql start
sudo -u postgres createuser -P my_geonode
```

Use the password: geonode

You will be prompted asked to set a password for the user. **Enter geonode as password.**

Warning: This is a sample password used for the sake of simplicity. This password is very **weak** and should be changed in a production environment.

Create database `my_geonode` and `my_geonode_data` with owner `my_geonode`

```
sudo -u postgres createdb -O my_geonode my_geonode
sudo -u postgres createdb -O my_geonode my_geonode_data
```

Next let's create PostGIS extensions

```

sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN SCHEMA
↳public TO my_geonode;'

sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode_data -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
sudo -u postgres psql -d my_geonode_data -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES IN
↳SCHEMA public TO my_geonode;'

```

Final step is to change user access policies for local connections in the file `pg_hba.conf`

```
sudo vim /etc/postgresql/13/main/pg_hba.conf
```

Scroll down to the bottom of the document. We want to make local connection trusted for the default user.

Make sure your configuration looks like the one below.

```

...
# DO NOT DISABLE!
# If you change this first entry you will need to make sure that the
# database superuser can access the database using some other method.
# Noninteractive access to all databases is required during automatic
# maintenance (custom daily cronjobs, replication, and similar tasks).
#
# Database administrative login by Unix domain socket
local all postgres trust

# TYPE DATABASE USER ADDRESS METHOD

# "local" is for Unix domain socket connections only
local all all md5
# IPv4 local connections:
host all all 127.0.0.1/32 md5
# IPv6 local connections:
host all all ::1/128 md5
# Allow replication connections from localhost, by a user with the
# replication privilege.
local replication all peer
host replication all 127.0.0.1/32 md5
host replication all ::1/128 md5

```

Warning: If your PostgreSQL database resides on a **separate/remote machine**, you'll have to **allow** remote access to the databases in the `/etc/postgresql/13/main/pg_hba.conf` to the geonode user and tell PostgreSQL to **accept** non-local connections in your `/etc/postgresql/13/main/postgresql.conf` file

Restart PostgreSQL to make the change effective.

```
sudo service postgresql restart
```

PostgreSQL is now ready. To test the configuration, try to connect to the geonode database as geonode role.

```
psql -U postgres my_geonode
# This should not ask for any password

psql -U my_geonode my_geonode
# This should ask for the password geonode

# Repeat the test with geonode_data DB
psql -U postgres my_geonode_data
psql -U my_geonode my_geonode_data
```

Run GeoNode Project for the first time in DEBUG Mode

Warning: Be sure you have successfully completed all the steps of the section *Install the dependencies*.

This command will run both GeoNode and GeoServer locally after having prepared the Spatialite database. The server will start in DEBUG (or DEVELOPMENT) mode, and it will start the following services:

1. GeoNode on `http://localhost:8000/`
2. GeoServer on `http://localhost:8080/geoserver/`

This modality is beneficial to debug issues and/or develop new features, but it cannot be used on a production system.

```
# Prepare the GeoNode Spatialite database (the first time only)
cd src/
chmod +x paver_dev.sh
./paver_dev.sh setup
./paver_dev.sh sync
```

Note: In case you want to start again from a clean situation, just run

```
./paver_dev.sh reset_hard
```

Warning: This will blow up completely your `local_settings`, delete the SQLite database and remove the GeoServer data dir.

```
# Run the server in DEBUG mode
./paver_dev.sh start
```

Once the server has finished the initialization and prints on the console the sentence `GeoNode is now available.`, you can open a browser and go to:

```
http://localhost:8000/
```

Sign-in with:

```
user: admin
password: admin
```

From now on, everything already said for GeoNode Core (please refer to the section 3. *Postgis database Setup* and following), applies to a GeoNode Project.

Be careful to use the **new** paths and names everywhere:

- Everytime you'll find the keyword `geonode`, you'll need to use your geonode custom name instead (in this example `my_geonode`).
- Everytime you'll find paths pointing to `/opt/geonode/`, you'll need to update them to point to your custom project instead (in this example `/opt/geonode_custom/my_geonode`).

Docker

Warning: Before moving with this section, you should have read and clearly understood the `INSTALLATION > GeoNode Core` sections, and in particular the `Docker` one. Everything said for the GeoNode Core Vanilla applies here too, except that the Docker container names will be slightly different. As an instance if you named your project `my_geonode`, your containers will be called:

`'django4my_geonode'` instead of `'django4geonode'` and so on...

Deploy an instance of a geonode-project Django template with Docker on localhost

Prepare the environment

```
sudo mkdir -p /opt/geonode_custom/
sudo usermod -a -G www-data geonode
sudo chown -Rf geonode:www-data /opt/geonode_custom/
sudo chmod -Rf 775 /opt/geonode_custom/
```

Clone the source code

```
cd /opt/geonode_custom/
git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project.git -b 4.1.x
```

Make an instance out of the Django Template

Note: We will call our instance `my_geonode`. You can change the name at your convenience.

```
source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3 my_geonode
```

Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below

```
python3.8 -m venv /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode
source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode/bin/activate
```

```
pip install Django==3.2.13
```

```
django-admin startproject --template=./geonode-project -e py,sh,md,rst,json,yml,ini,env,
↪sample,properties -n monitoring-cron -n Dockerfile my_geonode
cd /opt/geonode_custom/my_geonode
```

Create the .env file

An .env file is required to run the application. It can be created from the .env.sample either manually or with the create-envfile.py script.

The script accepts several parameters to create the file, in detail:

- *hostname*: e.g. master.demo.geonode.org, default localhost
- *https*: (boolean), default value is False
- *email*: Admin email (this is required if https is set to True since a valid email is required by Letsencrypt certbot)
- *env_type*: *prod*, *test* or *dev*. It will set the *DEBUG* variable to *False* (*prod*, *test*) or *True* (*dev*)
- *geonodepwd*: GeoNode admin password (required inside the .env)
- *geoserverpwd*: Geoserver admin password (required inside the .env)
- *pgpwd*: PostgreSQL password (required inside the .env)
- *dbpwd*: GeoNode DB user password (required inside the .env)
- *geodbpwd*: Geodatabase user password (required inside the .env)
- *clientid*: OAuth2 client id (required inside the .env)
- *clientsecret*: OAuth2 client secret (required inside the .env)
- *secret key*: Django secret key (required inside the .env)
- *sample_file*: absolute path to a env_sample file used to create the env_file. If not provided, the one inside the GeoNode project is used.
- *file*: absolute path to a json file that contains all the above configuration

Note: if the same configuration is passed in the json file and as an argument, the CLI one will overwrite the one in the JSON file. If some value is not provided, a random string is used

Example USAGE

```
```bash
python create-envfile.py -f /opt/core/geonode-project/file.json \
 --hostname localhost \
 --https \
 --email random@email.com \
 --geonodepwd gn_password \
 --geoserverpwd gs_password \
 --pgpwd pg_password \
 --dbpwd db_password \
 --geodbpwd _db_password \
 --clientid 12345 \
 --clientsecret abc123
```
```

Example JSON expected:

```
```JSON
{
 "hostname": "value",
```

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```

"https": "value",
"email": "value",
"geonodepwd": "value",
"geoserverpwd": "value",
"pgpwd": "value",
"dbpwd": "value",
"geodbpwd": "value",
"clientid": "value",
"clientsecret": "value"
}
` ``

```

Modify the code and the templates and rebuild the Docker Containers

```
docker-compose -f docker-compose.yml build --no-cache
```

Finally, run the containers

```
docker-compose -f docker-compose.yml up -d
```

## Deploy an instance of a geonode-project Django template with Docker on a domain

**Note:** We will use `www.example.org` as an example. You can change the name at your convenience.

Stop the containers

```
cd /opt/geonode_custom/my_geonode
```

```
docker-compose -f docker-compose.yml stop
```

Edit the ENV override file in order to deploy on `www.example.org`

Replace everywhere `localhost` with `www.example.org`

```
vim .env
```

```
e.g.: :%s/localhost/www.example.org/g
```

**Note:** It is possible to override here even more variables to customize the GeoNode instance. See the GeoNode Settings section in order to get a list of the available options.

Run the containers in daemon mode

```
docker-compose -f docker-compose.yml -f docker-compose.override.example-org.yml up --
↳ build -d
```

## Test geonode-project with vagrant

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**Note:** Inside geonode-project files you will find one file named *Vagrantfile.compose* and one named *Vagrantfile.stack*, copy one of them onto file *Vagrantfile* to use them with vagrant.

---

```
apt-get install -y vagrant
#choose what to test (in this case docker-compose.yml)
cp Vagrantfile.compose Vagrantfile
#this will start a vagrant virtual machine, generate and build geonode-project
vagrant up
check services are up upon reboot
vagrant ssh geonode-compose -c 'docker ps'
vagrant destroy -f
test docker swarm
cp Vagrantfile.stack Vagrantfile
vagrant up
check services are up upon reboot
vagrant ssh geonode-vagrant -c 'docker service ls'
vagrant destroy -f
```

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**Note:** Vagrant will generate a dummy project named “antani” inside vagrant, starting with the geonode-project code-base, this way it is possible to test inside vagrant almost instantly what one modifies into geonode-project

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## 1.13 GeoNode Settings

### *Settings*

#### 1.13.1 Settings

Here’s a list of settings available in GeoNode and their default values. This includes settings for some external applications that GeoNode depends on.

For most of them, default values are good. Those should be changed only for advanced configurations in production or heavily hardened systems.

The most common ones can be set through environment variables to avoid touching the `settings.py` file at all. This is a good practice and also the preferred one to configure GeoNode (and Django apps in general). Whenever you need to change them, set the environment variable accordingly (where it is available) instead of overriding it through the `local_settings`.

## A

### ACCESS\_TOKEN\_EXPIRE\_SECONDS

Default: 86400

Env: ACCESS\_TOKEN\_EXPIRE\_SECONDS

When a user logs into GeoNode, if no ACCESS\_TOKEN exists, a new one will be created with a default expiration time of ACCESS\_TOKEN\_EXPIRE\_SECONDS seconds (1 day by default).

### ACCOUNT\_ADAPTER

Default: `geonode.people.adapters.LocalAccountAdapter`

Custom GeoNode People (Users) Account Adapter.

### ACCOUNT\_APPROVAL\_REQUIRED

Default: False

Env: ACCOUNT\_APPROVAL\_REQUIRED

If ACCOUNT\_APPROVAL\_REQUIRED equals True, newly registered users must be activated by a superuser through the Admin gui, before they can access GeoNode.

### ACCOUNT\_CONFIRM\_EMAIL\_ON\_GET

Default: True

This is a [django-allauth setting](#) It allows specifying the HTTP method used when confirming e-mail addresses.

### ACCOUNT\_EMAIL\_REQUIRED

Default: True

This is a [django-allauth setting](#) which controls whether the user is required to provide an e-mail address upon registration.

### ACCOUNT\_EMAIL\_VERIFICATION

Default: optional

This is a [django-allauth setting](#)

## ACCOUNT\_LOGIN\_REDIRECT\_URL

Default: SITEURL

Env: LOGIN\_REDIRECT\_URL

This is a [django-user-accounts](#) setting It allows specifying the default redirect URL after a successful login.

## ACCOUNT\_LOGOUT\_REDIRECT\_URL

Default: SITEURL

Env: LOGOUT\_REDIRECT\_URL

This is a [django-user-accounts](#) setting It allows specifying the default redirect URL after a successful logout.

## ACCOUNT\_NOTIFY\_ON\_PASSWORD\_CHANGE

Default: True

Env: ACCOUNT\_NOTIFY\_ON\_PASSWORD\_CHANGE

This is a [django-user-accounts](#) setting

## ACCOUNT\_OPEN\_SIGNUP

Default: True

Env: ACCOUNT\_OPEN\_SIGNUP

This is a [django-user-accounts](#) setting Whether or not people are allowed to self-register to GeoNode or not.

## ACCOUNT\_SIGNUP\_FORM\_CLASS

Default: `geonode.people.forms.AllauthReCaptchaSignupForm`

Env: ACCOUNT\_SIGNUP\_FORM\_CLASS

Enabled only when the [RECAPTCHA\\_ENABLED](#) option is True.

Ref. to [RECAPTCHA\\_ENABLED](#)

## ACTSTREAM\_SETTINGS

Default:

```
{
 'FETCH_RELATIONS': True,
 'USE_PREFETCH': False,
 'USE_JSONFIELD': True,
 'GFK_FETCH_DEPTH': 1,
}
```

Actstream Settings.

## ADDITIONAL\_DATASET\_FILE\_TYPES

External application can define additional supported file type other than the default one declared in the *SUPPORTED\_DATASET\_FILE\_TYPES*.

The variable should be declared in this way in *settings.py* (or via application hook):

Please rely on `geonode.tests.test_utils.TestSupportedTypes` for an example

## ADMIN\_IP\_WHITELIST

Default: `[]`

When this list is populated with a list of IPs or IP ranges (e.g. `192.168.1.0/24`) requests from and admin user will be allowed only from IPs matching with the list.

## ADMIN\_MODERATE\_UPLOADS

Default: `False`

When this variable is set to `True`, every uploaded resource must be approved before becoming visible to the public users.

Until a resource is in `PENDING_APPROVAL` state, only the superusers, owner and group members can access it, unless specific edit permissions have been set for other users or groups.

A Group Manager *can* approve the resource, but he cannot publish it whenever the setting `RESOURCE_PUBLISHING` is set to `True`. Otherwise, if `RESOURCE_PUBLISHING` is set to `False`, the resource becomes accessible as soon as it is approved.

## ADMINS\_ONLY\_NOTICE\_TYPES

Default: `['monitoring_alert',]`

A list of notification labels that standard users should not either see or set.

Such notifications will be hidden from the notify settings page and automatically set to `false` for non-superusers.

## ADVANCED\_EDIT\_EXCLUDE\_FIELD

Default: `[]`

A list of element (item name) to exclude from the Advanced Edit page.

Example:

```
ADVANCED_EDIT_EXCLUDE_FIELD=['title', 'keywords', 'tkeywords']
```

## AGON\_RATINGS\_CATEGORY\_CHOICES

Default:

```
{
 "maps.Map": {
 "map": "How good is this map?"
 },
 "layers.Layer": {
 "layer": "How good is this layer?"
 },
 "documents.Document": {
 "document": "How good is this document?"
 }
}
```

## ALLOWED\_DOCUMENT\_TYPES

Default:

```
['doc', 'docx', 'gif', 'jpg', 'jpeg', 'ods', 'odt', 'odp', 'pdf', 'png',
'ppt', 'pptx', 'rar', 'sld', 'tif', 'tiff', 'txt', 'xls', 'xlsx', 'xml',
'zip', 'gz', 'qml']
```

A list of acceptable file extensions that can be uploaded to the Documents app.

## ANONYMOUS\_USER\_ID

Default: -1

Env: ANONYMOUS\_USER\_ID

The id of an anonymous user. This is an django-guardian setting.

## API\_INCLUDE\_REGIONS\_COUNT

Default: False

Env: API\_INCLUDE\_REGIONS\_COUNT

If set to True, a counter with the total number of available regions will be added to the API JSON Serializer.

## API\_LIMIT\_PER\_PAGE

Default: 200

Env: API\_LIMIT\_PER\_PAGE

The Number of items returned by the APIs 0 equals no limit. Different from CLIENT\_RESULTS\_LIMIT, affecting the number of items per page in the resource list.

## API\_LOCKDOWN

Default: True

Env: API\_LOCKDOWN

If this is set to `True` users must be authenticated to get search results when search for for users, groups, categories, regions, tags etc. Filtering search results of Resourcebase-objects like Layers, Maps or Documents by one of the above types does not work. Attention: If `API_LOCKDOWN` is set to `False` all details can be accessed by anonymous users.

## ASYNC\_SIGNALS

Default: False

Env: ACCOUNT\_NOTIFY\_ON\_PASSWORD\_CHANGE

## AUTH\_EXEMPT\_URLS

Default:

```
(r'^/?$',
'/gs/*',
'/static/*',
'/o/*',
'/api/o/*',
'/api/roles',
'/api/adminRole',
'/api/users',
'/api/layers',)
```

A tuple of URL patterns that the user can visit without being authenticated. This setting has no effect if `LOCKDOWN_GEONODE` is not `True`. For example, `AUTH_EXEMPT_URLS = ('/maps',)` will allow unauthenticated users to browse maps.

## AUTO\_ASSIGN\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_TO\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_NAME

Default: True

Env: AUTO\_ASSIGN\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_TO\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_NAME

Auto assign users to a default `REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME` private group after `AUTO_ASSIGN_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_TO_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_AT`.

## AUTO\_ASSIGN\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_TO\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_AT

Default: activation

Env: AUTO\_ASSIGN\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_TO\_REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_AT

Options: "registration" | "activation" | "login"

Auto assign users to a default `REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME` private group after {"registration" | "activation" | "login"}.

Notice that whenever `ACCOUNT_EMAIL_VERIFICATION == True` and `ACCOUNT_APPROVAL_REQUIRED == False`, users will be able to register and they became active already, even if they won't be able to login until the email has been verified.

## AUTO\_GENERATE\_AVATAR\_SIZES

Default: 20, 30, 32, 40, 50, 65, 70, 80, 100, 140, 200, 240

An iterable of integers representing the sizes of avatars to generate on upload. This can save rendering time later on if you pre-generate the resized versions.

## AVATAR\_GRAVATAR\_SSL

Default: False

Env: AVATAR\_GRAVATAR\_SSL

Options: True | False

Force SSL when loading fallback image from gravatar.com.

## AVATAR\_DEFAULT\_URL

Default: /geonode/img/avatar.png

Env: AVATAR\_GRAVATAR\_SSL

Options: "filepath to image"

Allows to set a custom fallback image in case a User has not uploaded a profile image. Needs AVATAR\_PROVIDERS to be set correctly.

## AVATAR\_PROVIDERS

Default:

```
'avatar.providers.PrimaryAvatarProvider', 'avatar.providers.
↳GravatarAvatarProvider', 'avatar.providers.DefaultAvatarProvider'
```

Env: AVATAR\_PROVIDERS

Options: Avatar provider object

This setting configures in which order gravatar images are loaded. A common use case is the use of a local image over a fallback image loaded from gravatar.com. To do so you would change the order like:

```
'avatar.providers.PrimaryAvatarProvider', 'avatar.providers.
↳DefaultAvatarProvider', 'avatar.providers.GravatarAvatarProvider'
```

(DefaultAvatarProvider before GravatarAvatarProvider)

## B

### BING\_API\_KEY

Default: None

Env: BING\_API\_KEY

This property allows to enable a Bing Aerial background.

If using mapstore client library, make sure the MAPSTORE\_BASELAYERS include the following:

```
if BING_API_KEY:
 BASEMAP = {
 "type": "bing",
 "title": "Bing Aerial",
 "name": "AerialWithLabels",
 "source": "bing",
 "group": "background",
 "apiKey": "{{apiKey}}",
 "visibility": False
 }
 DEFAULT_MS2_BACKGROUNDS = [BASEMAP,] + DEFAULT_MS2_BACKGROUNDS
```

### BROKER\_HEARTBEAT

Default: 0

Heartbeats are used both by the client and the broker to detect if a connection was closed. This is a [Celery setting](#).

### BROKER\_TRANSPORT\_OPTIONS

Default:

```
{
 'fanout_prefix': True,
 'fanout_patterns': True,
 'socket_timeout': 60,
 'visibility_timeout': 86400
}
```

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## C

## CACHES

Default:

```
CACHES = {
 'default': {
 'BACKEND': 'django.core.cache.backends.dummy.DummyCache',
 },
 'resources': {
 'BACKEND': 'django.core.cache.backends.locmem.LocMemCache',
 'TIMEOUT': 600,
 'OPTIONS': {
 'MAX_ENTRIES': 10000
 }
 }
}
```

A dictionary containing the settings for all caches to be used with Django. This is a [Django setting](#)

The 'default' cache is disabled because we don't have a mechanism to discriminate between client sessions right now, and we don't want all users fetch the same api results.

The 'resources' is not currently used. It might be helpful for [caching Django template fragments](#) and/or [Tastypie API Caching](#).

## CACHE\_BUSTING\_STATIC\_ENABLED

Default: False

Env: CACHE\_BUSTING\_STATIC\_ENABLED

This is a [Django Compressed Manifest storage](#) provided by [WhiteNoise](#). A boolean allowing you to enable the [WhiteNoise CompressedManifestStaticFilesStorage](#) storage. This works only on a production system.

**Warning:** This works only if `DEBUG = False`

## CASCADE\_WORKSPACE

Default: geonode

Env: CASCADE\_WORKSPACE

## CATALOGUE

A dict with the following keys:

ENGINE: The CSW backend (default is `geonode.catalogue.backends.pycsw_local`)

URL: The FULLY QUALIFIED base URL to the CSW instance for this GeoNode USER-

NAME: login credentials (if required) PASSWORD: login credentials (if required)

pycsw is the default CSW enabled in GeoNode. pycsw configuration directives are managed in the PYCSW entry.

## CATALOGUE\_METADATA\_TEMPLATE

Default: `catalogue/full_metadata.xml`

A string with the catalogue xml file needed for the metadata.

## CATALOGUE\_METADATA\_XSL

Default: `'/static/metadatatxsl/metadata.xsl`

A string pointing to the XSL used to transform the metadata XML into human readable HTML.

## CELERYD\_POOL\_RESTARTS

Default: `True`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_ACCEPT\_CONTENT

Default: `['json']`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_ACKS\_LATE

Default: `True`

This is a [Celery setting](#)

## CELERY\_BEAT\_SCHEDULE

Here you can define your scheduled task.

## **CELERY\_DISABLE\_RATE\_LIMITS**

Default: False

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_ENABLE\_UTC**

Default: True

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_MAX\_CACHED\_RESULTS**

Default: 32768

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_MESSAGE\_COMPRESSION**

Default: gzip

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_RESULT\_PERSISTENT**

Default: False

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_RESULT\_SERIALIZER**

Default: json

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## **CELERY\_SEND\_TASK\_SENT\_EVENT**

Default: True

If enabled, a task-sent event will be sent for every task so tasks can be tracked before they are consumed by a worker. This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TASK\_ALWAYS\_EAGER

Default: `False` if `ASYNC_SIGNALS` else `True`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TASK\_CREATE\_MISSING\_QUEUES

Default: `True`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TASK\_IGNORE\_RESULT

Default: `True`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TASK\_QUEUES

Default:

```
Queue('default', GEONODE_EXCHANGE, routing_key='default'),
Queue('geonode', GEONODE_EXCHANGE, routing_key='geonode'),
Queue('update', GEONODE_EXCHANGE, routing_key='update'),
Queue('cleanup', GEONODE_EXCHANGE, routing_key='cleanup'),
Queue('email', GEONODE_EXCHANGE, routing_key='email'),
```

A tuple with registered Queues.

## CELERY\_TASK\_RESULT\_EXPIRES

Default: `43200`

Env: `CELERY_TASK_RESULT_EXPIRES`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TASK\_SERIALIZER

Default: `json` Env: `CELERY_TASK_SERIALIZER`

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TIMEZONE

Default: UTC

Env: TIME\_ZONE

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_TRACK\_STARTED

Default: True

This is a [Celery setting](#).

## CELERY\_WORKER\_DISABLE\_RATE\_LIMITS

Default: False

Disable the worker rate limits (number of tasks that can be run in a given time frame).

## CELERY\_WORKER\_SEND\_TASK\_EVENTS

Default: False

Send events so the worker can be monitored by other tools.

## CLIENT\_RESULTS\_LIMIT

Default: 5

Env: CLIENT\_RESULTS\_LIMIT

The Number of results per page listed in the GeoNode search pages. Different from `API_LIMIT_PER_PAGE`, affecting the number of items returned by the APIs.

## CORS\_ALLOW\_ALL\_ORIGINS

Default: False

Env: CORS\_ALLOW\_ALL\_ORIGINS

If set to true *Access-Control-Allow-Origin: \** header is set for any response. A safer option (not managed through env vars at the moment) is `CORS_ALLOWED_ORIGINS`, where a list of hosts can be configured, or `CORS_ALLOWED_ORIGIN_REGEXES`, where the list can contain regexes. Notice that the Nginx in front of GeoNode always includes *Access-Control-Allow-Credentials true*. This must also be taken into account when CORS is enabled.

## CREATE\_LAYER

Default: False

Env: CREATE\_LAYER

Enable the create layer plugin.

## CKAN\_ORIGINS

Default:

```
CKAN_ORIGINS = [{
 "label": "Humanitarian Data Exchange (HDX)",
 "url": "https://data.hdx.rwlab.org/dataset/new?title={name}¬es=
↪{abstract}",
 "css_class": "hdx"
}]
```

A list of dictionaries that are used to generate the links to CKAN instances displayed in the Share tab. For each origin, the name and abstract format parameters are replaced by the actual values of the ResourceBase object (layer, map, document). This is not enabled by default. To enable, uncomment the following line: `SOCIAL_ORIGINS.extend(CKAN_ORIGINS)`.

## CSRF\_COOKIE\_HTTPONLY

Default: False

Env: CSRF\_COOKIE\_HTTPONLY

Whether to use HttpOnly flag on the CSRF cookie. If this is set to True, client-side JavaScript will not be able to access the CSRF cookie. This is a [Django Setting](#)

## CSRF\_COOKIE\_SECURE

Default: False

Env: CSRF\_COOKIE\_SECURE

Whether to use a secure cookie for the CSRF cookie. If this is set to True, the cookie will be marked as “secure,” which means browsers may ensure that the cookie is only sent with an HTTPS connection. This is a [Django Setting](#)

## CUSTOM\_METADATA\_SCHEMA

Default: {}

If present, will extend the available metadata schema used for store new value for each resource. By default override the existing one. The expected schema is the same as the default

## D

### DATA\_UPLOAD\_MAX\_NUMBER\_FIELDS

Default: 1000000

Maximum value of parsed attributes.

### DEBUG

Default: False

Env: DEBUG

One of the main features of debug mode is the display of detailed error pages. If your app raises an exception when DEBUG is True, Django will display a detailed traceback, including a lot of metadata about your environment, such as all the currently defined Django settings (from settings.py). This is a [Django Setting](#)

### DEBUG\_STATIC

Default: False

Env: DEBUG\_STATIC

Load non minified version of static files.

### DEFAULT\_ANONYMOUS\_DOWNLOAD\_PERMISSION

Default: True

Whether the uploaded resources should be downloadable by default.

### DEFAULT\_ANONYMOUS\_VIEW\_PERMISSION

Default: True

Whether the uploaded resources should be public by default.

### DEFAULT\_AUTO\_FIELD

Default: `django.db.models.AutoField`

Default primary key field type to use for models that don't have a field with `primary_key=True`. Django documentation [https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/ref/settings/#std:setting-DEFAULT\\_AUTO\\_FIELD](https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/ref/settings/#std:setting-DEFAULT_AUTO_FIELD)

## DEFAULT\_EXTRA\_METADATA\_SCHEMA

Default

```
{
 Optional("id"): int,
 "filter_header": object,
 "field_name": object,
 "field_label": object,
 "field_value": object,
}
```

Define the default metadata schema used for add to the resource extra metadata without modify the actual model. This schema is used as validation for the input metadata provided by the user

- *id*: (optional int): the identifier of the metadata. Optional for creation, required in Upgrade phase
- *filter\_header*: (required object): Can be any type, is used to generate the facet filter header. Is also an identifier.
- *field\_name*: (required object): name of the metadata field
- *field\_label*: (required object): verbose string of the name. Is used as a label in the facet filters.
- *field\_value*: (required object): metadata values

An example of metadata that can be ingested is the follow:

```
[
 {
 "filter_header": "Bike Brand",
 "field_name": "name",
 "field_label": "Bike Name",
 "field_value": "KTM",
 },
 {
 "filter_header": "Bike Brand",
 "field_name": "name",
 "field_label": "Bike Name",
 "field_value": "Bianchi",
 }
]
```

## DEFAULT\_LAYER\_FORMAT

Default: image/png

Env: DEFAULT\_LAYER\_FORMAT

The default format for requested tile images.

## DEFAULT\_MAP\_CENTER

Default: (0, 0)

Env: DEFAULT\_MAP\_CENTER\_X DEFAULT\_MAP\_CENTER\_Y

A 2-tuple with the latitude/longitude coordinates of the center-point to use in newly created maps.

## DEFAULT\_MAP\_CRIS

Default: EPSG:3857

Env: DEFAULT\_MAP\_CRIS

The default map projection. Default: EPSG:3857

## DEFAULT\_MAP\_ZOOM

Default: 0

Env: DEFAULT\_MAP\_ZOOM

The zoom-level to use in newly created maps. This works like the OpenLayers zoom level setting; 0 is at the world extent and each additional level cuts the viewport in half in each direction.

## DEFAULT\_MAX\_PARALLEL\_UPLOADS\_PER\_USER

Default: 5

When [uploading datasets](#), this value limits the number of parallel uploads.

The parallelism limit is set during installation using the value of this variable. After installation, only an user with administrative rights can change it. These limits can be changed in the [admin panel](#) or [accessing by api](#).

## DEFAULT\_MAX\_UPLOAD\_SIZE

Default: 104857600 (100 MB in bytes)

When [uploading datasets](#) or [uploading documents](#), the total size of the uploaded files is verified.

The size limits are set during installation using the value of this variable. After installation, only an user with administrative rights can change it. These limits can be changed in the [admin panel](#) or [accessing by api](#).

## DEFAULT\_SEARCH\_SIZE

Default: 10

Env: DEFAULT\_SEARCH\_SIZE

An integer that specifies the default search size when using `geonode.search` for querying data.

## DEFAULT\_WORKSPACE

Default: geonode

Env: DEFAULT\_WORKSPACE

The standard GeoServer workspace.

## DELAYED\_SECURITY\_SIGNALS

Default: False

Env: DELAYED\_SECURITY\_SIGNALS

This setting only works when GEOFENCE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED has been set to True and GeoNode is making use of the GeoServer BACKEND.

By setting this to True, every time the permissions will be updated/changed for a Layer, they won't be applied immediately but only and only if either:

- a. A Celery Worker is running and it is able to execute the `geonode.security.tasks.synch_guardian` periodic task; notice that the task will be executed at regular intervals, based on the interval value defined in the corresponding PeriodicTask model.
- b. A periodic cron job runs the `sync_security_rules` management command, or either it is manually executed from the Django shell.
- c. The user, owner of the Layer or with rights to change its permissions, clicks on the GeoNode UI button `Sync permissions immediately`

**Warning:** Layers won't be accessible to public users anymore until the Security Rules are not synchronized!

## DISPLAY\_COMMENTS

Default: True

Env: DISPLAY\_COMMENTS

If set to False comments are hidden.

## DISPLAY\_RATINGS

Default: True

Env: DISPLAY\_RATINGS

If set to False ratings are hidden.

## DISPLAY\_SOCIAL

Default: True

Env: DISPLAY\_SOCIAL

If set to False social sharing is hidden.

## DISPLAY\_WMS\_LINKS

Default: True

Env: DISPLAY\_WMS\_LINKS

If set to False direct WMS link to GeoServer is hidden.

## DISPLAY\_ORIGINAL\_DATASET\_LINK

Default: True

Env: DISPLAY\_ORIGINAL\_DATASET\_LINK

If set to False original dataset download is hidden.

## DOWNLOAD\_FORMATS\_METADATA

Specifies which metadata formats are available for users to download.

Default:

```
DOWNLOAD_FORMATS_METADATA = [
 'Atom', 'DIF', 'Dublin Core', 'ebRIM', 'FGDC', 'ISO',
]
```

## DOWNLOAD\_FORMATS\_VECTOR

Specifies which formats for vector data are available for users to download.

Default:

```
DOWNLOAD_FORMATS_VECTOR = [
 'JPEG', 'PDF', 'PNG', 'Zipped Shapefile', 'GML 2.0', 'GML 3.1.1', 'CSV',
 'Excel', 'GeoJSON', 'KML', 'View in Google Earth', 'Tiles',
]
```

## DOWNLOAD\_FORMATS\_RASTER

Specifies which formats for raster data are available for users to download.

Default:

```
DOWNLOAD_FORMATS_RASTER = [
 'JPEG', 'PDF', 'PNG' 'Tiles',
]
```

## E

### EMAIL\_ENABLE

Default: False

Options:

- EMAIL\_BACKEND  
Default: `django.core.mail.backends.smtp.EmailBackend`  
Env: `DJANGO_EMAIL_BACKEND`
- EMAIL\_HOST  
Default: `localhost`
- EMAIL\_PORT  
Default: `25`
- EMAIL\_HOST\_USER  
Default: `''`
- EMAIL\_HOST\_PASSWORD  
Default: `''`
- EMAIL\_USE\_TLS  
Default: `False`
- EMAIL\_USE\_SSL  
Default: `False`
- DEFAULT\_FROM\_EMAIL  
Default: `GeoNode <no-reply@geonode.org>`

## EPSG\_CODE\_MATCHES

Default:

```
{
 'EPSG:4326': '(4326) WGS 84',
 'EPSG:900913': '(900913) Google Maps Global Mercator',
 'EPSG:3857': '(3857) WGS 84 / Pseudo-Mercator',
 'EPSG:3785': '(3785 DEPRECATED) Popular Visualization CRS / Mercator',
 'EPSG:32647': '(32647) WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N',
 'EPSG:32736': '(32736) WGS 84 / UTM zone 36S'
}
```

Supported projections human readable descriptions associated to their EPSG Codes. This list will be presented to the user during the upload process whenever GeoNode won't be able to recognize a suitable projection. Those codes should be aligned to the *UPLOADER* ones and available in GeoServer also.

## EXTRA\_METADATA\_SCHEMA

Default:

```
EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA = {**{
 "map": os.getenv('MAP_EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA', DEFAULT_EXTRA_METADATA_
↪SCHEMA),
 "layer": os.getenv('DATASET_EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA', DEFAULT_EXTRA_METADATA_
↪SCHEMA),
 "document": os.getenv('DOCUMENT_EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA', DEFAULT_EXTRA_
↪METADATA_SCHEMA),
 "geoapp": os.getenv('GEOAPP_EXTRA_METADATA_SCHEMA', DEFAULT_EXTRA_METADATA_
↪SCHEMA)
}, **CUSTOM_METADATA_SCHEMA}
```

Variable used to actually get the expected metadata schema for each resource\_type. In this way, each resource type can have a different metadata schema

## F

### FREETEXT\_KEYWORDS\_READONLY

Default: False

Env: FREETEXT\_KEYWORDS\_READONLY

Make Free-Text Keywords writable from users. Or read-only when set to False.

## G

### GEOFENCE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED

Default: True (False is Test is true)

Env: GEOFENCE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED

Whether the geofence security system is used.

### GEOIP\_PATH

Default: Path to project

Env: PROJECT\_ROOT

The local path where GeoIPCities.dat is written to. Make sure your user has to have write permissions.

### GEONODE\_APPS\_ENABLED

Default: True

If enabled contrib apps are used. If disabled: - the geoapps URLs are not included in the routing paths - the geoapps resources are excluded from the search - the resource detail are forwarded to the homepage

ENABLE -> DISABLE transition:

This should be done if the geoapps were enabled in an environment where they are not needed.

DISABLE -> ENABLE transition:

It should be done only once to enable geoapps in an environment where are needed

### GEONODE\_CLIENT\_LAYER\_PREVIEW\_LIBRARY

Default: "mapstore"

The library to use for display preview images of layers. The library choices are:

"mapstore" "leaflet" "react"

### GEONODE\_EXCHANGE

Default:: Exchange("default", type="direct", durable=True)

The definition of Exchanges published by geonode. Find more about Exchanges at [celery docs](#).

## GEOSERVER\_EXCHANGE

Default:: `Exchange("geonode", type="topic", durable=False)`

The definition of Exchanges published by GeoServer. Find more about Exchanges at [celery docs](#).

## GEOSERVER\_LOCATION

Default: `http://localhost:8080/geoserver/`

Env: `GEOSERVER_LOCATION`

Url under which GeoServer is available.

## GEOSERVER\_PUBLIC\_HOST

Default: `SITE_HOST_NAME` (Variable)

Env: `GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_HOST`

Public hostname under which GeoServer is available.

## GEOSERVER\_PUBLIC\_LOCATION

Default: `SITE_HOST_NAME` (Variable)

Env: `GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION`

Public location under which GeoServer is available.

## GEOSERVER\_PUBLIC\_PORT

Default: `8080` (Variable)

Env: `GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_PORT`

Public Port under which GeoServer is available.

## GEOSERVER\_WEB\_UI\_LOCATION

Default: `GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION` (Variable)

Env: `GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION`

Public location under which GeoServer is available.

## GROUP\_PRIVATE\_RESOURCES

Default: False

Env: GROUP\_PRIVATE\_RESOURCES

If this option is enabled, Resources belonging to a Group won't be visible by others

## H

## HAYSTACK\_FACET\_COUNTS

Default: True

Env: HAYSTACK\_FACET\_COUNTS

If set to True users will be presented with feedback about the number of resources which matches terms they may be interested in.

## HAYSTACK\_SEARCH

Default: False

Env: HAYSTACK\_SEARCH

Enable/disable haystack Search Backend Configuration.

## L

## LEAFLET\_CONFIG

A dictionary used for Leaflet configuration.

## LICENSES

Default:

```
{
 'ENABLED': True,
 'DETAIL': 'above',
 'METADATA': 'verbose',
}
```

Enable Licenses User Interface

## LOCAL\_SIGNALS\_BROKER\_URL

Default: `memory://`

## LOCKDOWN\_GEONODE

Default: `False`

Env: `LOCKDOWN_GEONODE`

By default, the GeoNode application allows visitors to view most pages without being authenticated. If this is set to `True` users must be authenticated before accessing URL routes not included in `AUTH_EXEMPT_URLS`.

## LOGIN\_URL

Default: `{{account/login/'}.format(SITEURL)`

Env: `LOGIN_URL`

The URL where requests are redirected for login.

## LOGOUT\_URL

Default: `{{account/login/'}.format(SITEURL)`

Env: `LOGOUT_URL`

The URL where requests are redirected for logout.

## M

### MAP\_CLIENT\_USE\_CROSS\_ORIGIN\_CREDENTIALS

Default: `False`

Env: `MAP_CLIENT_USE_CROSS_ORIGIN_CREDENTIALS`

Enables cross origin requests for geonode-client.

### MAPSTORE\_BASELAYERS

Default:

```
[
 {
 "type": "osm",
 "title": "Open Street Map",
 "name": "mapnik",
 "source": "osm",
 "group": "background",
 "visibility": True
 }, {
```

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```

 "type": "tileprovider",
 "title": "OpenTopoMap",
 "provider": "OpenTopoMap",
 "name": "OpenTopoMap",
 "source": "OpenTopoMap",
 "group": "background",
 "visibility": False
 }, {
 "type": "wms",
 "title": "Sentinel-2 cloudless - https://s2maps.eu",
 "format": "image/jpeg",
 "id": "s2cloudless",
 "name": "s2cloudless:s2cloudless",
 "url": "https://maps.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/wms",
 "group": "background",
 "thumbURL": "%sstatic/mapstorestyle/img/s2cloudless-s2cloudless.png" %
↪ SITEURL,
 "visibility": False
 }, {
 "source": "ol",
 "group": "background",
 "id": "none",
 "name": "empty",
 "title": "Empty Background",
 "type": "empty",
 "visibility": False,
 "args": ["Empty Background", {"visibility": False}]
 }
]

```

Env: MAPSTORE\_BASELAYERS

Allows to specify which backgrounds MapStore should use. The parameter `visibility` for a layer, specifies which one is the default one.

A sample configuration using the Bing background without OpenStreetMap, could be the following one:

```

[
 {
 "type": "bing",
 "title": "Bing Aerial",
 "name": "AerialWithLabels",
 "source": "bing",
 "group": "background",
 "apiKey": "{{apiKey}}",
 "visibility": True
 }, {
 "type": "tileprovider",
 "title": "OpenTopoMap",
 "provider": "OpenTopoMap",

```

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```

 "name": "OpenTopoMap",
 "source": "OpenTopoMap",
 "group": "background",
 "visibility": False
 }, {
 "type": "wms",
 "title": "Sentinel-2 cloudless - https://s2maps.eu",
 "format": "image/jpeg",
 "id": "s2cloudless",
 "name": "s2cloudless:s2cloudless",
 "url": "https://maps.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/wms",
 "group": "background",
 "thumbURL": "%sstatic/mapstorestyle/img/s2cloudless-s2cloudless.png" %
↪SITEURL,
 "visibility": False
 }, {
 "source": "ol",
 "group": "background",
 "id": "none",
 "name": "empty",
 "title": "Empty Background",
 "type": "empty",
 "visibility": False,
 "args": ["Empty Background", {"visibility": False}]
 }
]

```

**Warning:** To use a Bing background, you need to correctly set and provide a valid BING\_API\_KEY

## MAX\_DOCUMENT\_SIZE

Default:2

Env: MAX\_DOCUMENT\_SIZE

Allowed size for documents in MB.

## METADATA\_PARSERS

Is possible to define multiple XML parsers for ingest XML during the layer upload.

The variable should be declared in this way in *settings.py*:

```
METADATA_PARSERS = ['list', 'of', 'parsing', 'functions']
```

If you want to always use the default metadata parser and after use your own, the variable must be set with first value as `__DEFAULT__` Example:

```
METADATA_PARSERS = ['__DEFAULT__', 'custom_parsing_function']
```

If not set, the system will use the `__DEFAULT__` parser.

The custom parsing function must be accept in input 6 parameter that are:

- exml (xmlfile)
- uuid (str)
- vals (dict)
- regions (list)
- keywords (list)
- custom (dict)

If you want to use your parser after the default one, here is how the variable are populated:

- exml: the XML file to parse
- uuid: the UUID of the layer
- vals: Dictionary of information that belong to ResourceBase
- regions: List of regions extracted from the XML
- keywords: List of dict of keywords already divided between free-text and thesarus
- custom: Custom variable

NOTE: the keywords must be in a specific format, since later this dict, will be ingested by the *KeywordHandler* which will assign the keywords/thesaurus to the layer.

Here is an example of expected parser function

For more information, please rely to *TestCustomMetadataParser* which contain a smoke test to explain the functionality

## METADATA\_STORERS

Is possible to define multiple Layer storer during the layer upload.

The variable should be declared in this way:

```
METADATA_STORERS = ['custom_storer_function']
```

NOTE: By default the Layer is always saved with the default behaviour.

The custom storer function must be accept in input 2 parameter that are:

- Layer (layer model instance)
- custom (dict)

Here is how the variable are populated by default:

- layer (layer model instance) that we wanto to change
- custom: custom dict populated by the parser

Here is an example of expected storer function

For more information, please rely to *TestMetadataStorers* which contain a smoke test to explain the functionality

## MISSING\_THUMBNAIL

Default: `geonode/img/missing_thumb.png`

The path to an image used as thumbnail placeholder.

## MEMCACHED\_BACKEND

Default: `django.core.cache.backends.memcached.PyMemcacheCache`

Define which backend of memcached will be used

## MEMCACHED\_ENABLED

Default: `False`

If `True`, will use `MEMCACHED_BACKEND` as default backend in `CACHES`

## MODIFY\_TOPICCATEGORY

Default: `False`

Metadata Topic Categories list should not be modified, as it is strictly defined by ISO (See: <http://www.isotc211.org/2005/resources/Codelist/gmxCodeLists.xml> and check the `<CodeListDictionary gml:id="MD_MD_TopicCategoryCode">` element).

Some customization is still possible changing the `is_choice` and the GeoNode description fields.

In case it is necessary to add/delete/update categories, it is possible to set the `MODIFY_TOPICCATEGORY` setting to `True`.

## MONITORING\_ENABLED

Default: `False`

Enable internal monitoring application (*geonode.monitoring*). If set to `True`, add following code to your local settings:

```

MONITORING_ENABLED = True
add following lines to your local settings to enable monitoring
if MONITORING_ENABLED:
 INSTALLED_APPS + ('geonode.monitoring',)
 MIDDLEWARE_CLASSES + ('geonode.monitoring.middleware.MonitoringMiddleware',
↵)

```

See *Read-Only and Maintenance Mode* for details.

## MONITORING\_DATA\_AGGREGATION

Default:

```
(
 (timedelta(seconds=0), timedelta(minutes=1)),
 (timedelta(days=1), timedelta(minutes=60)),
 (timedelta(days=14), timedelta(days=1)),
)
```

Configure aggregation of past data to control data resolution. It lists data age and aggregation in reverse order, by default:

- for current data, 1 minute resolution
- for data older than 1 day, 1-hour resolution
- for data older than 2 weeks, 1 day resolution

See *Read-Only and Maintenance Mode* for further details.

This setting takes effects only if *USER\_ANALYTICS\_ENABLED* is true.

## MONITORING\_DATA\_TTL

Default: 365

Env: MONITORING\_DATA\_TTL

How long monitoring data should be stored in days.

## MONITORING\_DISABLE\_CSRF

Default: False

Env: MONITORING\_DISABLE\_CSRF

Set this to true to disable csrf check for notification config views, use with caution - for dev purpose only.

## MONITORING\_SKIP\_PATHS

Default:

```
(
 '/api/o/',
 '/monitoring/',
 '/admin',
 '/jsi18n',
 STATIC_URL,
 MEDIA_URL,
 re.compile('^/[a-z]{2}/admin/'),
)
```

Skip certain useless paths to not to mud analytics stats too much. See *Read-Only and Maintenance Mode* to learn more about it.

This setting takes effects only if `USER_ANALYTICS_ENABLED` is true.

## N

### NOTIFICATIONS\_MODULE

Default: `pinax.notifications`

App used for notifications. (pinax.notifications or notification)

### NOTIFICATION\_ENABLED

Default: `True`

Env: `NOTIFICATION_ENABLED`

Enable or disable the notification system.

## O

### OAuth2\_API\_KEY

Default: `None`

Env: `OAuth2_API_KEY`

In order to protect oauth2 REST endpoints, used by GeoServer to fetch user roles and infos, you should set this key and configure the geonode `REST role service` accordingly. Keep it secret!

**Warning:** If not set, the endpoint can be accessed by users without authorization.

### OAuth2\_PROVIDER

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

### OAuth2\_PROVIDER\_APPLICATION\_MODEL

Default: `oauth2_provider.Application`

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

## OAuth2\_PROVIDER\_ACCESS\_TOKEN\_MODEL

Default: `oauth2_provider.AccessToken`

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

## OAuth2\_PROVIDER\_ID\_TOKEN\_MODEL

Default: `oauth2_provider.IDToken`

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

## OAuth2\_PROVIDER\_GRANT\_MODEL

Default: `oauth2_provider.Grant`

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

## OAuth2\_PROVIDER\_REFRESH\_TOKEN\_MODEL

Default: `oauth2_provider.RefreshToken`

Ref.: [OAuth Toolkit settings](#)

## OGC\_SERVER\_DEFAULT\_PASSWORD

Default: `geoserver`

Env: `GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD`

The geoserver password.

## OGC\_SERVER\_DEFAULT\_USER

Default: `admin`

Env: `GEOSERVER_ADMIN_USER`

The GeoServer user.

## OGC\_SERVER

Default: `{}` (Empty dictionary)

A dictionary of OGC servers and their options. The main server should be listed in the 'default' key. If there is no 'default' key or if the `OGC_SERVER` setting does not exist, Geonode will raise an Improperly Configured exception. Below is an example of the `OGC_SERVER` setting:

```
OGC_SERVER = {
 'default' : {
 'LOCATION' : 'http://localhost:8080/geoserver/',
 'USER' : 'admin',
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```

 'PASSWORD' : 'geoserver',
 }
}

```

- BACKEND

Default: "geonode.geoserver"

The OGC server backend to use. The backend choices are:

```
'geonode.geoserver'
```

- BACKEND\_WRITE\_ENABLED

Default: True

Specifies whether the OGC server can be written to. If False, actions that modify data on the OGC server will not execute.

- DATASTORE

Default: '' (Empty string)

An optional string that represents the name of a vector datastore, where Geonode uploads are imported into. To support vector datastore imports there also needs to be an entry for the datastore in the DATABASES dictionary with the same name. Example:

```

OGC_SERVER = {
 'default' : {
 'LOCATION' : 'http://localhost:8080/geoserver/',
 'USER' : 'admin',
 'PASSWORD' : 'geoserver',
 'DATASTORE': 'geonode_imports'
 }
}

DATABASES = {
 'default': {
 'ENGINE': 'django.db.backends.sqlite3',
 'NAME': 'development.db',
 },
 'geonode_imports' : {
 'ENGINE': 'django.contrib.gis.db.backends.postgis',
 'NAME': 'geonode_imports',
 'USER' : 'geonode_user',
 'PASSWORD' : 'a_password',
 'HOST' : 'localhost',
 'PORT' : '5432',
 }
}

```

- GEONODE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED

Default: True

A boolean that represents whether GeoNode's security application is enabled.

- LOCATION

Default: "http://localhost:8080/geoserver/"

A base URL from which GeoNode can construct OGC service URLs. If using GeoServer you can determine this by visiting the GeoServer administration home page without the /web/ at the end. For example, if your GeoServer administration app is at <http://example.com/geoserver/web/>, your server's location is <http://example.com/geoserver>.

- MAPFISH\_PRINT\_ENABLED

Default: True

A boolean that represents whether the MapFish printing extension is enabled on the server.

- PASSWORD

Default: 'geoserver'

The administrative password for the OGC server as a string.

- PRINT\_NG\_ENABLED

Default: True

A boolean that represents whether printing of maps and layers is enabled.

- PUBLIC\_LOCATION

Default: "http://localhost:8080/geoserver/"

The URL used to in most public requests from Geonode. This setting allows a user to write to one OGC server (the LOCATION setting) and read from a separate server or the PUBLIC\_LOCATION.

- USER

Default: 'admin'

The administrative username for the OGC server as a string.

- WMST\_ENABLED

Default: False

Not implemented.

- WPS\_ENABLED

Default: False

Not implemented.

- TIMEOUT

Default: 10

The maximum time, in seconds, to wait for the server to respond.

## OGP\_URL

Default: `http://geodata.tufts.edu/solr/select`

Env: `OGP_URL`

Endpoint of `geodata.tufts.edu` `getCapabilities`.

## OPENGRAPH\_ENABLED

Default:: `True`

A boolean that specifies whether Open Graph is enabled. Open Graph is used by Facebook and Slack.

## P

### PINAX\_NOTIFICATIONS\_BACKENDS

Default: `("email", _EMAIL_BACKEND, 0)`,

Used notification backend. This is a [pinax notification setting](#):

### PINAX\_NOTIFICATIONS\_LOCK\_WAIT\_TIMEOUT

Default: `-1`

Env: `NOTIFICATIONS_LOCK_WAIT_TIMEOUT`

It defines how long to wait for the lock to become available. Default of `-1` means to never wait for the lock to become available. This is a [pinax notification setting](#):

### PINAX\_NOTIFICATIONS\_QUEUE\_ALL

Default: `-1`

Env: `NOTIFICATIONS_LOCK_WAIT_TIMEOUT`

By default, calling `notification.send` will send the notification immediately, however, if you set this setting to `True`, then the default behavior of the `send` method will be to queue messages in the database for sending via the `emit_notices` command. This is a [pinax notification setting](#):

### PINAX\_RATINGS\_CATEGORY\_CHOICES

Default:

```
{
 "maps.Map": {
 "map": "How good is this map?"
 },
 "layers.Layer": {
 "layer": "How good is this layer?"
 },
 "documents.Document": {
```

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```

 "document": "How good is this document?"
 }
}

```

## PROFILE\_EDIT\_EXCLUDE\_FIELD

Default: []

A list of element (item name) to exclude from the Profile Edit page.

Example:

```
PROFILE_EDIT_EXCLUDE_FIELD=['organization', 'language']
```

## PROXY\_ALLOWED\_HOSTS

Default: () (Empty tuple)

A tuple of strings representing the host/domain names that GeoNode can proxy requests to. This is a security measure to prevent an attacker from using the GeoNode proxy to render malicious code or access internal sites.

Values in this tuple can be fully qualified names (e.g. 'www.geonode.org'), in which case they will be matched against the request's Host header exactly (case-insensitive, not including port). A value beginning with a period can be used as a subdomain wildcard: .geonode.org will match geonode.org, www.geonode.org, and any other subdomain of geonode.org. A value of '\*' will match anything and is not recommended for production deployments.

## PROXY\_URL

Default /proxy/?url=

The URL to a proxy that will be used when making client-side requests in GeoNode. By default, the internal GeoNode proxy is used but administrators may favor using their own, less restrictive proxies.

## PYCSW

A dict with pycsw's configuration with two possible keys CONFIGURATION and FILTER.

**CONFIGURATION** Of note are the sections `metadata:main` to set CSW server metadata and `metadata:inspire` to set INSPIRE options. Setting `metadata:inspire['enabled']` to `true` will enable INSPIRE support. Server level configurations can be overridden in the `server` section. See <http://docs.pycsw.org/en/latest/configuration.html> for full pycsw configuration details.

**FILTER** Optional settings in order to add a filter to the CSW filtering. The filter follow the django orm structure and must be a *ResourceBase* field/related field. By default CSW will filter only for *layer* resource\_type

Example of PYCSW configuration. PYCSW: {

```

 'CONFIGURATION': {...}, 'FILTER': {'resource_type__in':['layer']}
}

```

## R

**RABBITMQ\_SIGNALS\_BROKER\_URL**

Default: `amqp://localhost:5672`

The Rabbitmq endpoint

**RECAPTCHA\_ENABLED**

Default: `False`

Env: `RECAPTCHA_ENABLED`

Allows enabling reCaptcha field on signup form. Valid Captcha Public and Private keys will be needed as specified here <https://pypi.org/project/django-recaptcha/#installation>

You will need to generate a keys pair for reCaptcha v2 for your domain from <https://www.google.com/recaptcha/admin/create>

More options will be available by enabling this setting:

- **ACCOUNT\_SIGNUP\_FORM\_CLASS**

Default: `geonode.people.forms.AllauthReCaptchaSignupForm`

Env: `ACCOUNT_SIGNUP_FORM_CLASS`

Enabled only when the `RECAPTCHA_ENABLED` option is `True`.

- **INSTALLED\_APPS**

The captcha must be present on `INSTALLED_APPS`, otherwise you'll get an error.

When enabling the `RECAPTCHA_ENABLED` option through the environment, this setting will be automatically added by GeoNode as follows:

```
if 'captcha' not in INSTALLED_APPS:
 INSTALLED_APPS += ('captcha',)
```

- **RECAPTCHA\_PUBLIC\_KEY**

Default: `geonode_RECAPTCHA_PUBLIC_KEY`

Env: `RECAPTCHA_PUBLIC_KEY`

You will need to generate a keys pair for reCaptcha v2 for your domain from <https://www.google.com/recaptcha/admin/create>

For mode details on the reCaptcha package, please see:

1. <https://pypi.org/project/django-recaptcha/#installation>
2. <https://pypi.org/project/django-recaptcha/#local-development-and-functional-testing>

- **RECAPTCHA\_PRIVATE\_KEY**

Default: `geonode_RECAPTCHA_PRIVATE_KEY`

Env: `RECAPTCHA_PRIVATE_KEY`

You will need to generate a keys pair for reCaptcha v2 for your domain from <https://www.google.com/recaptcha/admin/create>

For mode details on the reCaptcha package, please see:

1. <https://pypi.org/project/django-recaptcha/#installation>
2. <https://pypi.org/project/django-recaptcha/#local-development-and-functional-testing>

## RECAPTCHA\_PUBLIC\_KEY

Default: `geonode_RECAPTCHA_PUBLIC_KEY`

Env: `RECAPTCHA_PUBLIC_KEY`

You will need to generate a keys pair for reCaptcha v2 for your domain from <https://www.google.com/recaptcha/admin/create>

Ref. to *RECAPTCHA\_ENABLED*

## RECAPTCHA\_PRIVATE\_KEY

Default: `geonode_RECAPTCHA_PRIVATE_KEY`

Env: `RECAPTCHA_PRIVATE_KEY`

You will need to generate a keys pair for reCaptcha v2 for your domain from <https://www.google.com/recaptcha/admin/create>

Ref. to *RECAPTCHA\_ENABLED*

## REDIS\_SIGNALS\_BROKER\_URL

Default: `redis://localhost:6379/0`

The Redis endpoint.

## REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_NAME

Default: `registered-members`

Env: `REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME`

Used by `AUTO_ASSIGN_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_TO_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME` settings.

## REGISTERED\_MEMBERS\_GROUP\_TITLE

Default: `Registered Members`

Env: `REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_TITLE`

Used by `AUTO_ASSIGN_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_TO_REGISTERED_MEMBERS_GROUP_NAME` settings.

## REGISTRATION\_OPEN

Default: False

A boolean that specifies whether users can self-register for an account on your site.

## RESOURCE\_PUBLISHING

Default: False

By default, the GeoNode application allows GeoNode staff members to publish/unpublish resources. By default, resources are published when created. When this setting is set to True the staff members will be able to unpublish a resource (and eventually publish it back).

## S

### SEARCH\_FILTERS

Default:

```
'TEXT_ENABLED': True,
'TYPE_ENABLED': True,
'CATEGORIES_ENABLED': True,
'OWNERS_ENABLED': True,
'KEYWORDS_ENABLED': True,
'H_KEYWORDS_ENABLED': True,
'T_KEYWORDS_ENABLED': True,
'DATE_ENABLED': True,
'REGION_ENABLED': True,
'EXTENT_ENABLED': True,
```

Enabled Search Filters for filtering resources.

## SECURE\_BROWSER\_XSS\_FILTER

Default: True

Env: SECURE\_BROWSER\_XSS\_FILTER

If True, the SecurityMiddleware sets the X-XSS-Protection: 1; mode=block header on all responses that do not already have it. This is [Djangosettings.https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/ref/settings/#secure-browser-xss-filter](https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/ref/settings/#secure-browser-xss-filter)

## SECURE\_CONTENT\_TYPE\_NOSNIFF

Default: True

Env: SECURE\_CONTENT\_TYPE\_NOSNIFF

If True, the SecurityMiddleware sets the X-Content-Type-Options: nosniff header on all responses that do not already have it. This is [Django settings](#):

## SECURE\_HSTS\_INCLUDE\_SUBDOMAINS

Default: True

Env: SECURE\_HSTS\_INCLUDE\_SUBDOMAINS

This is Django settings: <https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/ref/settings/#secure-hsts-include-subdomains>

## SECURE\_HSTS\_SECONDS

Default: 3600

Env: SECURE\_HSTS\_SECONDS

This is [Django settings](#): If set to a non-zero integer value, the SecurityMiddleware sets the HTTP Strict Transport Security header on all responses that do not already have it.

## SECURE\_SSL\_REDIRECT

If True, the SecurityMiddleware redirects all non-HTTPS requests to HTTPS (except for those URLs matching a regular expression listed in SECURE\_REDIRECT\_EXEMPT). This is [Django settings](#):

## SERVICES\_TYPE\_MODULES

It's possible to define multiple Service Types Modules for custom service type with it's own Handler.

The variable should be declared in this way in *settings.py*:

```
SERVICES_TYPE_MODULES = ['path.to.module1', 'path.to.module2', ...]
```

Default service types are already included

Inside each module in the list we need to define a variable:

```
`services_type = {
 "<key_of_service_type>": { "OWS": True/False, "handler": "<path.to.Handler>", "label": "<label to show in
 remote service page>", "management_view": "<path.to.view>"
 }
}
```

the `key_of_service_type` is just an identifier to assign at the service type. OWS is True if the service type is an OGC Service Compliant. The handler key must contain the path to the class who will provide all methods to manage the service type. The label is what is shown in the service form when adding a new service. The `management_view`, if exists, must contain the path to the method where the management page is opened.

## SERVICE\_UPDATE\_INTERVAL

Default: 0

The Interval services are updated.

## SESSION\_COOKIE\_SECURE

Default: False

Env: SESSION\_COOKIE\_SECURE

This is a [Django setting](#):

## SESSION\_EXPIRED\_CONTROL\_ENABLED

Default: True

Env: SESSION\_EXPIRED\_CONTROL\_ENABLED

By enabling this variable, a new middleware `geonode.security.middleware.SessionControlMiddleware` will be added to the `MIDDLEWARE_CLASSES`. The class will check every request to GeoNode and it will force a log out whenever one of the following conditions occurs:

1. The OAuth2 Access Token is not valid anymore or it is expired.

**Warning:** The Access Token might be invalid for various reasons. Usually a misconfiguration of the OAuth2 GeoServer application. The latter is typically installed and configured automatically at GeoNode bootstrap through the default fixtures.

2. The user has been deactivated for some reason; an Admin has disabled it or its password has expired.

Whenever the middleware terminates the session and the user forced to log out, a message will appear to the GeoNode interface.

## SHOW\_PROFILE\_EMAIL

Default: False

A boolean which specifies whether to display the email in the user's profile.

## SITE\_HOST\_NAME

Default: localhost

Env: SITE\_HOST\_NAME

The hostname used for GeoNode.

## SITE\_HOST\_PORT

Default: 8000

Env: SITE\_HOST\_PORT

The Site hostport.

## SITEURL

Default: 'http://localhost:8000/'

A base URL for use in creating absolute links to Django views and generating links in metadata.

## SIZE\_RESTRICTED\_FILE\_UPLOAD\_ELEGIBLE\_URL\_NAMES

Default: '("data\_upload", "uploads-upload", "document\_upload",)'

Rappresent the list of the urls basename that are under file\_size restriction

## SKIP\_PERMS\_FILTER

Default: False

Env: SKIP\_PERMS\_FILTER

If set to true permissions prefiltering is avoided.

## SOCIALACCOUNT\_ADAPTER

Default: `geonode.people.adapters.SocialAccountAdapter`

This is a [django-allauth setting](#) It allows specifying a custom class to handle authentication for social accounts.

## SOCIALACCOUNT\_AUTO\_SIGNUP

Default: True

Attempt to bypass the signup form by using fields (e.g. username, email) retrieved from the social account provider. This is a [Django-allauth setting](#):

## SOCIALACCOUNT\_PROVIDERS

Default:

```
{
 'linkedin_oauth2': {
 'SCOPE': [
 'r_emailaddress',
 'r_basicprofile',
],
 },
}
```

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```

 'PROFILE_FIELDS': [
 'emailAddress',
 'firstName',
 'headline',
 'id',
 'industry',
 'lastName',
 'pictureUrl',
 'positions',
 'publicProfileUrl',
 'location',
 'specialties',
 'summary',
]
 },
 'facebook': {
 'METHOD': 'oauth2',
 'SCOPE': [
 'email',
 'public_profile',
],
 'FIELDS': [
 'id',
 'email',
 'name',
 'first_name',
 'last_name',
 'verified',
 'locale',
 'timezone',
 'link',
 'gender',
]
 },
}

```

This is a `django-allauth` setting. It should be a dictionary with provider specific settings.

## SOCIALACCOUNT\_PROFILE\_EXTRACTORS

Default:

```

{
 "facebook": "geonode.people.profileextractors.FacebookExtractor",
 "linkedin_oauth2": "geonode.people.profileextractors.LinkedInExtractor",
}

```

A dictionary with provider ids as keys and path to custom profile extractor classes as values.

## SOCIAL\_BUTTONS

Default: True

A boolean which specifies whether the social media icons and JavaScript should be rendered in GeoNode.

## SOCIAL\_ORIGINS

Default:

```
SOCIAL_ORIGINS = [{
 "label": "Email",
 "url": "mailto:?subject={name}&body={url}",
 "css_class": "email"
}, {
 "label": "Facebook",
 "url": "http://www.facebook.com/sharer.php?u={url}",
 "css_class": "fb"
}, {
 "label": "Twitter",
 "url": "https://twitter.com/share?url={url}",
 "css_class": "tw"
}, {
 "label": "Google +",
 "url": "https://plus.google.com/share?url={url}",
 "css_class": "gp"
}]
```

A list of dictionaries that are used to generate the social links displayed in the Share tab. For each origin, the name and URL format parameters are replaced by the actual values of the ResourceBase object (layer, map, document).

## SOCIALACCOUNT\_WITH\_GEONODE\_LOCAL\_SINGUP

Default: True

Variable which controls displaying local account registration form. By default form is visible

## SRID

Default:

```
{
 'DETAIL': 'never',
}
```

## SEARCH\_RESOURCES\_EXTENDED

Default: True

This will extend search with additional properties. By default its on and search engine will check resource title or purpose or abstract. When set to False just title lookup is performed.

## SUPPORTED\_DATASET\_FILE\_TYPES

**Default::** SUPPORTED\_DATASET\_FILE\_TYPES = [ {

```

 "id": "shp", "label": "ESRI Shapefile", "format": "vector", "ext": ["shp"], "requires":
 ["shp", "prj", "dbf", "shx"], "optional": ["xml", "sld"]
 }, {
 "id": "tiff", "label": "GeoTIFF", "format": "raster", "ext": ["tiff", "tif"], "mimeType":
 ["image/tiff"], "optional": ["xml", "sld"]
 }, {
 "id": "csv", "label": "Comma Separated Value (CSV)", "format": "vector", "ext": ["csv"],
 "mimeType": ["text/csv"], "optional": ["xml", "sld"]
 }, {
 "id": "zip", "label": "Zip Archive", "format": "archive", "ext": ["zip"], "mimeType":
 ["application/zip"], "optional": ["xml", "sld"]
 }, {
 "id": "xml", "label": "XML Metadata File", "format": "metadata", "ext": ["xml"], "mime-
 Type": ["application/json"], "needsFiles": ["shp", "prj", "dbf", "shx", "csv", "tiff", "zip",
 "sld"]
 }, {
 "id": "sld", "label": "Styled Layer Descriptor (SLD)", "format": "metadata", "ext":
 ["sld"], "mimeType": ["application/json"], "needsFiles": ["shp", "prj", "dbf", "shx",
 "csv", "tiff", "zip", "xml"]
 }
]
```

Represent the list of the supported file type in geonode that can be ingested by the platform

For example. the following configuration is needed to add the GeoJSON as supported file:

**Default::**

```

{ "id": "geojson", "label": "GeoJSON", "format": "metadata", "ext": ["geojson"], "mimeType":
 ["application/json"]
}
```

## T

### TASTYPIE\_DEFAULT\_FORMATS

Default: json

This setting allows you to globally configure the list of allowed serialization formats for your entire site. This is a [tastypie setting](#):

### THEME\_ACCOUNT\_CONTACT\_EMAIL

Default: 'admin@example.com'

This email address is added to the bottom of the password reset page in case users have trouble unlocking their account.

### THESAURI

Default = []

A list of Keywords thesauri settings: For example *THESAURI* = `[{'name':'inspire_themes', 'required':True, 'filter':True}, {'name':'inspire_concepts', 'filter':True}, ]`

### TOPICCATEGORY\_MANDATORY

Default: False

Env: TOPICCATEGORY\_MANDATORY

If this option is enabled, Topic Categories will become strictly Mandatory on Metadata Wizard

### TWITTER\_CARD

Default:: True

A boolean that specifies whether Twitter cards are enabled.

### TWITTER\_SITE

Default:: '@GeoNode'

A string that specifies the site to for the twitter:site meta tag for Twitter Cards.

## TWITTER\_HASHTAGS

Default:: ['geonode']

A list that specifies the hashtags to use when sharing a resource when clicking on a social link.

## TINYMCE\_DEFAULT\_CONFIG

Default:

```
{
 "selector": "textarea#id_resource-featureinfo_custom_template",
 "theme": "silver",
 "height": 500,
 "plugins": 'print preview paste importcss searchreplace autolink autosave
↪ save directionality code visualblocks visualchars fullscreen image link
↪ media template codesample table charmap hr pagebreak nonbreaking anchor toc
↪ insertdatetime advlist lists wordcount imagetools textpattern noneditable
↪ help charmap quickbars emoticons',
 "imagetools_cors_hosts": ['picsum.photos'],
 "menubar": 'file edit view insert format tools table help',
 "toolbar": 'undo redo | bold italic underline strikethrough | fontselect
↪ fontsize select formatselect | alignleft aligncenter alignright alignjustify
↪ | outdent indent | numlist bullist | forecolor backcolor removeformat |
↪ pagebreak | charmap emoticons | fullscreen preview save | insertfile image
↪ media template link anchor codesample | ltr rtl',
 "toolbar_sticky": "true",
 "autosave_ask_before_unload": "true",
 "autosave_interval": "30s",
 "autosave_prefix": "{path}{query}-{id}-",
 "autosave_restore_when_empty": "false",
 "autosave_retention": "2m",
 "image_advtab": "true",
 "content_css": '//www.tiny.cloud/css/codepen.min.css',
 "importcss_append": "true",
 "image_caption": "true",
 "quickbars_selection_toolbar": 'bold italic | quicklink h2 h3 blockquote
↪ quickimage quicktable',
 "noneditable_noneditable_class": "mceNonEditable",
 "toolbar_mode": 'sliding',
 "contextmenu": "link image imagetools table",
 "templates": [
 {
 "title": 'New Table',
 "description": 'creates a new table',
 "content": '<div class="mceTpl"><table width="98%" border="0"
↪ cellspacing="0" cellpadding="0"><tr><th scope="col"> </th><th scope="col"> </
↪ th></tr><tr><td> </td><td> </td></tr></table></div>'
 },
 {
 "title": 'Starting my story',
 "description": 'A cure for writers block',
 "content": 'Once upon a time...'
 }
]
}
```

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```

 },
 {
 "title": 'New list with dates',
 "description": 'New List with dates',
 "content": '<div class="mceTpl">cdate
↪
mdate<h2>My List</h2>
↪</div>'
 }
],
"template_cdate_format": '[Date Created (CDATE): %m/%d/%Y : %H:%M:%S]',
"template_mdate_format": '[Date Modified (MDATE): %m/%d/%Y : %H:%M:%S]',
}

```

HTML WYSIWYG Editor (TINYMCE) Menu Bar Settings. For more info see:

- <https://django-tinymce.readthedocs.io/en/latest/installation.html#configuration>
- *Customizing The Datasets' GetFeatureInfo Templates*

## U

### UI\_REQUIRED\_FIELDS

If this option is enabled, the input selected (we are referring to the one present in the optional Metadata-Tab on the Metadata-Wizard) will become mandatory.

The fields that can be mandatory are:

```

id_resource-edition => Label: Edition
id_resource-purpose => Label: Purpose
id_resource-supplemental_information => Label: Supplemental information
id_resource-temporal_extent_start_pickers => Label: temporal extent start
id_resource-temporal_extent_end => Label: temporal extent end
id_resource-maintenance_frequency => Label: Maintenance frequency
id_resource-spatial_representation_type => Label: Spatial representation type

```

If at least one on the above ids is set in this configuration, the panel header will change from *Optional* to *Mandatory*

Configuration Example:

```
UI_REQUIRED_FIELDS = ['id_resource-edition']
```

### UNOCONV\_ENABLE

Default: False

Env: UNOCONV\_ENABLE

## UPLOADER

Default:

```
{
 'BACKEND' : 'geonode.importer',
 'OPTIONS' : {
 'TIME_ENABLED': False,
 }
}
```

A dictionary of Uploader settings and their values.

- BACKEND

Default: 'geonode.importer'

The importer backend requires the GeoServer importer extension to be enabled.

- OPTIONS

Default:

```
'OPTIONS' : {
 'TIME_ENABLED': False,
}
```

- TIME\_ENABLED

Default: False

A boolean that specifies whether the upload should allow the user to enable time support when uploading data.

## USER\_MESSAGES\_ALLOW\_MULTIPLE\_RECIPIENTS

Default: True

Env: USER\_MESSAGES\_ALLOW\_MULTIPLE\_RECIPIENTS

Set to true to have multiple recipients in /message/create/

## USER\_ANALYTICS\_ENABLED

Default: False

Env: USER\_ANALYTICS\_ENABLED

Set to true to anonymously collect user data for analytics. If true you have to set *MONITORING\_DATA\_AGGREGATION* and *MONITORING\_SKIP\_PATHS*.

See *Read-Only and Maintenance Mode* to learn more about it.

## USER\_ANALYTICS\_GZIP

Default: False

Env: USER\_ANALYTICS\_GZIP

To be used with USER\_ANALYTICS\_ENABLED. Compress gzip json messages before sending to logstash.

## UUID HANDLER

Is possible to define an own uuidhandler for the Layer.

To start using your own handler, is needed to add the following configuration:

```
LAYER_UUID_HANDLER = "mymodule.myfile.MyObject"
```

The Object must accept as *init* the *instance* of the layer and have a method named *create\_uuid()*

here is an example:

```
class MyObject():
 def __init__(self, instance):
 self.instance = instance

 def create_uuid(self):
 # here your code
 pass
```

## X

## X\_FRAME\_OPTIONS

Default: 'ALLOW-FROM %s' % SITEURL

This is a [Django setting](#)

# 1.14 Customize the Look and Feel

## 1.14.1 GeoNode Themes

We have already explained in [Simple Theming](#) how to change the GeoNode theme directly from the *Admin Interface*. This is an easy way for customizing GeoNode appearance but, in some cases, you might want to have more control on it.

In those cases, you have to venture into the code and it is highly recommended to use a GeoNode Project and customize it instead of the GeoNode default HTML/CSS code. See the following sections to learn more about that.

## 1.14.2 Theming your GeoNode Project

There are a range of options available to you if you want to change the default look and feel of your *GeoNode Project*.

### Logos and graphics

GeoNode intentionally does not include a large number of graphics files in its interface. This keeps page loading time to a minimum and makes for a more responsive interface. That said, you are free to customize your GeoNode's interface by simply changing the default logo, or by adding your own images and graphics to deliver a GeoNode experience the way you envision it.

Your GeoNode project has a directory already set up for storing your own images at `<my_geonode>/static/img`. You should place any image files that you intend to use for your project in this directory.

Let's walk through an example of the steps necessary to change the default logo.

1. Change to the `img` directory:

```
$ cd <my_geonode>/static/img
```

2. If you haven't already, obtain your logo image. The URL below is just an example, so you will need to change this URL to match the location of your file or copy it to this location:

```
$ wget https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/a/ac/Service_mark.svg/
→500px-Service_mark.svg.png
$ wget https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/c/c8/Wikimapia_logo_
→without_label.svg/426px-Wikimapia_logo_without_label.svg.png -O logo.png
```

3. Create snippets directory :

```
$ cd ../../..
$ mkdir <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets
$ cd <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets
```

4. Create a new HTML file named `brand_navbar.html`

```
$ sudo vi brand_navbar.html
```

```
{% extends "geonode-mapstore-client/snippets/brand_navbar.html" %}
{% load static %}
{% block extra_style %}
<style>
 #gn-brand-navbar {
 background: transparent url("/static/img/500px-Service_mark.svg.png") no-repeat;
 background-size: 300px 70px;
 background-position: left center;
 background-position-x: 100px;
 }
</style>
{% endblock %}
{% block logo_src %}
{% static 'img/logo.png' %}
{% endblock %}
```

5. Restart your GeoNode project and look at the page in your browser:

```
$ cd /home/geonode
$ sudo rm -Rf geonode/geonode/static_root/*
$ cd my_geonode
$ python manage.py collectstatic
$ sudo service apache2 restart
```

**Note:** It is a good practice to cleanup the **static\_folder** and the Browser Cache before reloading in order to be sure that the changes have been correctly taken and displayed on the screen.

Visit your site at <http://localhost/> or the remote URL for your site.

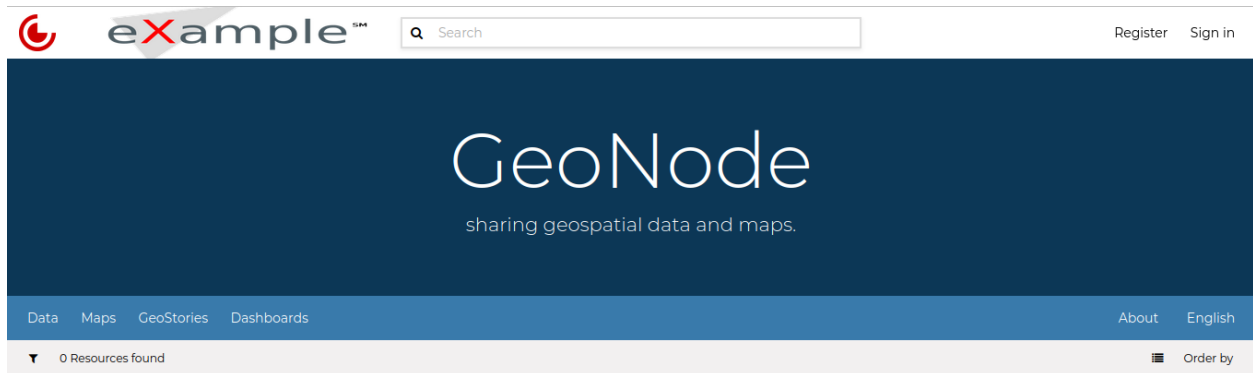


Fig. 204: Custom logo

In the following sections you will learn how to customize this header to make it as you want.

**Note:** You should commit these changes to your repository as you progress through this section, and get in the habit of committing early and often so that you and others can track your project on GitHub. Making many atomic commits and staying in sync with a remote repository makes it easier to collaborate with others on your project.

## Cascading Style Sheets

In the last section you already learned how to override GeoNode's default CSS rules to include your own logo. You are able to customize any aspect of GeoNode's appearance this way. In the last screenshot, you saw that the main area in the homepage is covered up by the expanded header.

First, we'll walk through the steps necessary to displace it downward so it is no longer hidden, then change the background color of the header to match the color in our logo graphic.

1. Reopen `<my_geonode>/static/css/brand_navbar.html` in your editor:

```
$ cd <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets
$ sudo vi brand_navbar.html
```

1. Append a rule to change the background color of the header to match the logo graphic:

```
#gn-brand-navbar {

 background-color: #ff0000 !important;
}
```

1. Create new file to manipulate *hero* section:

```
$ cd <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets
$ sudo vi hero.html
```

1. Add the following code to change the background image and font for the *hero* section:

```
{% extends "geonode-mapstore-client/snippets/hero.html" %}
{% block extra_style %}
<style>
 #gn-hero {
 background-image: url('https://cdn.pixabay.com/photo/2017/09/16/16/09/
↪sea-2755908_960_720.jpg');
 background-size: cover;
 background-position: center center;
 background-repeat: no-repeat;
 background-color: rgb(156, 156, 156);
 background-blend-mode: multiply;
 background-size: 100%;
 }
 .msgapi .gn-hero .jumbotron .gn-hero-description h1 {
 font-weight: lighter;
 word-break: break-word;
 font-style: oblique;
 font-family: orbitron;
 font-size: 3.4rem;
 }
</style>
{% endblock %}
```

1. Collect the static files into STATIC\_ROOT, restart the development server and reload the page:

```
$ python manage.py collectstatic
$ sudo service apache2 restart
```



Fig. 205: CSS override

You can continue adding rules to this file to override the styles that are in the GeoNode base CSS file which is built from `base.less`.

**Note:** You may find it helpful to use your browser's development tools to inspect elements of your site that you want to override to determine which rules are already applied. See the screenshot below.

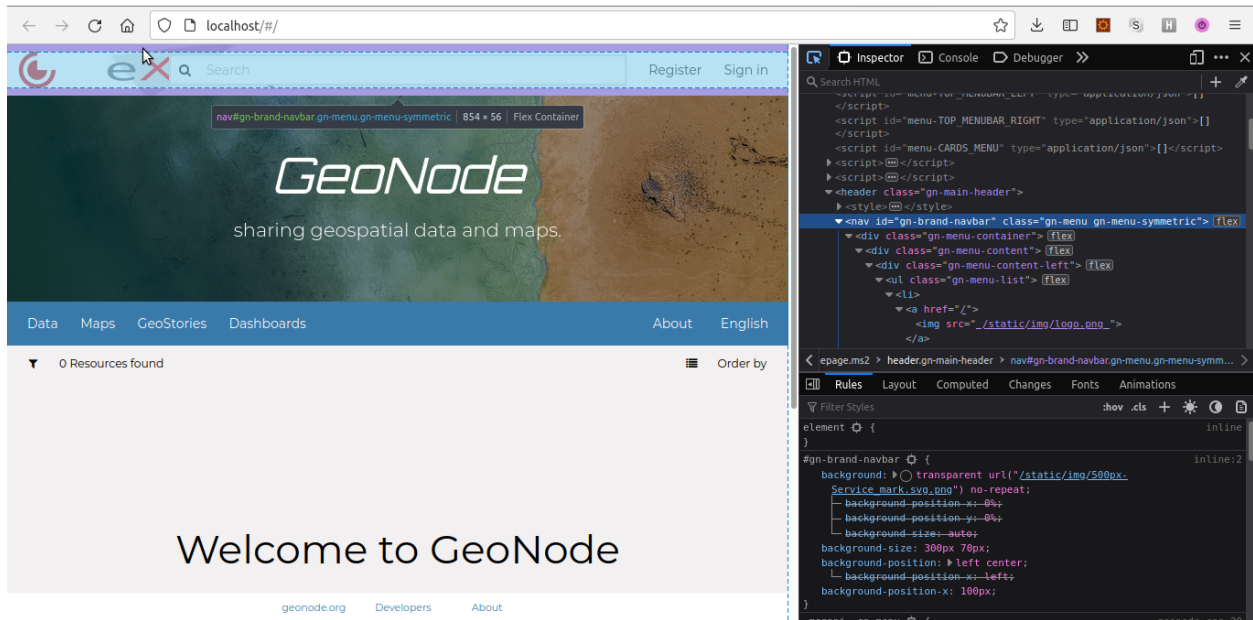


Fig. 206: Screenshot of using browser debugger to inspect the CSS overrides

## Modify GeoNode Homepage

So far we learned how to modify some template sections of your GeoNode main page. You can do it individually per section template, adding a new page under `<my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets` folder with the section name (ex: `brand_navbar.html`) or by extending the base template file `custom_theme.html` where you can add different theme settings in one place.

1. Remove the previous `hero` section `hero.html` file:

```
$ rm <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets/hero.html
```

1. Create a new `custom_theme.html` file:

```
$ cd <my_geonode>/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets
$ sudo vi custom_theme.html
```

1. Add the following content to this page:

```
{% load static %}
{% block content %}
<style>
 .msgapi .gn-theme {
 --gn-primary: #df7656;
 --gn-primary-contrast: #e3dcdc;
 --gn-link-color: #fcd823;
 --gn-focus-color: rgba(57, 122, 171, 0.4);
 --gn-footer-bg: #dbb051;
 }
}
```

(continues on next page)

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```

#gn-hero {
 background: url('https://cdn.pixabay.com/photo/2017/09/16/16/09/sea-
→ 2755908_960_720.jpg');
 background-position: center center;
 background-repeat: no-repeat;
 background-blend-mode: multiply;
 background-size: 100%;
}

.msgapi .gn-hero .jumbotron .gn-hero-description h1 {
 font-weight: bolder;
 word-break: break-word;
 font-style: oblique;
 font-family: orbitron;
 font-size: 3.4rem;
}

.msgapi .gn-hero .jumbotron .gn-hero-description p {
 font-weight: lighter;
 word-break: break-word;
 font-style: oblique;
 font-family: orbitron;
 font-size: 2.2rem;
}

</style>
{% endblock %}

```

1. Restart httpd server

```

$ python manage.py collectstatic
$ sudo service apache2 restart

```

1. Your customized layout should be similar to the next picture:

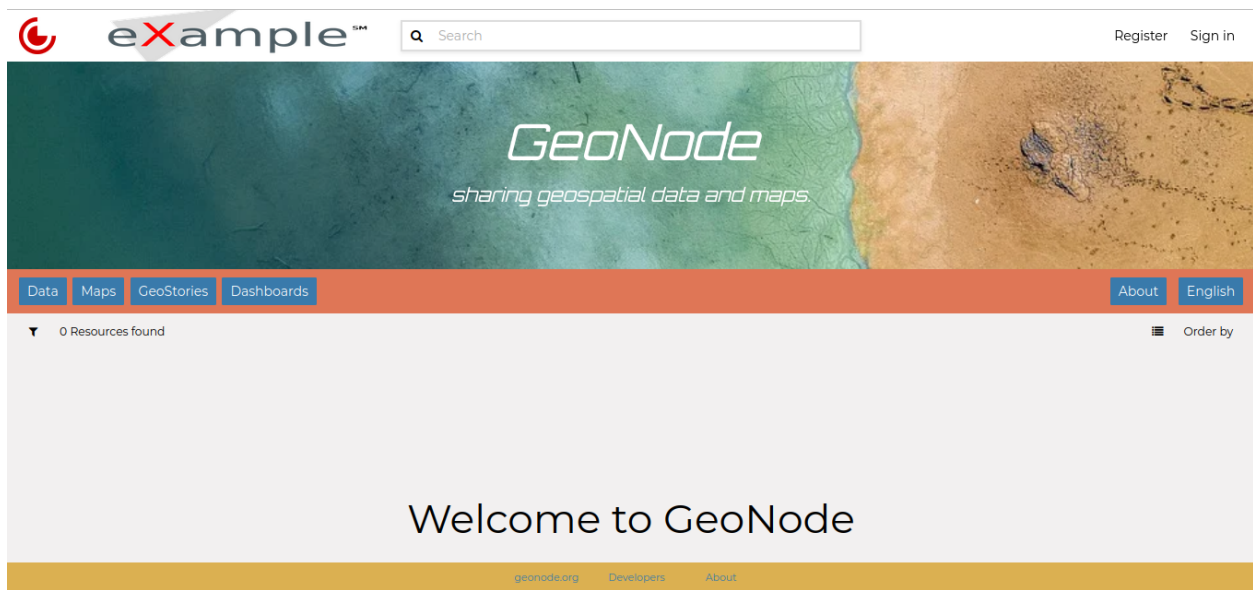
1. Edit title and intro message

Login as administrator on GeoNode and go to **Admin** page:

Create a new theme under *GeoNode Themes Library* and **Themes**:

Add a **Name**, **Description** and turn on **Is enabled** option. At the bottom, add a **Jumbotron** title and **Jumbotron** content. This will override the default GeoNode welcome title and message. Click **Save** at the bottom in the end.

After this, reload your GeoNode homepage. The output should be similar to this:



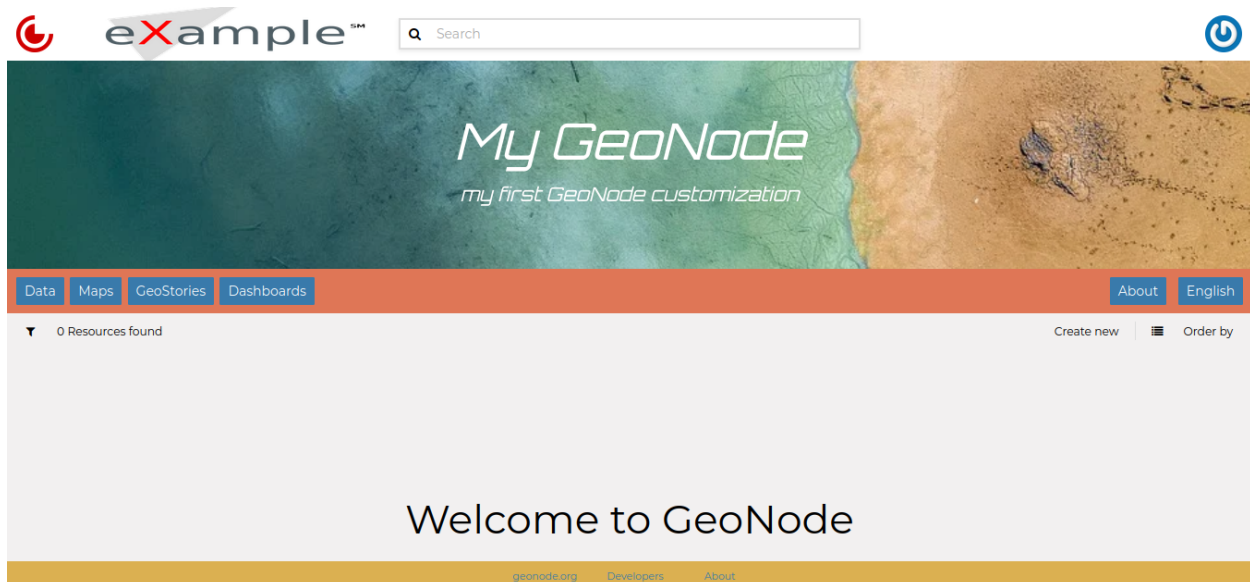
- Profile
- Recent activity
- Favorites
- Inbox
- Admin**
- GeoServer
- Monitoring & Analytics
- Help
- Log out

#### GeoNode Themes Library

Jumbotron theme slides	+
Themes	+

Name	<input type="text" value="my test theme"/>
	<small>This will not appear anywhere.</small>
Description	<div><div>My first test theme </div></div>
	<small>This will not appear anywhere.</small>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Is enabled
	<small>Enabling this theme will disable the current enabled theme (if any)</small>

Jumbotron title	<input type="text" value="My GeoNode"/>
Jumbotron content	<div><div>my first GeoNode customization</div></div>



## 1.15 GeoNode permissions

### 1.15.1 Permissions

Permissions in GeoNode are set per resource, where a resource can be a dataset, a map, a document, a service or a geoapp. The way the permissions are set is the same for all of them.

**Warning:** GeoNode has a set of default permissions that are applied on resource creation **when** you don't explicitly declare them. This is particularly relevant when creating and saving a map, where you won't have the possibility to set the its permissions during the creation phase. GeoNode can be tuned to make sure that by default the new created resource are not public, this can be done by changing two settings, see [Default view permissions](#) and [Default download permissions](#)

### Single Resource permissions

Resource permissions can be generally set from the *resource detail* page. The detail page has a menu item *Share* which is visible to people who are permitted to set permissions on a resource.

The share link opens a page on the right with a provision to edit user and group permissions on the resource. see picture below

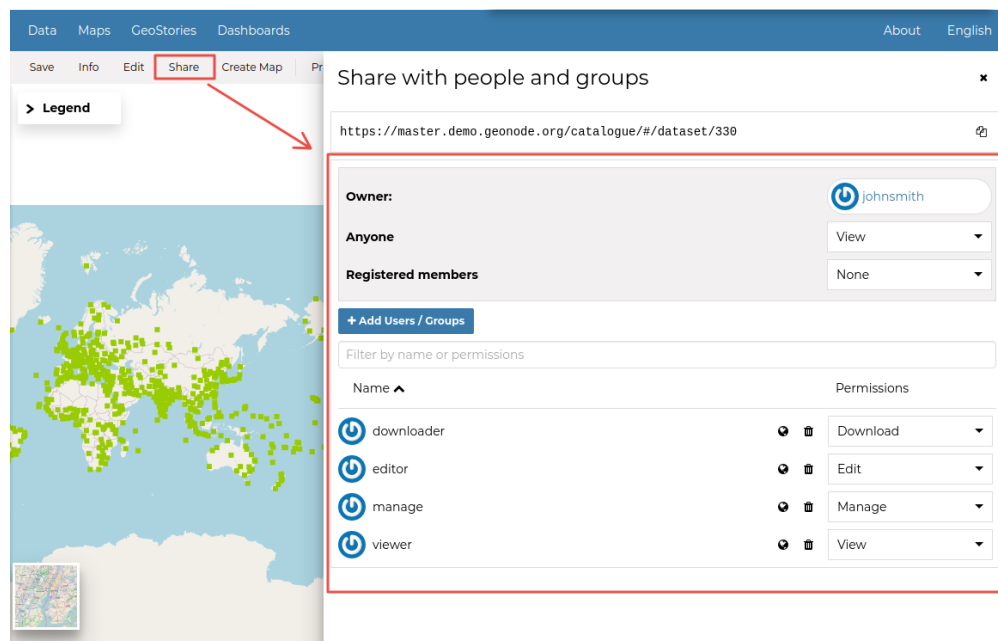


Fig. 207: Change Dataset Permissions

The page for setting the permissions, allows addition of users/groups and selection of a permission to assign each of them.













Name ▲	Permissions
 downloader	  Download ▼
 editor	  Edit ▼
 manage	  Manage ▼
 viewer	  View ▼

Fig. 208: Resource Permission Dialogue

You can set the following types of permissions:

- *View*: allows to view the resource;
- *Download* allows to download the resource;
- *Edit*: allows to change attributes, properties of the datasets features, styles and metadata for the specified resource;
- *Manage*: allows to update, delete, change permissions, publish and unpublish the resource.

**Warning:** When assigning permissions to a group, all the group members will have those permissions. Be careful in case of editing permissions.

## Geo Limits permissions

**Note:** This feature is available **only** when enabling `GeoServer` as geospatial backend. Also make sure that the properties `GEONODE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED`, `GEOFENCE\_SECURITY\_ENABLED` and `GEOFENCE\_URL` are correctly set for the `OGC\_SERVER`.


*Geo Limits* are an extension of the GeoNode standard permissions. *Geo Limits* allows the owner of the resource, or the administrator, to restrict users or groups to a specific geographical area, in order to limit the access to the dataset to only the portions contained within that geographic restriction, excluding data outside of it.


In order to be able to set *Geo Limits* you must be an `administrator` of the system or the `owner` of the resource or you must have `Manage Permissions` rights to the resource.


If you have the permissions to set the *Geo Limits*, you should be able to see the permissions section and the globe icon on each user or group.

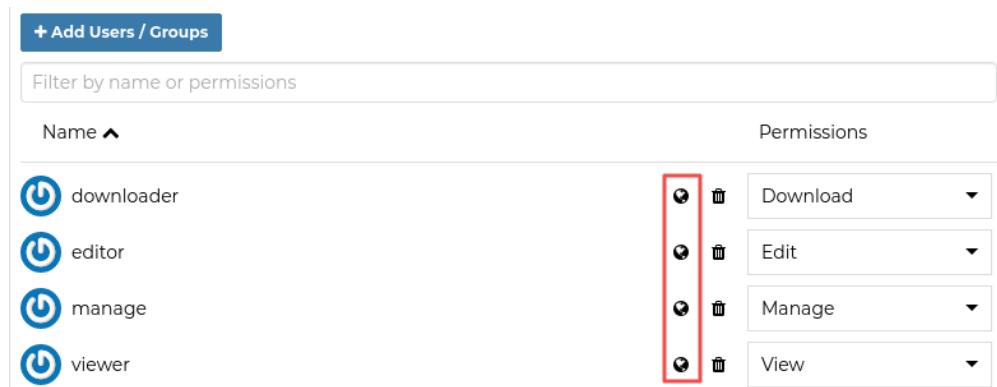
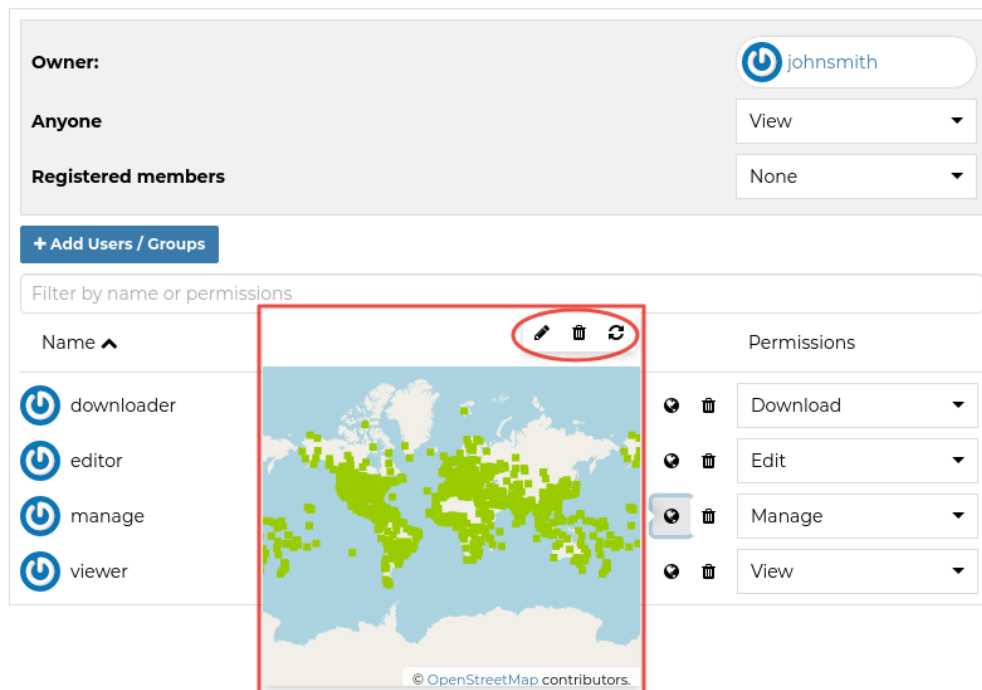
You should be able to see an interactive preview of the resource along with few small drawing tools, that allows you to start creating limits on the map manually if you want.

This opens a map dialog, with 3 options at the top:

The  icon allows you to draw limits on a map for which a user will be able to see. Click on it to start drawing on the map. Once you are done drawing, click on it again to deactivate drawing mode.

The  icon enables you to remove the limits you have drawn. Click on the limit drawn, and then click the delete icon.

The  icon removes all changes that are not saved.

Fig. 209: *Geo Limits Icon*Fig. 210: *Geo Limits: Preview Window with Drawing Tools*

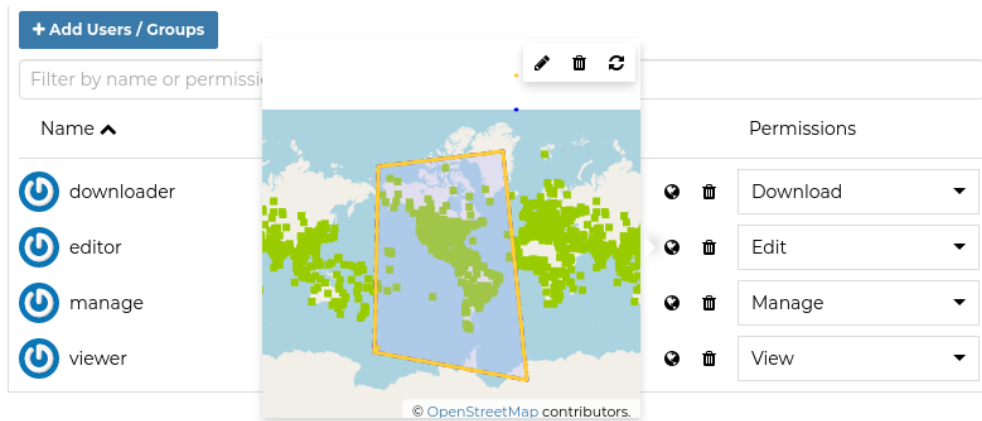


Fig. 211: *Geo Limits: Editing the Geometries*

Once you finished editing your geometries, save them into the DB using the *Save* link in the resource menu.

The user with the specified geometries won't be able from now on to access the whole dataset data.

**Warning:** The *Geo Limits* will be persisted on GeoNode DB for that resource. That means that everytime you will update the general permissions, also the geospatial restrictions will be applied.

In order to remove the *Geo Limits* for a certain user or group, you can just *Save* an **empty geometry**. This will **delete** the entry from the DB also.

## 1.16 Read-Only and Maintenance Mode

### 1.16.1 Read-Only and Maintenance Modes

#### Overview

GeoNode gives an option to operate in different modes, according to the needs and demands of the certain application system.

Changing the currently used mode can be done in the admin panel by the user with super-user privileges, by modifying *Configuration* singleton model in the *BASE* application:

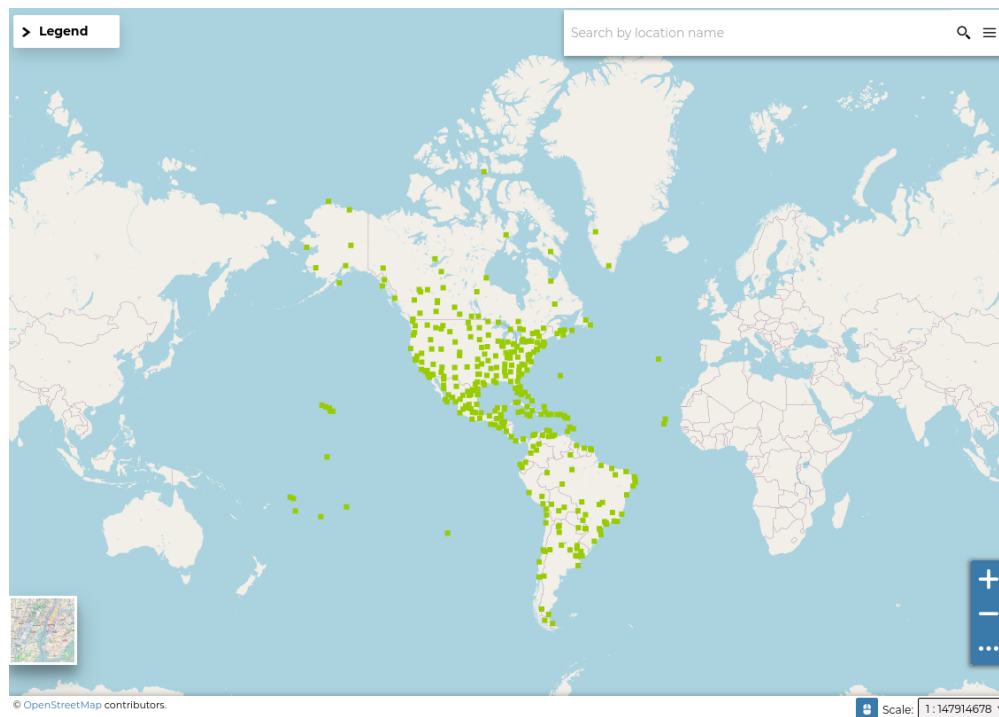


Fig. 212: *Geo Limits: Geospatial restrictions applies for the user*

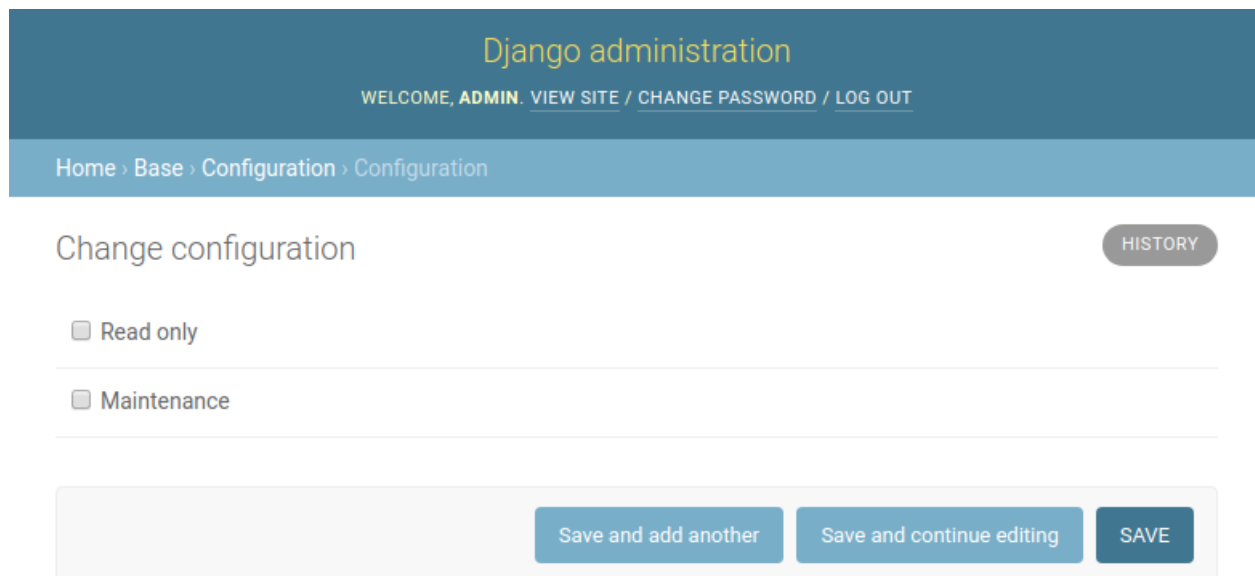


Fig. 213: *Configuration change in the admin panel*

## Read-Only Mode

Activating the Read-Only Mode (by setting `Read_only` `True` in the `Configuration`) activates a middleware rejecting all modifying requests (POST/PUT/DELETE), with an exception for:

- POST to login view
- POST to logout view
- POST to admin login view
- POST to admin logout view
- all requests to OWS endpoint
- all requests ordered by a super-user

Additionally, all UI elements allowing modifying GeoNode's content are hidden, so e.g. the button "Upload Layer" is not rendered in the templates.

In case a user tries to perform a forbidden request, they will be presented with a static HTML page informing them, the GeoNode is in the Read-Only mode and this action is currently forbidden.

## Maintenance Mode

Activating the Maintenance Mode (by setting `Maintenance` `True` in the `Configuration`) activates the highest level middleware (the one executed as the first) rejecting all requests to the GeoNode instance, with an exception for:

- POST to admin login view
- POST to admin logout view
- all requests ordered by a super-user

In case a user tries to perform any request against the GeoNode (including GET requests), they will be presented with a static HTML page informing them, the maintenance actions are taken on the GeoNode instance, and asking them to try again soon.

The maintenance mode was implemented with a thought of the backup and restore procedures without a necessity to put down the instance, but at the same time with a restriction of any outer interference.

# 1.17 Harvesting resources from remote services

## 1.17.1 Harvesting resources from remote services

GeoNode is able to harvest resource metadata from multiple remote services.

Harvesting is the process by which a metadata catalogue, *i.e.* GeoNode, is able to connect to other remote catalogues and retrieve information about their resources. This process is usually performed periodically, in order to keep the local catalogue in sync with the remote.

When appropriately configured, GeoNode will contact the remote service, extract a list of relevant resources that can be harvested and create local resources for each remote resource. It will also keep the resources synchronized with the remote service by periodically updating them.

Out of the box, GeoNode ships with support for harvesting from:

1. *Other remote GeoNode instances;*
2. *OGC WMS servers;*

### 3. *ArcGIS REST services*.

Adding support for *additional harvesting sources* is also possible.

## GeoNode harvesting concepts

When a **harvester** is configured, GeoNode is able to use its corresponding **harvester worker** to contact the remote service and generate a list of **harvestable resources**. The user is then able to select which of those resources are of interest. Depending on its configured update frequency, sometime later, the **harvesting scheduler** will create new **harvesting sessions** in order to create local GeoNode resources from the remote harvestable resources that had been marked as relevant by the user.

The above description uses the following key concepts:

**harvester** This is the configuration object that is used to parametrize harvesting of a remote service. It is configurable at runtime and is preserved in the GeoNode database.

Harvesters and their properties can be managed by visiting the Harvesting -> Harvesters section of the GeoNode admin area, or by visiting the `api/v2/harvesters/` API endpoint with an admin user.

Among other parameters, a harvester holds:

**remote\_url** Base URL of the remote service being harvested, *e.g.* `https://stable.demo.geonode.org`

**harvester\_type** Type of harvester worker that will be used to perform harvesting. See the *Harvester worker concept* and the *standard harvester workers* sections below for more detail. Example: `geonode.harvesting.harvesters.geonodeharvester.GeonodeUnifiedHarvesterWorker`.

**scheduling\_enabled** Whether harvesting shall be performed periodically by the *harvesting scheduler* or not.

**harvesting\_session\_update\_frequency** How often (in minutes) should new *harvesting sessions* be automatically scheduled?

**refresh\_harvestable\_resources\_update\_frequency** How often (in minutes) should new *refresh sessions* be automatically scheduled?

**default\_owner** Which GeoNode user shall be made the owner of harvested resources

**harvest\_new\_resources\_by\_default** Should new remote resources be harvested automatically? When this option is selected, the user does not need to specify which *harvestable resources* should be harvested, as all of them will be automatically marked for harvesting by GeoNode.

**delete\_orphan\_resources\_automatically** Orphan resources are those that have previously been created by means of a harvesting operation but that GeoNode can no longer find on the remote service being harvested. Should these resources be deleted from GeoNode automatically? This also applies to when a harvester configuration is deleted, in which case all of the resources that originated from that harvester are now considered to be orphan.

**harvester worker** Harvester workers implement retrieval for concrete remote service types. Each harvester uses a specific worker, depending on the type of remote service that it gets data from. Harvester workers may accept their own additional configuration parameters.

Harvester workers are set as the `harvester_type` attribute on a *harvester*. Their configuration is set as a JSON object on the `harvester_type_specific_configuration` attribute of the harvester.

GeoNode ships with the following harvester workers:

1. *GeoNode* - Enables harvesting from other GeoNode deployments
2. *WMS* - Enables harvesting from OGC WMS servers
3. *ArcGIS REST services* - Enables harvesting from ArcGIS REST services

*Adding new harvester workers* is also possible. This allows custom GeoNode deployments to add support for harvesting from other remote sources.

**harvestable resource** A resource that is available on the remote server. Harvestable resources are persisted in the GeoNode DB. They are created during *refresh operations*, when the harvester worker interacts with the remote service in order to discover which remote resources can be harvested.

Harvestable resources can be managed by visiting the Harvesting -> Harvestable resources section of the GeoNode admin area, or by visiting the `api/v2/harvesters/{harvester-id}/harvestable-resources` API endpoint with an admin user.

In order to be harvested by the *harvesting scheduler*, a harvestable resource must have its `should_be_harvested` attribute set to `True`. This attribute can be set manually by the user or it can be set automatically by the harvester worker, in case the corresponding harvester is configured with `harvest_new_resources_by_default = True`

**harvesting session** In GeoNode, discovering remote resources and harvesting them is always done under the scope of a harvesting session. These sessions are stored in the GeoNode DB and can be inspected by visiting the Harvesting -> Asynchronous harvesting sessions section of the GeoNode admin area.

Harvesting sessions are used to keep track of the progress of execution of the relevant harvesting operations. They are updated while each operation is running. There are two types of sessions:

**refresh session** This session is created during the *update of harvestable resources operation*. It has `type=discover-harvestable-resources`. During a refresh session, the harvester worker discovers remote resources and creates their respective *harvestable resources* on the GeoNode DB. After such session is finished, the user can inspect the found harvestable resources and mark those that are relevant with `should_be_harvester=True`.

**harvesting session** This session is created during the *perform harvesting operation*. It has `type=harvesting`. During a harvesting session, the harvester worker creates or updates new GeoNode resources based on the harvestable resources that have been configured with `should_be_harvested=True`.

In addition to the aforementioned `type`, harvesting sessions also carry the `status` attribute, which provides context on the current status of the session (and consequently of the underlying harvesting operation).

**harvesting scheduler** The scheduler is responsible for initiating new *harvesting operations* in an automated fashion. Periodically, the scheduler goes through the list of existing harvesters, checking if it is time to dispatch one of the harvesting operations mentioned in the next section.

The scheduler's operation frequency is configurable by defining a `HARVESTER_SCHEDULER_FREQUENCY_MINUTES` setting - the default is to trigger the scheduler every 30 seconds.

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**Note:** Since the harvesting scheduler only checks if there is work to do once every `x` seconds (defaulting to 30 seconds, as mentioned above), there will usually be a delay between the time a harvesting operation is supposed to be scheduled and the actual time when it is indeed scheduled. Moreover, the harvesting scheduler is implemented as a celery task. This means that, if the celery worker is busy, that may also cause a delay in scheduling harvesting operations, as the scheduler's celery task may not be triggered immediately.

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## Harvesting workflows

There are two main possible harvesting workflows:

1. *Continuous harvesting*
2. *One-time harvesting*

### Continuous harvesting

This workflow relies on the *harvesting scheduler* in order to ensure harvested resources are continuously kept up to date with their remote counterparts.

1. User creates harvester and sets its `scheduling_enabled` attribute to `True`;
2. When the time comes, the harvesting scheduler calls the *update list of harvestable resources operation*. Alternatively, the user may call this operation manually the first time.
3. When the previous operation is done, user goes through the list of generated *harvestable resources* and, for each relevant harvestable resource, sets its `should_be_harvested` attribute to `True`. Alternatively, if the harvester has its `harvest_new_resources_automatically` attribute set to `True`, the harvestable resources will already be marked as to be harvested, without requiring manual user intervention;
4. When the time comes, the harvesting scheduler calls the *perform harvesting operation*. This causes the remote resources to be harvested. These now show up as resources on the local GeoNode.

### One-time harvesting

This workflow is mostly executed manually by the user.

1. User creates harvester and sets its `scheduling_enabled` attribute to `False`;
2. User calls the *update list of harvestable resources operation*;
3. When the previous operation is done, user goes through the list of generated *harvestable resources* and, for each relevant harvestable resource, sets its `should_be_harvested` attribute to `True`;
4. User then proceeds to call the *perform harvesting operation*. This causes the remote resources to be harvested. These now show up as resources on the local GeoNode.

## Harvester operations

Each GeoNode harvester is able to perform a finite set of operations. These can be performed either:

1. In an **automated fashion**, being dispatched by the harvesting scheduler. Automated harvesting is only performed when the corresponding *harvester* has `scheduling_enabled=True`;
2. **On-demand**, by explicit request of the user. On-demand execution can be requested by one of two ways:
  1. By selecting the relevant harvester(s) in the **Harvesting -> Harvesters** section of the GeoNode admin area and then selecting and running an action from the drop-down menu;
  2. By interacting with the GeoNode REST API. Harvester actions are requested by issuing HTTP `PATCH` requests to the `/api/v2/harvesters/{harvester-id}/` endpoint. The payload of such requests must specify the corresponding status. For example, by issuing a request like:

```
curl -X PATCH http://localhost/api/v2/harvesters/1/ \
-H "Content-Type: application/json" \
-u "myuser:mypass" \
--data '{"status": "updating-harvestable-resources"}
```

We are asking that the harvester's status be changed to `updating-harvestable-resources`. If the server accepts this request, then the *update list of harvestable resources operation* is triggered.

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**Note:** The server will not accept the API request if the harvester's current status is not `ready`.

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While performing an action, the harvester's `status` property transitions from `ready` to whatever action-related status is appropriate (as indicated below). As the operation finishes execution, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`. If the harvester has any status other than `ready`, then it is currently busy. When a harvester is busy it cannot execute other operations, you'll need to wait until the current operation finishes.

### Check if the remote service is available operation

This operation causes the harvester to perform a simple health check on the remote service, in order to check whether it responds successfully. The response is stored in the harvester's `remote_available` property. This operation is performed in the same process of the main GeoNode (*i.e.* it runs synchronously).

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `checking-availability`. As the operation finishes, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Check availability of selected harvesters` command.

Invocation via the GeoNode REST API is performed by issuing an HTTP PATCH request with a payload that sets the harvester status.

### Update the list of harvestable resources operation

This operation causes the harvester to interact with the remote service in order to discover which resources are available for being harvested. Existing remote resources are then saved as *harvestable resources*.

Since this operation can potentially take a long time to complete (as we don't know how many resources may exist on the remote service), it is run using a background process. GeoNode creates a new *refresh session* and uses it to track the progress of this operation.

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `updating-harvestable-resources`. As the operation finishes, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Update harvestable resources for selected harvesters` command.

Invocation via the GeoNode REST API is performed by issuing an HTTP PATCH request with a payload that sets the harvester status.

## Perform harvesting operation

This operation causes the harvester to check which harvestable resources are currently marked as being harvestable and then, for each one, harvest the resource from the remote server.

Since this operation can potentially take a long time to complete (as we don't know how many resources may exist on the remote service), it is run using a background process. GeoNode creates a new *harvesting session* and uses it to track the progress of this operation.

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `harvesting-resources`. As the operation finishes, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Perform harvesting on selected harvesters` command.

Invocation via the GeoNode REST API is performed by issuing an HTTP PATCH request with a payload that sets the harvester status.

## Abort update of harvestable resources operation

This operation causes the harvester to abort an on-going *update list of harvestable resources operation*.

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `aborting-update-harvestable-resources`. As the operation finishes, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Abort on-going update of harvestable resources for selected harvesters` command.

Invocation via the GeoNode REST API is performed by issuing an HTTP PATCH request with a payload that sets the harvester status.

## Abort harvesting operation

This operation causes the harvester to abort an on-going *perform harvesting operation*.

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `aborting-performing-harvesting`. As the operation finishes, the harvester's status transitions back to `ready`.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Abort on-going harvesting sessions for selected harvesters` command.

Invocation via the GeoNode REST API is performed by issuing an HTTP PATCH request with a payload that sets the harvester status.

## Reset harvester operation

This operation causes the harvester's status to be reset back to `ready`. It is mainly useful for troubleshooting potential errors, in order to unlock harvesters that may get stuck in a non-actionable status when some unforeseen error occurs.

When triggered, this operation causes the harvester's status to transition to `ready` immediately.

Invocation via the GeoNode admin is performed by selecting the `Reset harvester status` command.

This operation cannot be called via the GeoNode API.

## Standard harvester workers

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**Note:** Remember that, as stated above, a harvester worker is configured by means of setting the `harvester_type` and `harvester_type_specific_configuration` attributes on the *harvester*.

Moreover, the format of the `harvester_type_specific_configuration` attribute must be a JSON object.

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### GeoNode harvester worker

This worker is able to harvest remote GeoNode deployments. In addition to creating local resources by retrieving the remote metadata, this harvester is also able to copy remote datasets over to the local GeoNode. This means that this harvester can even be used in order to generate replicated GeoNode instances.

This harvester can be used by setting `harvester_type=geonode.harvesting.harvesters.geonodeharvester.GeonodeUnifiedHarvesterWorker` in the harvester configuration.

It recognizes the following `harvester_type_specific_configuration` parameters:

**harvest\_datasets** Whether to harvest remote resources of type `dataset` or not. Acceptable values: `true` (the default) or `false`.

**copy\_datasets** Whether to copy remote resources of type `dataset` over to the local GeoNode. Acceptable values: `true` or `false` (the default).

**harvest\_documents** Whether to harvest remote resources of type `document` or not. Acceptable values: `true` (the default) or `false`.

**copy\_documents** Whether to copy remote resources of type `document` over to the local GeoNode. Acceptable values: `true` or `false` (the default).

**resource\_title\_filter** A string that must be present in the remote resources' `title` in order for them to be acknowledged as harvestable resources. This allows filtering out resources that are not relevant. Acceptable values: any alphanumeric value.

Example: setting this to a value of `"water"` would mean that the harvester would generate harvestable resources for remote resources that are titled *water basins*, *Water territories*, etc. The harvester would not generate harvestable resources for remote resources whose title does not contain the word *water*.

**start\_date\_filter** A string specifying a datetime that is used to filter out resources by their `start_date`. This is parsed with `dateutil.parser.parse()`, which means that it accepts many different formats (e.g. `2021-06-31T13:04:05Z`)

**end\_date\_filter** Similar to `start_date_filter` but uses resources' `end_date` as a filter parameter.

**keywords\_filter** A list of keywords that are used to filter remote resources.

**categories\_filter** A list of categories that are used to filter remote resources.

## WMS harvester worker

This worker is able to harvest from remote OGC WMS servers.

This harvester can be used by setting `harvester_type=geonode.harvesting.harvesters.wms.OgcWmsHarvester` in the harvester configuration.

It recognizes the following `harvester_type_specific_configuration` parameters:

**dataset\_title\_filter** A string that is used to filter remote WMS layers by their `title` property. If a remote layer's title contains the string defined by this parameter, then the layer is recognized by the harvester worker.

## ArcGIS REST Services harvester worker

This worker is able to harvest from remote ArcGIS REST Services catalogs.

This worker is able to recognize two types of `remote_url`:

1. URL of the ArcGIS REST services catalog. This URL usually ends in `rest/services`. A catalog may expose several different services. This harvester worker is able to descend into the available ArcGIS Rest services and retrieve their respective resources. Example:

```
https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services
```

2. URL of the ArcGIS REST services Service. This URL usually takes the form `{base-url}/rest/services/{service-name}/{service-type}`. Example:

```
https://sampleserver6.arcgisonline.com/arcgis/rest/services/CharlotteLAS/ImageServer
```

This harvester worker can be used by setting `harvester_type=geonode.harvesting.harvesters.arcgis.ArcgisHarvesterWorker` in the harvester configuration.

It recognizes the following `harvester_type_specific_configuration` parameters:

**harvest\_map\_services** Whether services of type *MapServer* ought to be harvested. Defaults to True.

**harvest\_image\_services** Whether services of type *ImageServer* ought to be harvested. Defaults to True.

**resource\_name\_filter** A string that is used to filter remote WMS layers by their `title` property. If a remote layer's name contains the string defined by this parameter, then the layer is recognized by the harvester worker.

**service\_names\_filter** A list of names that are used to filter the remote ArcGIS catalog.

## Creating new harvesting workers

New harvesting workers can be created by writing classes derived from `geonode.harvesting.harvesters.base.BaseGeonodeHarvesterWorker`. This class defines an abstract interface that must be implemented. All methods decorated with `abc.abstractmethod` must be implemented in the custom harvester worker class. Study the implementation of the standard GeoNode harvester worker classes in order to gain insight on how to implement custom ones.

After writing a custom harvester worker class, it can be added to the list of known harvester workers by defining the `HARVESTER_CLASSES` GeoNode setting. This setting is a list of strings, containing the Python class path to each harvester worker class. It has a default value of:

```
HARVESTER_CLASSES = [
 "geonode.harvesting.harvesters.geonodeharvester.GeonodeUnifiedHarvesterWorker",
 "geonode.harvesting.harvesters.wms.OgcWmsHarvester",
 "geonode.harvesting.harvesters.arcgis.ArcgisHarvesterWorker",
]
```

These are the standard harvester worker classes shipped by GeoNode. If this setting is defined, its value will simply extend the default list. This means that it is not possible to disable the standard worker classes, only to add new ones.

## 1.18 GeoNode Backup and Restore

### 1.18.1 Full GeoNode Backup & Restore

The admin command to backup and restore GeoNode, allows to extract consistently the GeoNode and GeoServer data models in a serializable meta-format which is being interpreted later by the restore procedure in order to exactly rebuild the whole structure.

In particular the tool helps developers and administrators to correctly extract and serialize the following resources:

- **GeoNode** (Resource Base Model):
  1. Layers (both raster and vectors)
  2. Maps
  3. Documents
  4. People with Credentials
  5. Permissions
  6. Associated Styles
  7. Static data and templates
- **GeoServer** (Catalog):
  1. OWS Services configuration and limits
  2. Security model along with auth filters configuration, users and credentials
  3. Workspaces
  4. Stores (both DataStores and CoverageStores)
  5. Layers
  6. Styles

The tool exposes two GeoNode Management Commands, ‘backup’ and ‘restore’.

The commands allow to:

1. Fully backup GeoNode data and fixtures on a zip archive
2. Fully backup GeoServer configuration (physical datasets - tables, shapefiles, geotiffs)
3. Fully restore GeoNode and GeoServer fixtures and catalog from the zip archive

The usage of those commands is quite easy and straightforward.

The first step is to ensure that everything is correctly configured and the requisites respected in order to successfully perform a backup and restore of GeoNode.

**Warning:** It is worth to notice that this functionality requires the latest [GeoServer Extension](#) (2.9.x or greater) for GeoNode in order to correctly work.

**Note:** GeoServer full documentation is also available here [GeoServer Docs](#)

## Requisites and Setup

**Before** running a GeoNode backup / restore, it is necessary to ensure everything is correctly configured and setup.

## Settings

Accordingly to the admin needs, the file `settings.ini` must be ceated before running a backup or restore.

The default files can be found at `geonode/br/management/commands/settings_sample.ini` and `geonode/br/management/commands/settings_docker_sample.ini` for the classic and Docker environments accordingly. The content is similar in both of them (an example from `settings_sample.ini`):

```
[database]
pgdump = pg_dump
pgrestore = pg_restore

[geoserver]
datadir = geoserver/data
dumpvectordata = yes
dumprasterdata = yes

[fixtures]
NOTE: Order is important
apps = contenttypes,auth,people,groups,account,guardian,admin,actstream,announcements,
↪avatar,base,dialogos,documents,geoserver,invitations,pinax_notifications,layers,maps,
↪oauth2_provider,services,sites,socialaccount,taggit,tastypie,upload,user_messages
dumps = contenttypes,auth,people,groups,account,guardian,admin,actstream,announcements,
↪avatar,base,dialogos,documents,geoserver,invitations,pinax_notifications,layers,maps,
↪oauth2_provider,services,sites,socialaccount,taggit,tastypie,upload,user_messages
```

The `settings.ini` file can be created in any directory accessible by GeoNode, and it's path can be passed to the backup / restore procedures using `-c` (`-config`) argument.

There are few different sections of the configuration file, that must be carefully checked before running a backup / restore command.

## Settings: [database] Section

```
[database]
pgdump = pg_dump
pgrestore = pg_restore
```

This section is quite simple. It contains only two properties:

- *pgdump*; the path of the `pg_dump` local command.
- *pgrestore*; the path of the `pg_restore` local command.

**Warning:** Those properties are ignored in case GeoNode is not configured to use a DataBase as backend (see `settings.py` and `local_settings.py` sections)

**Note:** Database connection settings (both for GeoNode and GeoServer) will be taken from `settings.py` and `local_settings.py` configuration files. Make sure they are correctly configured (on the target GeoNode instance, too) and the DataBase server is accessible while executing a backup / restore command.

## Settings: [geoserver] Section

```
[geoserver]
datadir = /opt/gs_data_dir
datadir_exclude_file_path =
dumpvectordata = yes
dumprasterdata = yes
data_dt_filter =
data_layername_filter =
data_layername_exclude_filter =
```

This section allows to enable / disable a full data backup / restore of GeoServer.

- *datadir*: the full path of GeoServer Data Dir, by default `/opt/gs_data_dir`. The path **must** be accessible and **fully writable** by the `geonode` and / or `httpd` server users when executing a backup / restore command.
- *datadir\_exclude\_file\_path*: comma separated list of paths to exclude from `geoserver_catalog.zip`; This list will be sent and managed directly by the GeoServer Backup REST API.
- *dumpvectordata*: a boolean flag enabling or disabling creation of a vector data dump from GeoServer (shapefiles or DB tables). If `false` (or `no`) vector data won't be stored / re-stored.
- *dumprasterdata*: a boolean flag enabling or disabling creation of a raster data dump from GeoServer (geotiffs). If `false` (or `no`) raster data won't be stored / re-stored.
- *data\_dt\_filter*: {cmp\_operator} {ISO8601} e.g. `> 2019-04-05T24:00` which means “include on backup archive only the files that have been modified later than 2019-04-05T24:00”
- *data\_layername\_filter*: comma separated list of `layer` names, optionally with glob syntax e.g.: `tuscany_*,italy`; Only RASTER original data and VECTORIAL table dumps matching those filters will be **included** into the backup ZIP archive

- `data_layername_exclude_filter`: comma separated list of `layer` names, optionally with glob syntax e.g.: `tuscany_*.italy`; The RASTER original data and VECTORIAL table dumps matching those filters will be **excluded** from the backup ZIP archive

**Warning:** Enabling these options **requires** the GeoServer Data Dir to be accessible and **fully writable** for the `geonode` and / or `httpd` server users when executing a backup / restore command.

## Settings: [fixtures] Section

**[fixtures]**  
*#NOTE: Order is important*

```
apps = people,account,avatar.avatar,base.backup,base.license,base.topiccategory,base.
↳region,base.resourcebase,base.contactrole,base.link,base.restrictioncodetype,base.
↳spatialrepresentationtype,guardian.userobjectpermission,guardian.groupobjectpermission,
↳layers.uploadsession,layers.style,layers.layer,layers.attribute,layers.layerfile,maps.
↳map,maps.maplayer,maps.mapsnapshot,documents.document,taggit

dumps = people,accounts,avatars,backups,licenses,topiccategories,regions,resourcebases,
↳contactroles,links,restrictioncodetypes,spatialrepresentationtypes,userpermissions,
↳grouppermissions,uploadsessions,styles,layers,attributes,layerfiles,maps,maplayers,
↳mapsnapshots,documents,tags
```

This section is the most complex one. Usually you don't need to modify it. Only an expert user who knows Python and GeoNode model structure should modify this section.

What its properties mean:

- `apps`; an ordered list of GeoNode Django applications. The backup / restore procedure will dump / restore the fixtures in a portable format.
- `dumps`; this is the list of `files` associated to the Django applications. The order **must** be the same as in the `apps` property above. Each name represents the `file` name where to dump to / read from the single app's fixtures.

## Executing from the CLI

The following sections shows instructions on how to perform backup / restore from the command line by using the Django Admin Management Commands.

In order to obtain a basic user guide for the management command from the command line, just run

```
python manage.py backup --help

python manage.py restore --help
```

`--help` will provide the list of available command line options with a brief description.

By default both procedures activate *Read Only* mode, disabling any content modifying requests, which is reverted to the previous state (from before the execution) after finish, regardless of the command's result (success or failure). To disable activation of this mode, `--skip-read-only` argument can be passed to the command.

It is worth notice that both commands allows the following option

```
python manage.py backup --force / -f
python manage.py restore --force / -f
```

Which enables a non-interactive mode, meaning the user will not be asked for an explicit confirmation.

## Backup

In order to perform a backup just run the command:

```
python manage.py backup --backup-dir=<target_bk_folder_path> --config=</path/
↪to/settings.ini>
```

The management command will automatically generate a .zip archive file on the target folder in case of success. In the target directory .md5 file with the same name as backup will be created. It contains the MD5 hash of the backup file, which can be used to check archive's integrity before restoration.

It is worth to mention that **br** (Backup & Restore GeoNode application) will not be dumped, even if specified in the `settings.ini` as its content is strictly related to the certain GeoNode instance.

Currently, GeoNode does not support any automatic extraction of the backup file. It should be manually transferred, if needed to the target instance environment.

## Restore

The restore command has a number of arguments, modifying its execution:

# -c / --config: path to the `settings.ini` configuration file. If the Backup archive is provided with his settings, the latter will be used by the restore command and this option won't be mandatory anymore

1. --skip-geoserver: the GeoServer backup restoration won't be performed
2. --skip-geoserver-info: {Default: True} Skips GeoServer Global Infos, like the proxy base url and other global GeoServer metadata info
3. --skip-geoserver-security: {Default: True} Skips GeoServer all the Security Settings
4. --backup-file: (exclusive together with --backup-files-dir) path to the backup .zip archive
5. --backup-files-dir: (exclusive together with --backup-file) directory containing backup archives. The directory may contain a number of files, but **only** backup archives are allowed with a .zip extension. In case multiple archives are present in the directory, the newest one, created after the last already restored backup creation time, will be restored. This option was implemented with a thought of automated restores.
6. --recovery-file: Backup archive containing GeoNode data to restore in case of failure.
7. -l / --with-logs: the backup file will be checked against the restoration logs (history). In case this backup has already been restored (MD5 based comparison), RuntimeError is raised, preventing restore execution.
8. -n / --notify: the restore procedure outcome will be send by an e-mail notification to the superusers of the instance (note: notification will be sent to the superusers of the instance before restoration).
9. --skip-read-only: the restore procedure will be conducted without setting *Read Only* mode during execution.
10. --soft-reset: the restore procedure will preserve geoserver table / resources during the restore. By default the procedure will drop tables and resources

In order to perform a default backup restoration just run the command:

```
python manage.py restore --backup-file=<target_restore_file_path> --config=</
↳ path/to/settings.ini>
```

For restore to run it requires either `--backup-file` or `--backup-files-dir` argument defined.

**Warning:** The Restore will **overwrite** the whole target instances of GeoNode (and by default GeoServer) including users, catalog and database, so be very careful.

## GeoNode Admin GUI Inspection

The history of restored backups can be verified in the admin panel.

Login to the admin panel and select Restored backups table from BACKUP/RESTORE application.



A list will be displayed with a history of all restored backups. You can select a certain backup to view its data.

Select restored backup to view

NAME	RESTORATION DATE	ARCHIVE MD5	CREATION DATE
<a href="#">2020-03-19_151016.zip</a>	March 24, 2020, 1:33 p.m.	3dfdec2ac8df0ce78e2ef046bed2ef81	March 19, 2020, 3:11 p.m.
<a href="#">2020-03-19_151016.zip</a>	March 24, 2020, 12:11 p.m.	3dfdec2ac8df0ce78e2ef046bed2ef81	March 19, 2020, 3:11 p.m.

2 restored backups

The detailed view of the restored backup shows backup archive's name, its MD5 hash, its creation/modification date (in the target folder), and the date of the restoration. Please note Restored Backup history cannot be modified.

## B/R in Docker environment

When executing B/R in the Docker environment, creation backup to / restoration from should be executed in / `backup_restore` directory. It is a shared volume between Geoserver and Geonode images, created for this purpose only. Pointing at another location will fail, as one of the images won't have an access to the files.

**Warning:** When executing B/R in Docker environment **remember** to create `settings.ini` file basing on `settings_docker_sample.ini` to point at a proper Geoserver data directory! In other case configuration mismatch may cause unexpected errors.

**Warning:** The only other volume shared between images is `/geoserver_data/data`, but backup creation **should not** be performed there, as the recursive Geoserver backups may be created in such case.

## View restored backup

HISTORY

Name:	2020-03-19_151016.zip
Restoration date:	March 24, 2020, 1:33 p.m.
Archive md5:	3dfdec2ac8df0ce78e2ef046bed2ef81
Creation date:	March 19, 2020, 3:11 p.m.

Close

**B/R Jenkins Job in Docker environment**

When installing GeoNode through the *geonode-project* Docker (see [GeoNode Basic Installation](#)), an instance of **Jenkins CI/CD** is also automatically deployed and available through [http://<geonode\\_host>/jenkins](http://<geonode_host>/jenkins).

**Configure Jenkins at first startup**

The very first time you try to access Jenkins, you will need to unlock it and generate a new administrator username and password.

In order to do that, you need to print the contents of the auto-generated file `/var/jenkins_home/secrets/initialAdminPassword`

1. First of all search for the Jenkins container ID, usually `jenkins4{{project_name}}` where `{{project_name}}` is the name of your *geonode-project* instance (e.g. `my_geonode`)

```
$> docker ps
```

CONTAINER ID	IMAGE	COMMAND	CREATED
e9fc97a75d1a	geonode/nginx:geoserver	"/docker-entrypoint..."	2 hours
ago	Up 2 hours	0.0.0.0:80->80/tcp, 0.0.0.0:443->443/tcp	
c5496400b1b9	my_geonode_django	"/bin/sh -c 'service..."	2 hours
ago	Up 2 hours		
bc899f81fa28	my_geonode_celery	"/bin/sh -c 'service..."	2 hours
ago	Up 2 hours		
3b213400d630	geonode/geoserver:2.17.1	"/usr/local/tomcat/t..."	2 hours
ago	Up 2 hours	8080/tcp	
	geoserver4my_geonode		

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## Unlock Jenkins

To ensure Jenkins is securely set up by the administrator, a password has been written to the log ([not sure where to find it?](#)) and this file on the server:

```
/var/jenkins_home/secrets/initialAdminPassword
```

Please copy the password from either location and paste it below.

Administrator password

[Continue](#)

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d2f59d70a0d3	geonode/postgis:11	"docker-entrypoint.s..."	2 hours
↪ ago	Up 2 hours	5432/tcp	
↪	db4my_geonode		
3f9ce0be7f88	rabbitmq	"docker-entrypoint.s..."	2 hours
↪ ago	Up 2 hours	4369/tcp, 5671-5672/tcp, 25672/tcp	
↪	rabbitmq4my_geonode		
02fdbce9ae73	geonode/letsencrypt:latest	". /docker-entrypoint..."	2 hours
↪ ago	Up 14 seconds		
↪	my_geonode_letsencrypt_1		
c745520fd551	jenkins/jenkins:1ts	"/sbin/tini -- /usr/..."	2 hours
↪ ago	Up 2 hours	0.0.0.0:9080->9080/tcp, 8080/tcp, 0.0.0.0:50000->50000/	
↪ tcp, 0.0.0.0:9443->8443/tcp	jenkins4my_geonode		

1. Now just cat the file above inside the Jenkins container

```
$> docker container exec -u 0 -it jenkins4my_geonode sh -c 'cat /var/jenkins_home/
↪ secrets/initialAdminPassword'

b91e9d*****373834
```

1. Copy the hash code you just got from the print above, and copy-and-paste to the browser window

In the next step just install the *Default Plugins*. You can install more of them later on from the management page.

Wait until Jenkins has finished configuring the plugins

Provide the administrator credentials as requested

Confirm the Jenkins instance URL, this can be changed from the configuration later in case you will need to update the server address

Well done, Jenkins is ready now

The next step is to configure a Jenkins Job able to interact with the Django Docker container and run a full backup

## Configure a Jenkins Job to run a full backup on the Django Container

Before creating the new Jenkins job, we need to install and configure a new plugin, [Publish over SSH](#)

In order to do that, once logged in as admin, go to the Jenkins *Management Page* > *Manage Plugins* tab

Click on *Available* tab and search for SSH available plugins

Select and check the *Publish over SSH* one

Install the plugins and restart Jenkins

The next step is to configure the SSH *Server Connection* for the *Publish over SSH* plugin.

Move to *Jenkins Configuration*

Scroll down until you find the *Publish over SSH* plugin section

Depending on how your HOST SSH service has been configured, you might need several information in order to setup the connection.

Here below an example using a global host (master.demonode.org) accepting SSH connections via RSA keys

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**Note:** Before saving the configuration always ensure the connection is ok by using the *Test Configuration* button

## Getting Started

## Unlock Jenkins

To ensure Jenkins is securely set up by the administrator, a password has been written to the log ([not sure where to find it?](#)) and this file on the server:

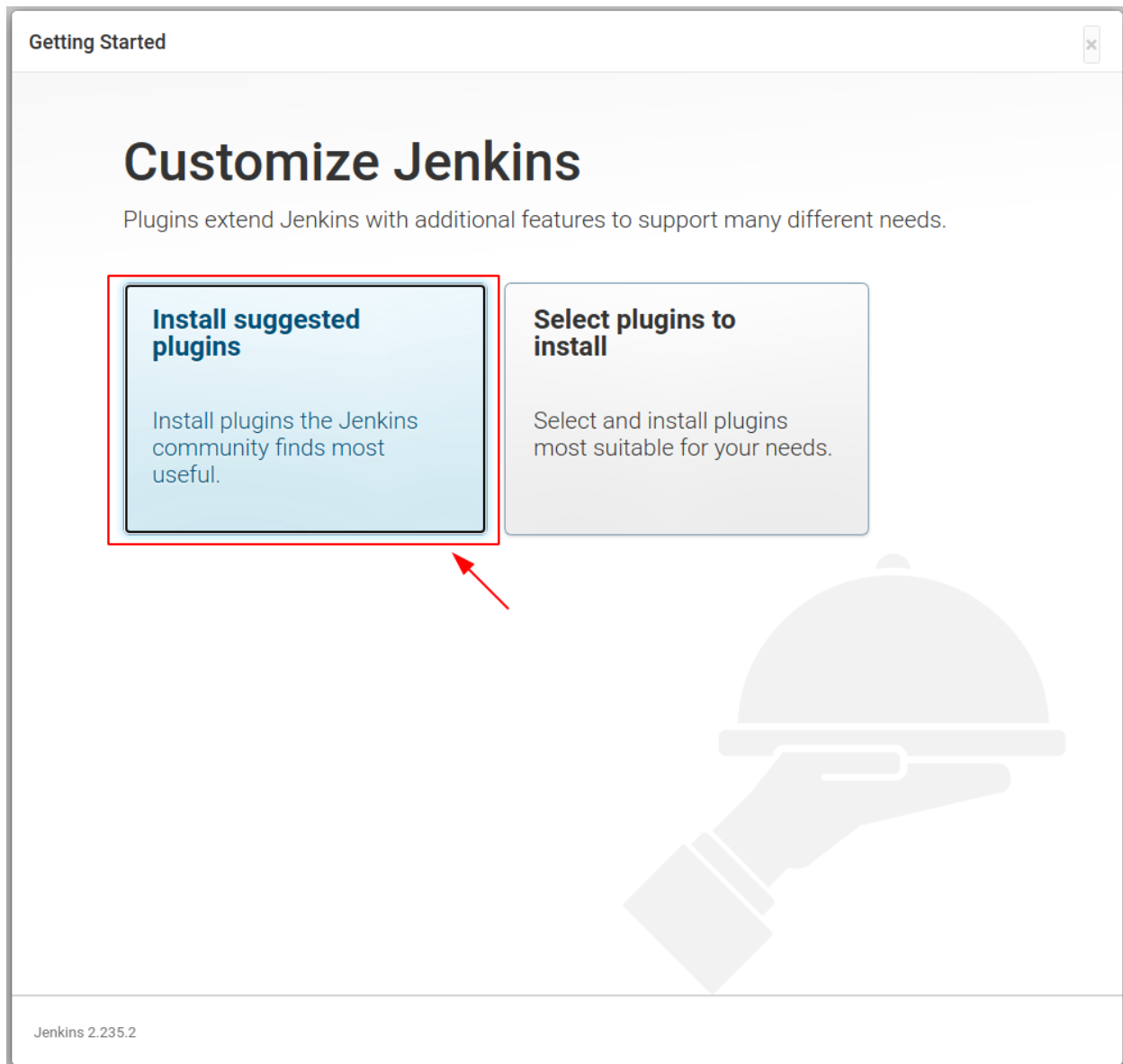
```
/var/jenkins_home/secrets/initialAdminPassword
```

Please copy the password from either location and paste it below.

Administrator password



Continue



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# Getting Started



✓ Folders	✓ OWASP Markup Formatter	✓ Build Timeout	✓ Credentials Binding	<pre> ** bouncycastle API ** JavaScript GUI Lib: ACE Editor bundle ** JavaScript GUI Lib: jQuery bundles (jQuery and jQuery UI) ** Pipeline: SCM Step ** Pipeline: Groovy ** Pipeline: Job ** Apache HttpComponents Client 4.x API ** Display URL API Mailer ** Pipeline: Basic Steps Gradle ** Pipeline: Milestone Step ** Snakeyaml API ** Jackson 2 API ** Pipeline: Input Step ** Pipeline: Stage Step ** Pipeline Graph Analysis ** Pipeline: REST API ** JavaScript GUI Lib: Handlebars bundle ** JavaScript GUI Lib: Moment.js bundle Pipeline: Stage View ** Pipeline: Build Step ** Pipeline: Model API ** Pipeline: Declarative Extension Points API ** JSch dependency ** Git client ** GIT server ** Pipeline: Shared Groovy Libraries ** Branch API ** - required dependency </pre>
✓ Timestamper	✓ Workspace Cleanup	✓ Ant	✓ Gradle	
🔄 Pipeline	🔄 GitHub Branch Source	🔄 Pipeline: GitHub Groovy Libraries	✓ Pipeline: Stage View	
🔄 Git	🔄 Subversion	🔄 SSH Build Agents	<input type="radio"/> Matrix Authorization Strategy	
🔄 PAM Authentication	🔄 LDAP	🔄 Email Extension	✓ Mailer	

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## Create First Admin User

Username:

Password:

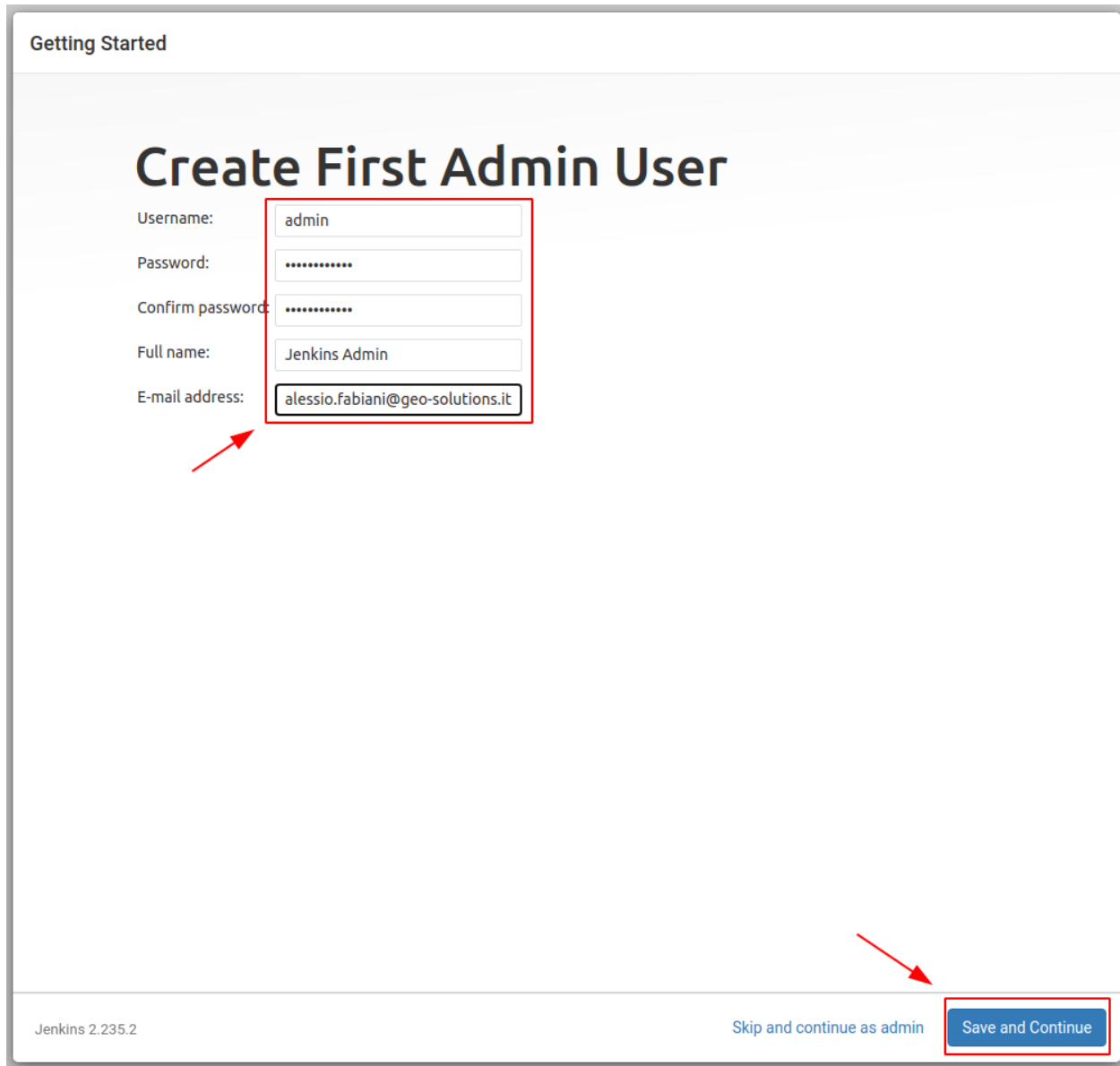
Confirm password:

Full name:

E-mail address:

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[Skip and continue as admin](#) [Save and Continue](#)



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# Instance Configuration

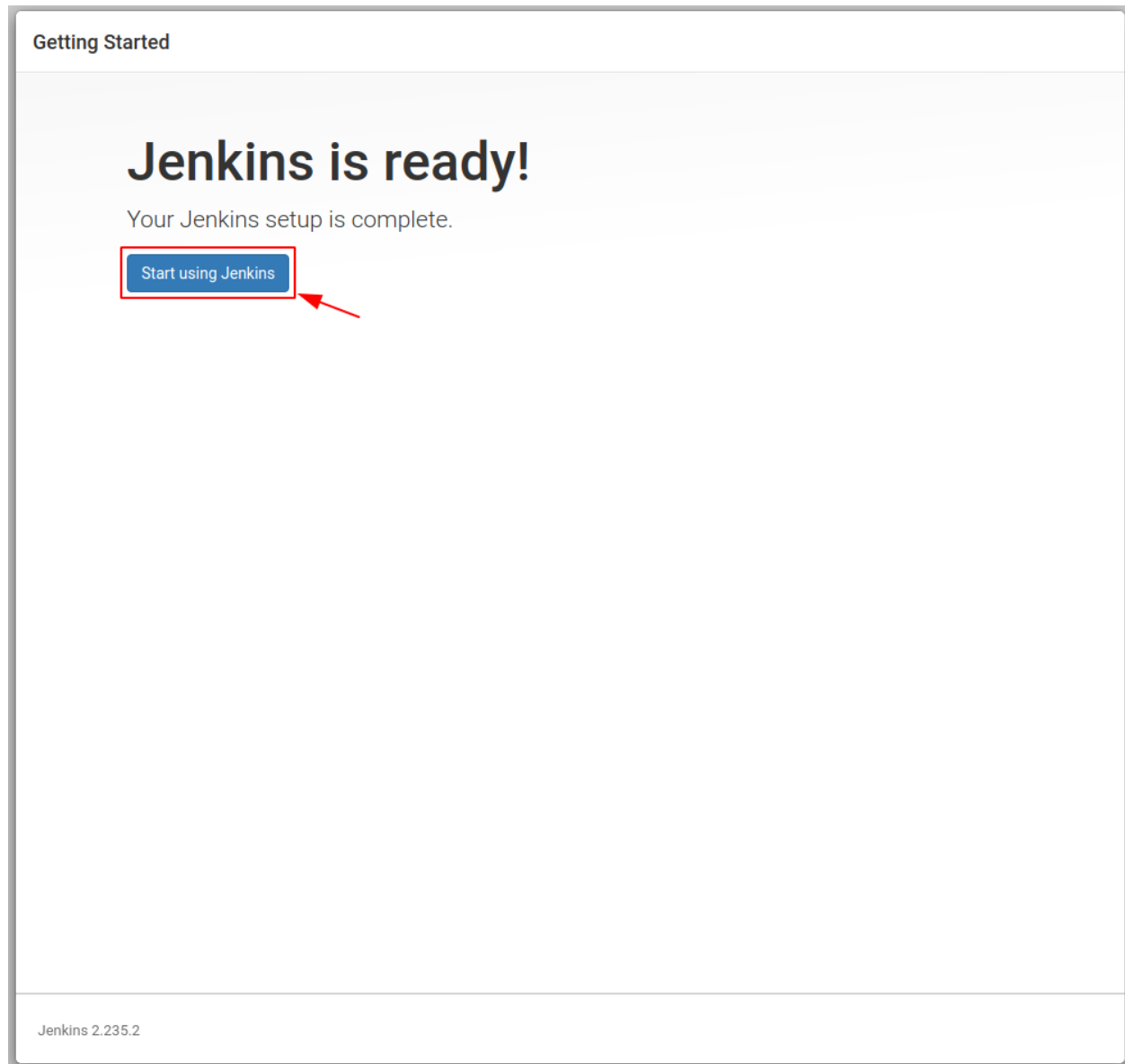
Jenkins URL:

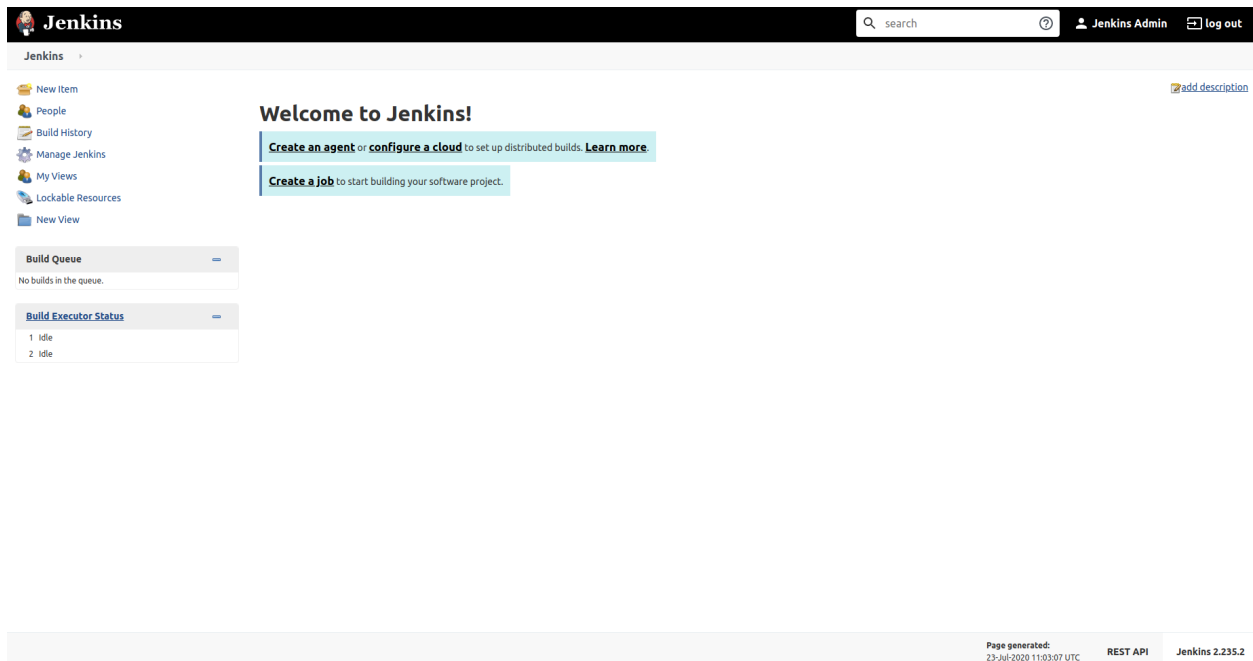
The Jenkins URL is used to provide the root URL for absolute links to various Jenkins resources. That means this value is required for proper operation of many Jenkins features including email notifications, PR status updates, and the BUILD\_URL environment variable provided to build steps.

The proposed default value shown is **not saved yet** and is generated from the current request, if possible. The best practice is to set this value to the URL that users are expected to use. This will avoid confusion when sharing or viewing links.

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[Not now](#)





This screenshot shows the Jenkins dashboard. At the top is a black header with the Jenkins logo, a search bar, and links for 'Jenkins Admin' and 'log out'. Below the header is a sidebar with navigation links: 'New Item', 'People', 'Build History', 'Manage Jenkins' (highlighted with a red box and a red arrow), 'My Views', 'Lockable Resources', and 'New View'. The main content area features a 'Welcome to Jenkins!' message with two buttons: 'Create an agent or configure a cloud' and 'Create a job'. Below the welcome message are two sections: 'Build Queue' (showing 'No builds in the queue.') and 'Build Executor Status' (showing two idle executors). At the bottom right, a footer indicates the page was generated on 23-Jul-2020 11:03:07 UTC, provides a REST API link, and shows the version 'Jenkins 2.235.2'.

Jenkins

Search

Jenkins Admin log out

New Item  
People  
Build History  
Manage Jenkins  
My Views  
Lockable Resources  
New View

add description

Welcome to Jenkins!

Create an agent or configure a cloud to set up distributed builds. [Learn more.](#)

Create a job to start building your software project.

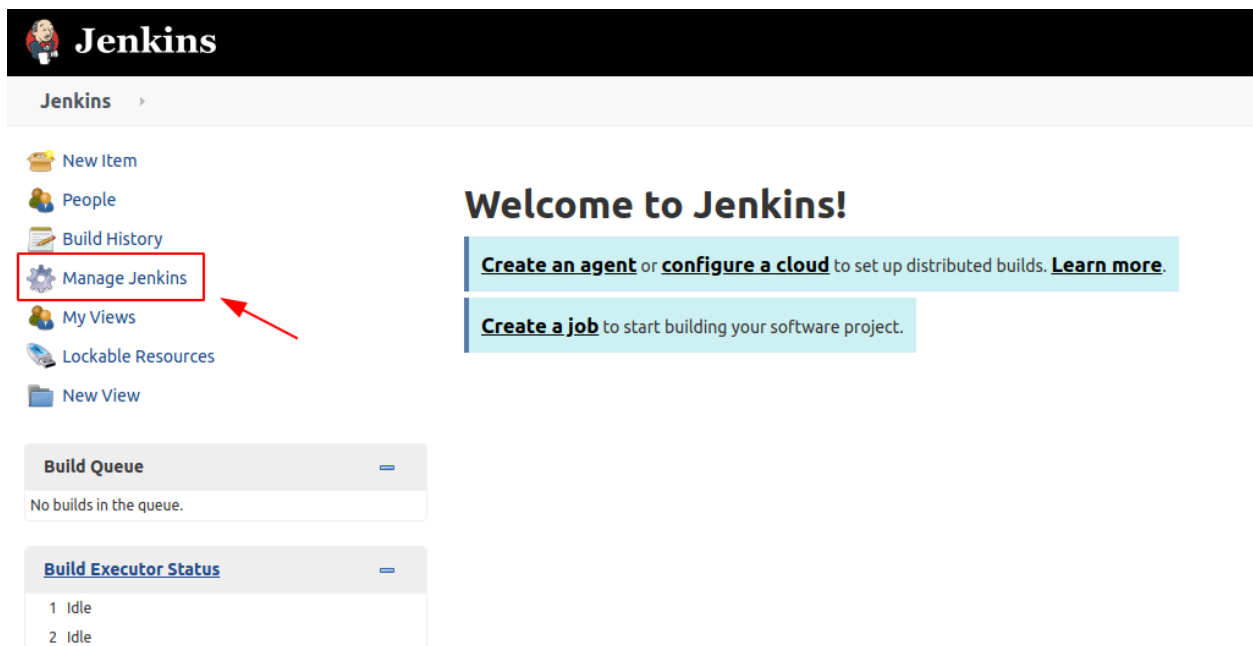
Build Queue

No builds in the queue.

Build Executor Status

1 Idle  
2 Idle

Page generated:  
23-Jul-2020 11:03:07 UTC REST API Jenkins 2.235.2



This screenshot is similar to the one above, showing the Jenkins dashboard. The 'Manage Jenkins' link in the sidebar is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow. The rest of the interface, including the header, welcome message, and status sections, is identical to the previous screenshot.

Jenkins

New Item  
People  
Build History  
Manage Jenkins  
My Views  
Lockable Resources  
New View

Welcome to Jenkins!

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Create a job to start building your software project.

Build Queue

No builds in the queue.

Build Executor Status

1 Idle  
2 Idle

The screenshot shows the Jenkins dashboard. On the left is a sidebar with links like 'New Item', 'People', 'Build History', 'Manage Jenkins', 'My Views', 'Lockable Resources', and 'New View'. Below these are 'Build Queue' and 'Build Executor Status' sections. The main area is titled 'Manage Jenkins' and contains several sub-sections: 'System Configuration' (with links to 'Configure System', 'Global Tool Configuration', and 'Manage Plugins'), 'Security' (with links to 'Configure Global Security', 'Manage Credentials', and 'Configure Credential Providers'), 'Status Information' (with links to 'System Information', 'System Log', and 'Load Statistics'), and 'Troubleshooting' (with a link to 'Manage Old Data'). The 'Manage Plugins' link is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow.

The screenshot shows the Jenkins Plugin Manager interface. The 'Available' tab is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow. Below the tabs is a table with columns: 'Install', 'Name', 'Version', and 'Release'. The table is currently empty, showing 'No updates available'. Below the table, there is a message: 'Update information obtained: 4 hr 53 min ago' and a 'Check now' button. At the bottom, there is a note: 'Select: All, Compatible, None. This page lists updates to the plugins you currently use. Disabled rows are already upgraded, awaiting restart. Shaded but selectable rows are in progress or failed.'

Jenkins Plugin Manager

Search: SSH

Available

Install	Name	Version	Released
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>Publish Over SSH</b> Build Tools   Artifact Uploaders Send build artifacts over SSH <i>This plugin is up for adoption! We are looking for new maintainers. Visit our <a href="#">Adopt a Plugin</a> initiative for more information.</i>	1.20.1	1 yr 10 mo ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SSH Agent</b> This plugin allows you to provide SSH credentials to builds via a ssh-agent in Jenkins	1.20	24 days ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SSH</b> Build Wrappers This plugin executes shell commands remotely using SSH protocol.	2.6.1	2 yr 3 mo ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SSH Pipeline Steps</b> pipeline SSH Pipeline Steps	2.0.0	1 yr 0 mo ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SSH2 Easy</b> This plugin allows you to ssh2 remote server to execute linux commands, shell, sftp upload, download etc	1.4	4 yr 1 mo ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SCP publisher</b> Artifact Uploaders <i>Warning: This plugin version may not be safe to use. Please review the following security notices:</i> • <a href="#">Insecure credential storage and transmission</a>	1.8	9 yr 6 mo ago
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Terminate ssh processes</b>	1.0	8 yr 1 mo ago

Buttons: Install without restart, **Download now and install after restart**, Update information obtained: 4 hr 54 min ago, Check now

Mailer

Loading plugin extensions

Infrastructure plugin for Publish Over X

Publish Over SSH

Restarting Jenkins

Success

Success

Pending

Pending

Pending

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(you can start using the installed plugins right away)

☒ Restart Jenkins when installation is complete and no jobs are running

**Jenkins**

Jenkins »

- New Item
- People
- Build History
- Manage Jenkins
- My Views
- Lockable Resources
- New View

**Build Queue**

No builds in the queue.

**Build Executor Status**

1	Idle
2	Idle

## Manage Jenkins

### System Configuration

- Configure System**  
Configure global settings and paths.
- Global Tool Configuration**  
Configure tools, their locations and automatic installers.
- Manage Jenkins**  
Add, remove, and extend Jenkins.

### Security

- Configure Global Security**  
Secure Jenkins; define who is allowed to access/use the system.
- Manage Credentials**  
Configure credentials
- Configure System**  
Configure system types

### Status Information

- System Information**  
Displays various environmental information to assist trouble-shooting.
- System Log**  
System log captures output from `java.util.logging` output related to Jenkins.
- Load Statistics**  
Check the load on your Jenkins.

Jenkins » configuration

- ☐ Enable Debug Mode
- ☐ Require Administrator for Template Testing
- ☐ Enable watching for jobs
- ☐ Allow sending to unregistered users

Content Token Reference

**E-mail Notification**

SMTP server

Default user e-mail suffix

☐ Test configuration by sending test e-mail

**Publish over SSH**

Jenkins SSH Key

Passphrase

Path to key

Key

Disable exec

SSH Servers

Save Apply

Page generated: 23-Jul-2020 16:23:26 UTC REST API Jenkins 2.235.2

**Publish over SSH**

Jenkins SSH Key

Passphrase Concealed Change Password

Path to key master\_priv.key

Key

Disable exec ☐

SSH Servers

SSH Server

Name master.demo.geonode.org

Hostname master.demo.geonode.org

Username geosolutions

Remote Directory

☐ Use password authentication, or use a different key

Jump host

Port 22

Timeout (ms) 300000

Disable exec ☐

Proxy type

Proxy host

Save Apply

Proxy host

Proxy port 0

Proxy user

Proxy password Concealed Change Password

Success

Test Configuration

Delete

Add

It is possible also to run and configure *Jenkins* to run locally, as an instance on *localhost*. In that case you will need to change few things in order to allow *Jenkins* to access your local network.

1. First of all, be sure *OpenSSH Server* is correctly installed and running on your PC. Eventually check any firewall rules.

```
$> sudo apt install openssh-server

Test your connection locally
$> ssh -p 22 user@localhost
user@localhost's password:
```

2. You will need to do some changes to your `docker-compose.yml` file in order to enable the *host network* configuration.

**Note:** Enable `network_mode: "host"` on Jenkins container

```
$> vim docker-compose.yml

...
jenkins:
 image: jenkins/jenkins:lts
 # image: istresearch/jenkins:latest
 container_name: jenkins4${COMPOSE_PROJECT_NAME}
 user: jenkins
 ports:
 - '${JENKINS_HTTP_PORT}:${JENKINS_HTTP_PORT}'
 - '${JENKINS_HTTPS_PORT}:${JENKINS_HTTPS_PORT}'
 - '50000:50000'
 network_mode: "host"
 volumes:
 - jenkins_data:/var/jenkins_home
 - backup-restore:/backup_restore
 # - /var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock
 environment:
 - 'JENKINS_OPTS=--httpPort=${JENKINS_HTTP_PORT} --httpsPort=${JENKINS_HTTPS_
 PORT} --prefix=/jenkins'
 ...

Recreate the Jenkins container
$> docker-compose stop jenkins
$> docker-compose rm jenkins
$> docker-compose up -d jenkins
```

**Warning:** From now on, your local Jenkins instance will be accessible from <http://localhost:9080/jenkins>

### 3. Add localhost Server to the *Publish over SSH* plugin configuration

Mode to <http://localhost:9080/jenkins/configure> and fill the required information

**Note:** Before saving the configuration always ensure the connection is ok by using the *Test Configuration* button

Proxy host:

Proxy port:

Proxy user:

Proxy password:  Change Password

Success Test Configuration Delete

Add

We are now ready to create the Jenkins Job which will run a full backup & restore of our GeoNode dockerized instance.

1. Move to the Jenkins Home and click on *Create a Job* button
2. Provide a name to the Job and select *Freestyle project*

## Publish over SSH

Jenkins SSH Key

Passphrase

Path to key

Key

Disable exec


SSH Servers

SSH Server


Name	localhost	?
Hostname	localhost	?
Username	afabiani	?
Remote Directory		?
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use password authentication, or use a different key		?
Passphrase / Password	*****	?
Path to key		?
Key		?
Jump host		?
Port	22	?
Timeout (ms)	300000	?


Save


Apply


 **Jenkins**


Jenkins ▶


 New Item


 People

 Build History

 Manage Jenkins

 My Views

 Lockable Resources

 New View

**Welcome to Jenkins!**

Create an agent or configure a cloud to set up distributed builds. [Learn more.](#)

Create a job to start building your software project.

**Build Queue**

No builds in the queue.

**Build Executor Status**

1 Idle

2 Idle

**Enter an item name**

Backup - "localhost" » Required field

**Freestyle project**  
This is the central feature of Jenkins. Jenkins will build your project, combining any SCM with any build system, and this can be even used for something other than software build.

**Pipeline**  
Orchestrates long-running activities that can span multiple build agents. Suitable for building pipelines (formerly known as workflows) and/or organizing complex activities that do not easily fit in free-style job type.

**Multi-configuration project**  
Suitable for projects that need a large number of different configurations, such as testing on multiple environments, platform-specific builds, etc.

**Folder**  
Creates a container that stores nested items in it. Useful for grouping things together. Unlike view, which is just a filter, a folder creates a separate namespace, so you can have multiple things of the same name as long as they are in different folders.

**GitHub Organization**  
Scans a GitHub organization (or user account) for all repositories matching some defined markers.

**Multibranch Pipeline**  
Creates a set of Pipeline projects according to detected branches in one SCM repository.

OK

### 3. Enable the *Log rotation* strategy if needed

☒ Discard old builds

Strategy: Log Rotation

Days to keep builds:

if not empty, build records are only kept up to this number of days

Max # of builds to keep: 2

if not empty, only up to this number of build records are kept

Advanced...

☐ GitHub project

☐ This build requires lockable resources

☐ This project is parameterised

☐ Throttle builds

☐ Disable this project

☐ Execute concurrent builds if necessary

Advanced...

### 4. Configure the *Job Parameters* which will be used by the script later on.

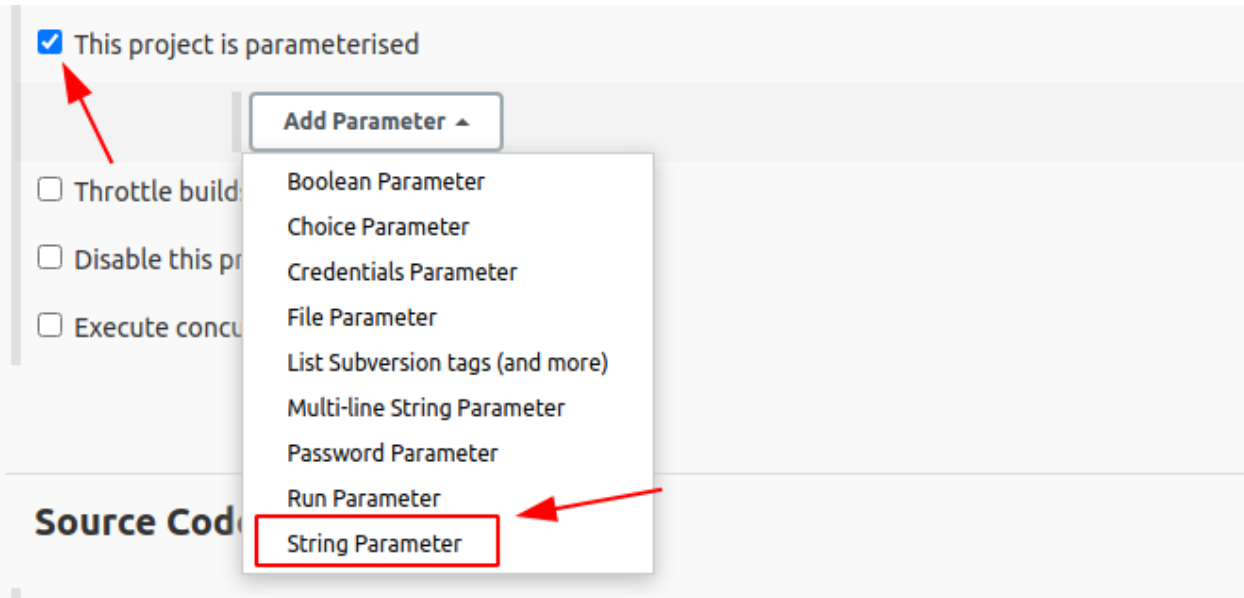
Add three *String Parameters*

as shown below

1. *BKP\_FOLDER\_NAME*
2. *SOURCE\_URL*

**Warning:** Provide the correct URL of your GeoNode instance

3. *TARGET\_URL*



**String Parameter**

Name:

Default Value:

Description:

[Plain text] [Preview](#)

☒ Trim the string

**String Parameter**

Name:

Default Value:

Description:

[Plain text] [Preview](#)

☒ Trim the string

**Warning:** Provide the correct URL of your GeoNode instance

**String Parameter**

Name: TARGET\_URL

Default Value: http://localhost

Description: Target Server URL, the one which must be synched.

[Plain text] [Preview](#)

☒ Trim the string

5. Enable the *Delete workspace before build starts* and *Add timestamps to the Console Output Build Environment* options

**Build Environment**

☒ Delete workspace before build starts

Patterns for files to be deleted:  [Add](#)

Apply pattern also on directories: ☐

Check parameter:

External Deletion Command:

Disable deferred wipeout: ☐

☐ Use secret text(s) or file(s)

☐ Send files or execute commands over SSH before the build starts

☐ Send files or execute commands over SSH after the build runs

☐ Abort the build if it's stuck

☒ Add timestamps to the Console Output

☐ Inspect build log for published Gradle build scans

☐ With Ant

6. Finally let's create the *SSH Build Step*

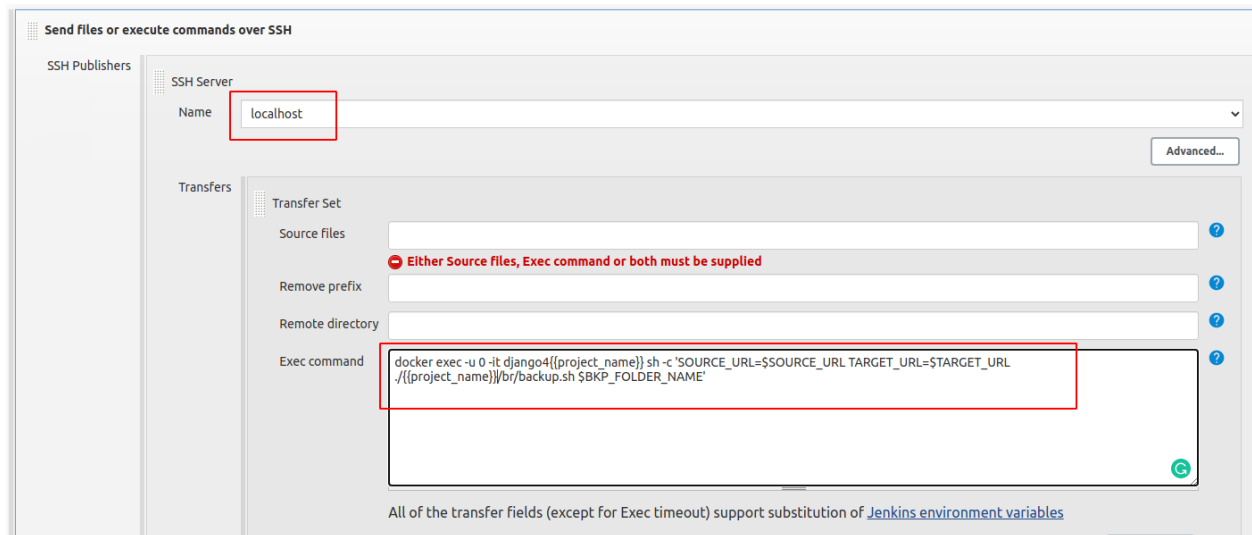
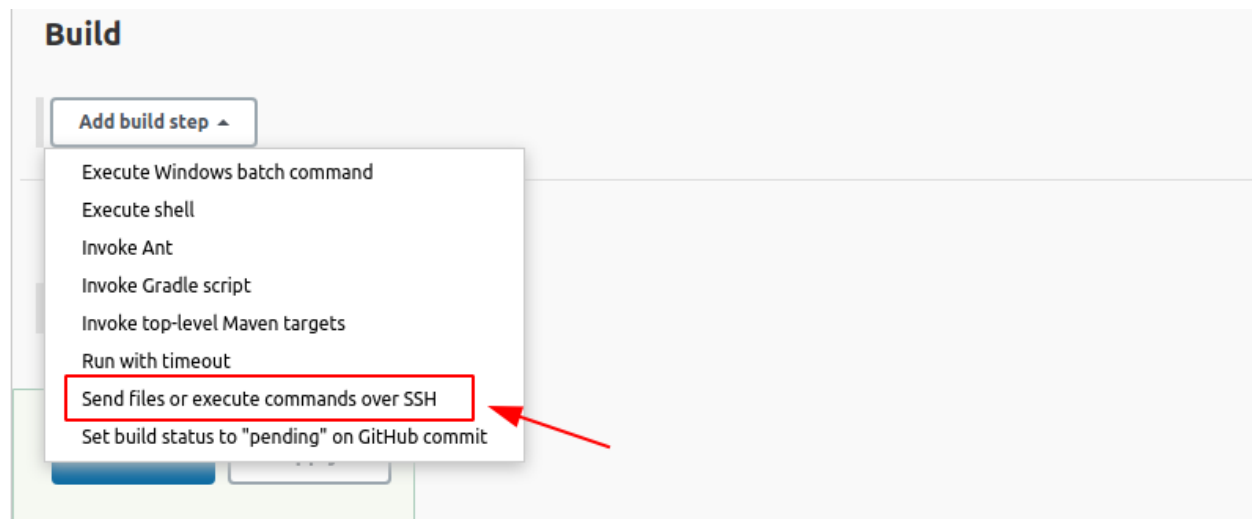
Select the correct *SSH Server* and provide the *Exec Command* below

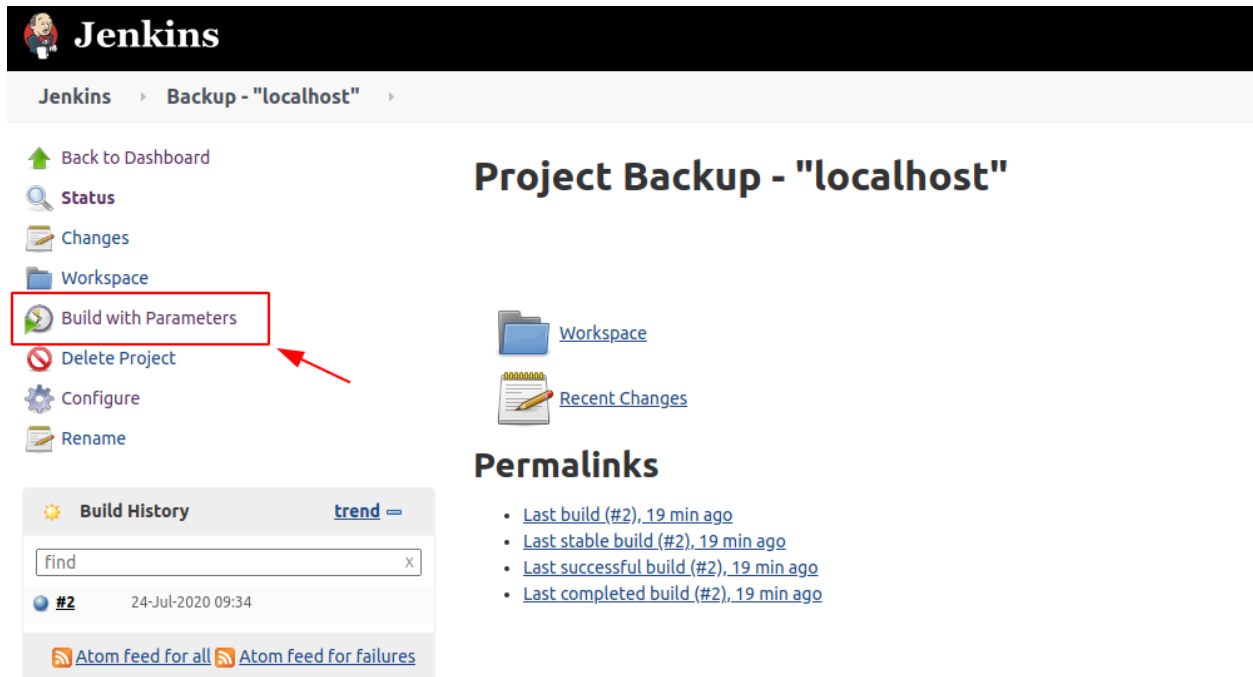
**Warning:** Replace `{{project_name}}` with your *geonode-project instance name* (e.g. *my\_geonode*)

```
Replace {{project_name}} with your geonode-project instance name (e.g. my_
↪ geonode)
docker exec -u 0 -it django4{{project_name}} sh -c 'SOURCE_URL=$SOURCE_
↪ URL TARGET_URL=$TARGET_URL ./{{project_name}}/br/backup.sh $BKP_FOLDER_
↪ NAME'
e.g.:
docker exec -u 0 -it django4my_geonode sh -c 'SOURCE_URL=$SOURCE_URL TARGET_
↪ URL=$TARGET_URL ./my_geonode/br/backup.sh $BKP_FOLDER_NAME'
```

Click on *Advanced* and change the parameters as shown below

**Save!** You are ready to run the Job...





**Jenkins**   **Backup - "localhost"**

Back to Dashboard  
Status  
Changes  
Workspace  
**Build with Parameters**  
Delete Project  
Configure  
Rename

## Project Backup - "localhost"

Workspace  
Recent Changes

### Permalinks

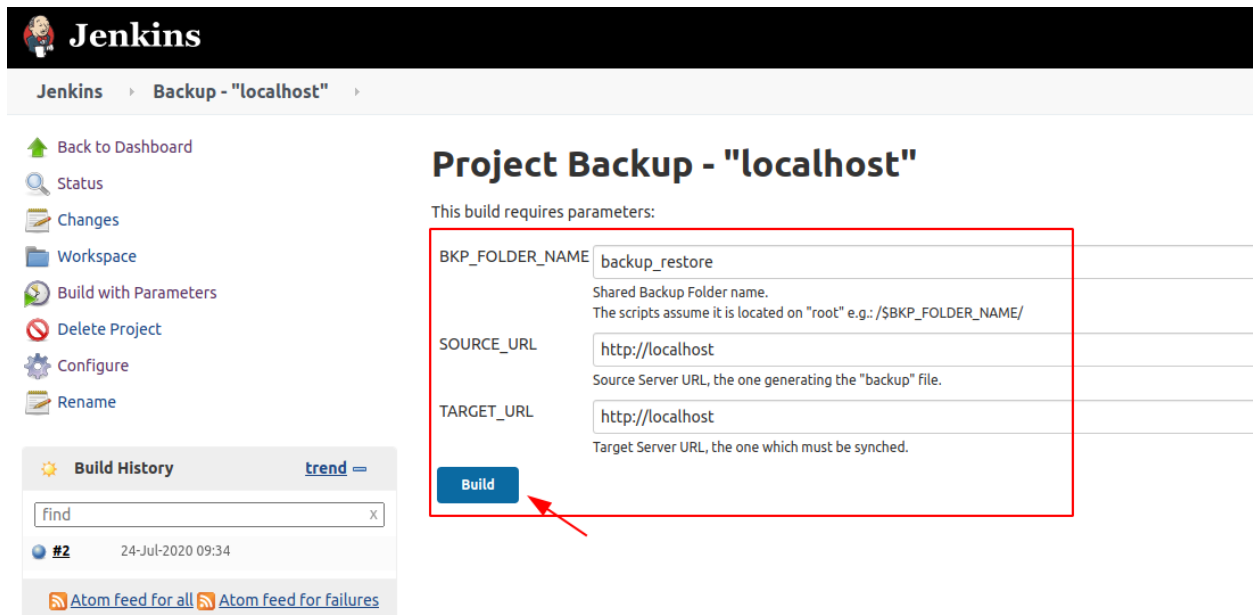
- [Last build \(#2\), 19 min ago](#)
- [Last stable build \(#2\), 19 min ago](#)
- [Last successful build \(#2\), 19 min ago](#)
- [Last completed build \(#2\), 19 min ago](#)

**Build History**   trend

find X

#2   24-Jul-2020 09:34

Atom feed for all   Atom feed for failures



**Jenkins**   **Backup - "localhost"**

Back to Dashboard  
Status  
Changes  
Workspace  
Build with Parameters  
Delete Project  
Configure  
Rename

## Project Backup - "localhost"

This build requires parameters:

BKP\_FOLDER\_NAME   backup\_restore  
Shared Backup Folder name.  
The scripts assume it is located on "root" e.g.: /\$BKP\_FOLDER\_NAME/

SOURCE\_URL   http://localhost  
Source Server URL, the one generating the "backup" file.

TARGET\_URL   http://localhost  
Target Server URL, the one which must be synched.


**Build**

**Build History**   trend

find X

#2   24-Jul-2020 09:34

Atom feed for all   Atom feed for failures



# Jenkins


Jenkins > Backup - "localhost" > #3

[Back to Project](#)  
[Status](#)  
[Changes](#)  
[Console Output](#)  
[Edit Build Information](#)  
[Parameters](#)  
[Previous Build](#)



## Build #3 (24-Jul-2020 09:54:54)

 No changes.  
 Started by user [Jenkins Admin](#)



# Jenkins

Jenkins > Backup - "localhost" > #3

[Back to Project](#)  
[Status](#)  
[Changes](#)  
[Console Output](#)  
[View as plain text](#)  
[Edit Build Information](#)  
[Delete build '#3'](#)  
[Parameters](#)  
[Previous Build](#)

Timestamps [View as plain text](#)

- ☒ System clock time
- ☒ Use browser timezone
- ☐ Elapsed time
- ☐ None

## Console Output

```

11:54:54 Started by user Jenkins Admin
11:54:54 Running as SYSTEM
11:54:54 Building in workspace /var/jenkins_home/workspace/Backup - "localhost"
11:54:54 [WS-CLEANUP] Deleting project workspace...
11:54:54 [WS-CLEANUP] Deferred wipeout is used...
11:54:54 [WS-CLEANUP] Done
11:54:54 SSH: Connecting from host [ideapad-afabiani]
11:54:54 SSH: Connecting with configuration [localhost] ...
11:54:55 SSH: EXEC: STDOUT/STDERR from command [docker exec -u 0 -it django4my_geonode sh -c 'SOURCE_URL=http://localhost TARGET_URL=http://localhost ./my_geonode/br/backup.sh backup_restore'] ...
11:54:55
11:54:55 STARTING my_geonode BACKUP Fri Jul 24 09:54:55 UTC 2020
11:54:55
11:54:59 Before proceeding with the Backup, please ensure that:
11:54:59 1. The GeoServer (DB or whatever) is accessible and you have rights
11:54:59 2. The GeoServer is up and running and reachable from this machine
11:54:59 Dumping 'GeoServer Catalog [http://geoserver:8080/geoserver/]' into '/backup_restore/2020-07-24_095459/geoserver_catalog.zip'.
11:54:59 STARTED - 1/11
11:55:02 STARTED - 11/11
11:55:05 COMPLETED - 11/11
11:55:08 Dumping GeoServer Uploaded Data from '/geoserver_data/data/geonode'.
11:55:08 Dumped GeoServer Uploaded Data from '/geoserver_data/data/geonode'.
11:55:08 Dumping GeoServer Uploaded Data from '/geoserver_data/data/data/geonode'.
11:55:08 Skipped GeoServer Uploaded Data '/geoserver_data/data/data/geonode'.
11:55:08 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_gsuser
11:55:08 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_gfuser
11:55:09 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_gsinstance
11:55:09 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_layer_details
11:55:09 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_adminrule
11:55:09 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_layer_attributes
11:55:09 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_rule
11:55:10 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_layer_styles
11:55:10 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_usergroup
11:55:10 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_rule_limits
11:55:10 Dumping GeoServer Vectorial Data : my_geonode_data:gf_user_groups
11:55:10 Dumping geoserver external resources
11:55:10 Dumping 'contenttypes' into 'contenttypes.json'.
11:55:10 Dumping 'auth' into 'auth.json'.
11:55:11 Dumping 'people' into 'people.json'.
11:55:11 Dumping 'groups' into 'groups.json'.
11:55:11 Dumping 'account' into 'account.json'.

```

### Link the *backup\_restore* folder to a local folder on the *HOST*

In the case you need to save the backup archives outside the docker container, there's the possibility to directly link the *backup\_restore* folder to a local folder on the *HOST*.

In that case you won't need to *docker cp* the files everytime from the containers, they will be directly available on the host filesystem.

**Warning:** Always keep an eye to the disk space. Backups archives may be huge.

**Note:** You might want also to consider filtering the files through the backup dt filters on the *settings.ini* in order to reduce the size of the archive files, including only the new ones.

Modify the *docker-compose.override.yml* as follows in order to link the backup folders outside.

**Note:** */data/backup\_restore* is a folder physically located into the host filesystem.

```
$> vim docker-compose.override.yml

version: '2.2'
services:

django:
 build: .
 # Loading the app is defined here to allow for
 # autoreload on changes it is mounted on top of the
 # old copy that docker added when creating the image
 volumes:
 - './usr/src/my_geonode'
 - '/data/backup_restore:/backup_restore' # Link to local volume in the HOST

celery:
 volumes:
 - '/data/backup_restore:/backup_restore' # Link to local volume in the HOST

geoserver:
 volumes:
 - '/data/backup_restore:/backup_restore' # Link to local volume in the HOST

jenkins:
 volumes:
 - '/data/backup_restore:/backup_restore' # Link to local volume in the HOST

Restart the containers
$> docker-compose up -d
```

## 1.19 GeoNode Components and Architecture

### 1.19.1 OAuth2 Security: Authentication and Authorization

GeoNode interacts with GeoServer through an advanced security mechanism based on OAuth2 Protocol and GeoFence. This section is a walk through of the configuration and setup of GeoNode and GeoServer Advanced Security.

What we will see in this section is:

- **Introduction**
- **GeoNode (Security Backend):**
  1. Django Authentication
  2. Django OAuth Toolkit Setup and Configuration
  3. Details on `settings.py` Security Settings
- **GeoServer (Security Backend):**
  1. GeoServer Security Subsystem
  2. Introduction to the GeoServer OAuth2 Security Plugin
  3. Configuration of the GeoNode REST Role Service
  4. Configuration of the GeoNode OAuth2 Authentication Filter
  5. The GeoServer Authentication Filter Chains
  6. Introduction to GeoFence Plugin, the Advanced Security Framework for GeoServer
- **Troubleshooting and Advanced Features:**
  1. Common Issues and Fixes
  2. How to setup HTTPS secured endpoints
  3. GeoFence Advanced Features

#### Introduction

GeoServer, i.e. the geospatial backend server of GeoNode, is a spatial server which needs authenticated users in order to access protected resources or administration functions.

GeoServer supports several kind of Authentication and Authorization mechanisms. Those systems are pluggable and GeoServer can use them at the same time by the use of a **Filter Chain**. Briefly this mechanism allows GeoServer to check for different A&A protocols one by one. The first one matching is used by GeoServer to authorize the users.

GeoNode Authentication is based by default on Django Security Subsystem. Django authentication allows GeoNode to manage its internal users, groups, roles and sessions.

GeoNode has some external components, like GeoServer or QGIS Server, which are pluggable and stand-alone services, devoted to the management of geospatial data. Those external services have their own authentication and authorization mechanisms which must be synchronized somehow with the GeoNode one. Also, those external services maintain, in most of the cases and unless specific configuration does not disable this, alternative security access which for instance allow GeoNode to modify the geospatial catalog under the hood, or a system administrator to have independent and privileged access to the servers.

Before going deeply on how GeoServer/GeoNode A&A works and how it can be configured in order to work correctly with GeoNode, let's quickly clarify the difference between the **Authentication** and **Authorization** concepts.

## Authentication

Authentication is the process of verifying the identity of someone through the use of some sort of credentials and a handshake protocol. If the credentials are valid, the authorization process starts. Authentication process always proceeds to Authorization process (although they may often seem to be combined). The two terms are often used synonymously but they are two different processes.

For more details and explanation about the authentication concepts, take a look [here](#).

## Authorization

Authorization is the process of allowing authenticated users to access protected resources by checking its roles and rights against some sort of security rules mechanism or protocol. In other words it allows to control access rights by granting or denying specific permissions to specific authorized users.

## GeoNode Security Backend

### Django Authentication

The Django authentication system handles both authentication and authorization.

The auth system consists of:

1. Users
2. Permissions: Binary (yes/no) flags designating whether a user may perform a certain task.
3. Groups: A generic way of applying labels and permissions to more than one user.
4. A configurable password hashing system
5. Forms and view tools for logging in users, or restricting content
6. A pluggable backend system

The authentication system in Django aims to be very generic and doesn't provide some features commonly found in web authentication systems. Solutions for some of these common problems have been implemented in third-party packages:

1. Password strength checking
2. Throttling of login attempts
3. Authentication against third-parties (OAuth, for example)

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**Note:** For more details on installation and configuration of Django authentication system, please refer to the official guide <https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/topics/auth/>.

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GeoNode communicates with GeoServer through Basic Authentication under the hood, in order to configure the data and the GeoServer catalog.

In order to do this, you must be sure that GeoNode knows the **internal** admin user and password of GeoServer.

**Warning:** This must be an internal GeoServer user with admin rights, not a GeoNode one.

Make sure the credentials are correctly configured into the file `settings.py`

## OGC\_SERVER

Ensure that the OGC\_SERVER settings are correctly configured.

Notice that the two properties LOGIN\_ENDPOINT and LOGOUT\_ENDPOINT must specify the GeoServer OAuth2 Endpoints (see details below). The default values 'j\_spring\_oauth2\_geonode\_login' and 'j\_spring\_oauth2\_geonode\_logout' work in most of the cases, unless you need some specific endpoints different from the later. In any case those values **must** be coherent with the GeoServer OAuth2 Plugin configuration.

If in doubt, please use the default values here below.

Default values are:

```
...
OGC (WMS/WFS/WCS) Server Settings
OGC (WMS/WFS/WCS) Server Settings
OGC_SERVER = {
 'default': {
 'BACKEND': 'geonode.geoserver',
 'LOCATION': GEOSERVER_LOCATION,
 'LOGIN_ENDPOINT': 'j_spring_oauth2_geonode_login',
 'LOGOUT_ENDPOINT': 'j_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout',
 # PUBLIC_LOCATION needs to be kept like this because in dev mode
 # the proxy won't work and the integration tests will fail
 # the entire block has to be overridden in the local_settings
 'PUBLIC_LOCATION': GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION,
 'USER': 'admin',
 'PASSWORD': 'geoserver',
 'MAPFISH_PRINT_ENABLED': True,
 'PRINT_NG_ENABLED': True,
 'GEONODE_SECURITY_ENABLED': True,
 'WMST_ENABLED': False,
 'BACKEND_WRITE_ENABLED': True,
 'WPS_ENABLED': False,
 'LOG_FILE': '%s/geoserver/data/logs/geoserver.log' % os.path.abspath(os.path.
↪join(PROJECT_ROOT, os.pardir)),
 # Set to name of database in DATABASES dictionary to enable
 'DATASTORE': '', # 'datastore',
 'TIMEOUT': 10 # number of seconds to allow for HTTP requests
 }
}
...
```

## GeoNode and GeoServer A&A Interaction

The GeoServer instance used by GeoNode, has a particular setup that allows the two frameworks to correctly interact and exchange informations on users credentials and permissions.

In particular GeoServer is configured with a Filter Chain for Authorization that makes use of the two following protocols:

1. **Basic Authentication; this is the default GeoServer Authentication mechanism. This makes use of rfc2617 - Basic and Digest Authentication**

In other words, GeoServer takes a username and a password encoded Base64 on the HTTP Request Headers and compare them against its internal database (which by default is an encrypted XML file on the GeoServer Data Dir). If the user's credentials match, then GeoServer checks for Authorization through

its Role Services (we will see those services in details on the *GeoServer (Security Backend)* section below).

**Note:** GeoServer ships by default with `admin` and `geoserver` as the default administrator user name and password. Before putting the GeoServer on-line it is imperative to change at least the administrator password.

2. **OAuth2 Authentication;** this module allows GeoServer to authenticate against the [OAuth2 Protocol](#). If the Basic Authentication fails, GeoServer falls back to this by using GeoNode as OAuth2 Provider by default.

**Note:** Further details can be found directly on the official GeoServer documentation at section “[Authentication Chain](#)”

From the **GeoNode backend (server) side**, the server will make use of **Basic Authentication** with administrator credentials to configure the GeoServer catalog. GeoServer must be reachable by GeoNode of course, and GeoNode must know the internal GeoServer admin credentials.

From the **GeoNode frontend (browser and GUI) side**, the *Authentication* goal is to allow GeoServer to recognize as valid a user which has been already logged into GeoNode, providing kind of an [SSO](#) mechanism between the two applications.

GeoServer must know and must be able to access GeoNode via HTTP/HTTPS. In other words, an external user connected to GeoNode must be authenticated to GeoServer with same permissions. This is possible through the **OAuth2 Authentication** Protocol.

### GeoNode / GeoServer Authentication Mechanism

#### *GeoNode as OAuth2 Provider (OP)*

OpenID Connect is an identity framework built on OAuth 2.0 protocol which extends the authorization of OAuth 2.0 processes to implement its authentication mechanism. OpenID Connect adds a discovery mechanism allowing users to use an external trusted authority as an identity provider. From another point of view, this can be seen as a single sign on (SSO) system.

OAuth 2.0 is an authorization framework which is capable of providing a way for clients to access a resource with restricted access on behalf of the resource owner. OpenID Connect allows clients to verify the users with an authorization server based authentication.

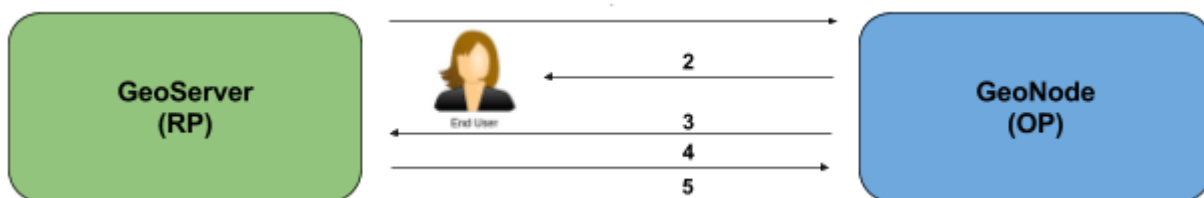
As an OP, GeoNode will be able to act as trusted identity provider, thus allowing the system working on an isolated environment and/or allow GeoNode to authenticate private users managed by the local Django auth subsystem.

#### *GeoServer as OAuth2 Relying Party (RP)*

Thanks to the **OAuth2 Authentication** GeoServer is able to retrieve an end user’s identity directly from the OAuth2 Provider (OP).

With GeoNode acting as an OP, the mechanism will avoid the use of cookies relying, instead, on the OAuth2 secure protocol.

How the OAuth2 Protocol works:



1. The relying party sends the request to the OAuth2 provider to authenticate the end user
2. The OAuth2 provider authenticates the user
3. The OAuth2 provider sends the ID token and access token to the relying party
4. The relying party sends a request to the user info endpoint with the access token received from OAuth2 provider
5. The user info endpoint returns the claims.

### GeoNode / GeoServer Authorization Mechanism

Allowing GeoServer to make use of a OAuth2 in order to act as an OAuth2 RP, is not sufficient to map a user identity to its roles though.

On GeoServer side we will still need to a `RoleService` which would be able to talk to GeoNode and transform the tokens into a User Principal to be used within the GeoServer Security subsystem itself.

In other words after a successful Authentication, GeoServer needs to Authorize the user in order to understand which resources he is able to access or not. A REST based `RoleService` on GeoNode side, allows GeoServer to talk to GeoNode via [REST](#) to get the current user along with the list of its Roles.

Nevertheless knowing the Roles associated to a user is not sufficient. The complete GeoServer Authorization needs to catch a set of `Access Rules`, associated to the Roles, in order to establish which resources and data are accessible by the user.

The GeoServer Authorization is based on Roles only, therefore for each authenticated user we need also to know:

1. The Roles associated to a valid user session
2. The access permissions associated to a GeoServer Resource

The Authentication mechanism above allows GeoServer to get information about the user and his Roles, which addresses point 1.

About point 2, GeoServer makes use of the [GeoFence Embedded Server](#) plugin. GeoFence is a java web application that provides an advanced authentication / authorization engine for GeoServer using the interface described in [here](#). GeoFence has its own rules database for the management of Authorization rules, and overrides the standard GeoServer security management system by implementing a sophisticated Resource Access Manager. Least but not last, GeoFence implements and exposes a [REST API](#) allowing remote authorized clients to read / write / modify security rules.

The advantages using such plugin are multiple:

1. The Authorizations rules have a fine granularity. The security rules are handled by GeoFence in a way similar to the iptables ones, and allow to define security constraints even on sub-regions and attributes of layers.
2. GeoFence exposes a REST interface to its internal rule database, allowing external managers to update the security constraints programmatically
3. GeoFence implements an internal caching mechanism which improves considerably the performances under load.

#### *GeoNode interaction with GeoFence*

GeoNode itself is able to push/manage Authorization rules to GeoServer through the GeoFence [REST API](#), acting as an administrator for GeoServer. GeoNode properly configures the GeoFence rules anytime it is needed, i.e. the permissions of a Resource / Layer are updated.

GeoServer must know and must be able to access GeoNode via HTTP/HTTPS. In other words, an external user connected to GeoNode must be authenticated to GeoServer with same permissions. This is possible through the **GeoNodeCookieProcessingFiler**.

Summarizing we will have different ways to access GeoNode Layers:

1. Through GeoNode via Django Authentication and **GeoNodeCookieProcessingFiler**; basically the users available in GeoNode are also valid for GeoServer or any other backend.

**Warning:** If a GeoNode user has “administrator” rights, he will be able to administer GeoServer too.

2. Through GeoServer Security Subsystem; it will be always possible to access to GeoServer using its internal security system and users, unless explicitly disabled (**warning** this is dangerous, you must know what you are doing).

Let’s now see in details how the single pieces are configured and how they can be configured.

## Django OAuth Toolkit Setup and Configuration

As stated above, GeoNode makes use of the OAuth2 protocol for all the frontend interactions with GeoServer. GeoNode must be configured as an OAuth2 Provider and provide a `Client ID` and a `Client Secret` key to GeoServer. This is possible by enabling and configuring the [Django OAuth Toolkit Plugin](#).

**Warning:** GeoNode and GeoServer won’t work at all if the following steps are not executed at the first installation.

## Default settings.py Security Settings for OAuth2

Double check that the OAuth2 Provider and Security Plugin is enabled and that the settings below are correctly configured.

### AUTH\_IP\_WHITELIST

`AUTH_IP_WHITELIST` property limits access to users/groups REST Role Service endpoints to the only whitelisted IP addresses. Empty list means ‘allow all’. If you need to limit ‘api’ REST calls to only some specific IPs fill the list like this: `AUTH_IP_WHITELIST = ['192.168.1.158', '192.168.1.159']`

Default values are:

```
...
AUTH_IP_WHITELIST = []
...
```

## INSTALLED\_APPS

In order to allow GeoNode to act as an OAuth2 Provider, we need to enable the `oauth2_provider` Django application provided by the “Django OAuth Toolkit”.

Default values are:

```
...
INSTALLED_APPS = (

 'modeltranslation',

 ...
 'guardian',
 'oauth2_provider',
 ...

) + GEONODE_APPS
...
```

## MIDDLEWARE\_CLASSES

Installing the `oauth2_provider` Django application is not sufficient to enable the full functionality. We need also GeoNode to include additional entities to its internal model.

Default values are:

```
...
MIDDLEWARE_CLASSES = (
 'django.middleware.common.CommonMiddleware',
 'django.contrib.sessions.middleware.SessionMiddleware',
 'django.contrib.messages.middleware.MessageMiddleware',

 # The setting below makes it possible to serve different languages per
 # user depending on things like headers in HTTP requests.
 'django.middleware.locale.LocaleMiddleware',
 'pagination.middleware.PaginationMiddleware',
 'django.middleware.csrf.CsrfViewMiddleware',
 'django.contrib.auth.middleware.AuthenticationMiddleware',
 'django.middleware.clickjacking.XFrameOptionsMiddleware',

 # If you use SessionAuthenticationMiddleware, be sure it appears before
 ↪ OAuth2TokenMiddleware.
 # SessionAuthenticationMiddleware is NOT required for using django-oauth-toolkit.
 'django.contrib.auth.middleware.SessionAuthenticationMiddleware',
 'oauth2_provider.middleware.OAuth2TokenMiddleware',
)
...
```

## AUTHENTICATION\_BACKENDS

In order to allow GeoNode to act as an OAuth2 Provider, we need to enable the `oauth2_provider.backends.OAuth2Backend` Django backend provided by the “Django OAuth Toolkit”. Also notice that we need to specify the OAuth2 Provider scopes and declare which generator to use in order to create OAuth2 Client IDs.

Default values are:

```
...
Replacement of default authentication backend in order to support
permissions per object.
AUTHENTICATION_BACKENDS = (
 'oauth2_provider.backends.OAuth2Backend',
 'django.contrib.auth.backends.ModelBackend',
 'guardian.backends.ObjectPermissionBackend',
)

OAUTH2_PROVIDER = {
 'SCOPES': {
 'read': 'Read scope',
 'write': 'Write scope',
 'groups': 'Access to your groups'
 },

 'CLIENT_ID_GENERATOR_CLASS': 'oauth2_provider.generators.ClientIdGenerator',
}
...
```

## Django OAuth Toolkit Admin Setup

Once the `settings.py` and `local_settings.py` have been correctly configured for your system:

1. Complete the GeoNode setup steps

- Prepare the model

```
python manage.py makemigrations
python manage.py migrate
python manage.py syncdb
```

- Prepare the static data

```
python manage.py collectstatic
```

- Make sure the database has been populated with initial default data

**Warning:** *Deprecated* this command will be replaced by migrations in the future, so be careful.

```
python manage.py loaddata initial_data.json
```

- Make sure there exists a superuser for your environment

**Warning:** *Deprecated* this command will be replaced by migrations in the future, so be careful.

```
python manage.py createsuperuser
```

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**Note:** Read the base tutorials on GeoNode Developer documentation for details on the specific commands and how to use them.

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## 2. Start the application

Start GeoNode accordingly on how the setup has been done; run debug mode through `paver`, or proxied by an HTTP Server like Apache2 HTTPD, Nginx or others.

## 3. Finalize the setup of the OAuth2 Provider

First of all you need to configure and create a new OAuth2 Application called `GeoServer` through the GeoNode Admin Dashboard

- Access the GeoNode Admin Dashboard
- Go to Django OAuth Toolkit > Applications
- Update or create the Application named GeoServer

**Warning:** The Application name **must** be GeoServer

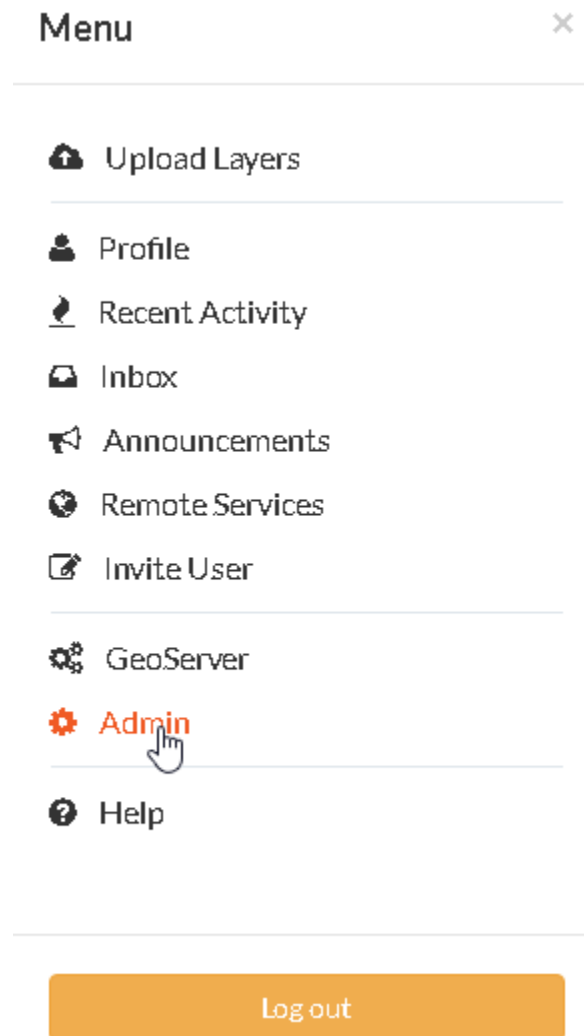
- Client id; An alphanumeric code representing the OAuth2 Client Id. GeoServer OAuth2 Plugin **will** use **this** value.

**Warning:** In a production environment it is **highly** recommended to modify the default value provided with GeoNode installation.

- User; Search for the admin user. Its ID will be automatically updated into the form.
- Redirect uris; It is possible to specify many URIs here. Those must coincide with the GeoServer instances URIs.
- Client type; Choose Confidential
- Authorization grant type; Choose Authorization code
- Client secret; An alphanumeric code representing the OAuth2 Client Secret. GeoServer OAuth2 Plugin **will** use **this** value.


**Warning:** In a production environment it is **highly** recommended to modify the default value provided with GeoNode installation.

- Name; **Must** be GeoServer



Django OAuth Toolkit		
Access tokens	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
<b>Applications</b>	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
Grants	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
Refresh tokens	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>

## Change application

Client id:	<input type="text" value="Jrchz2oPY3akmzndmgUTYrs9gcZlgoV2I"/>
User:	<input type="text" value="2"/>  admin
Redirect uris:	<div> <input type="text" value="http://localhost:8080/geoserver"/> <input type="text" value="http://localhost:8080/geoserver/"/> <input type="text" value="http://&lt;host_name_or_ip&gt;/geoserver"/> <input type="text" value="http://&lt;host_name_or_ip&gt;/geoserver/"/> </div> <p>Allowed URIs list, space separated</p>
Client type:	<input type="text" value="Confidential"/>
Authorization grant type:	<input type="text" value="Authorization code"/>
Client secret:	<input type="text" value="rCnp5txobUo83EpQEblM8fVj3QT5zb5ql"/>
Name:	<input type="text" value="GeoServer"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Skip authorization	

## GeoServer Security Backend

### GeoServer Security Subsystem

GeoServer has a robust security subsystem, modeled on Spring Security. Most of the security features are available through the Web administration interface.

For more details on how this works and how to configure and modify it, please refer to the official GeoServer guide <http://docs.geoserver.org/stable/en/user/security/webadmin/index.html>

By using the GeoServer Data Dir provided with GeoNode build, the following configuration are already available. You will need just to update them accordingly to your environment (like IP addresses and Host names, OAuth2 Keys, and similar things). However it is recommended to read carefully all the following passages in order to understand exactly how the different component are configured and easily identify any possible issue during the deployment.

The main topics of this section are:

1. Connection to the GeoNode REST Role Service
2. Setup of the GeoServer OAuth2 Authentication Filter
3. Configuration of the GeoServer Filter Chains
4. Setup and test of the GeoFence Server and Default Rules

## Connection to the GeoNode REST Role Service

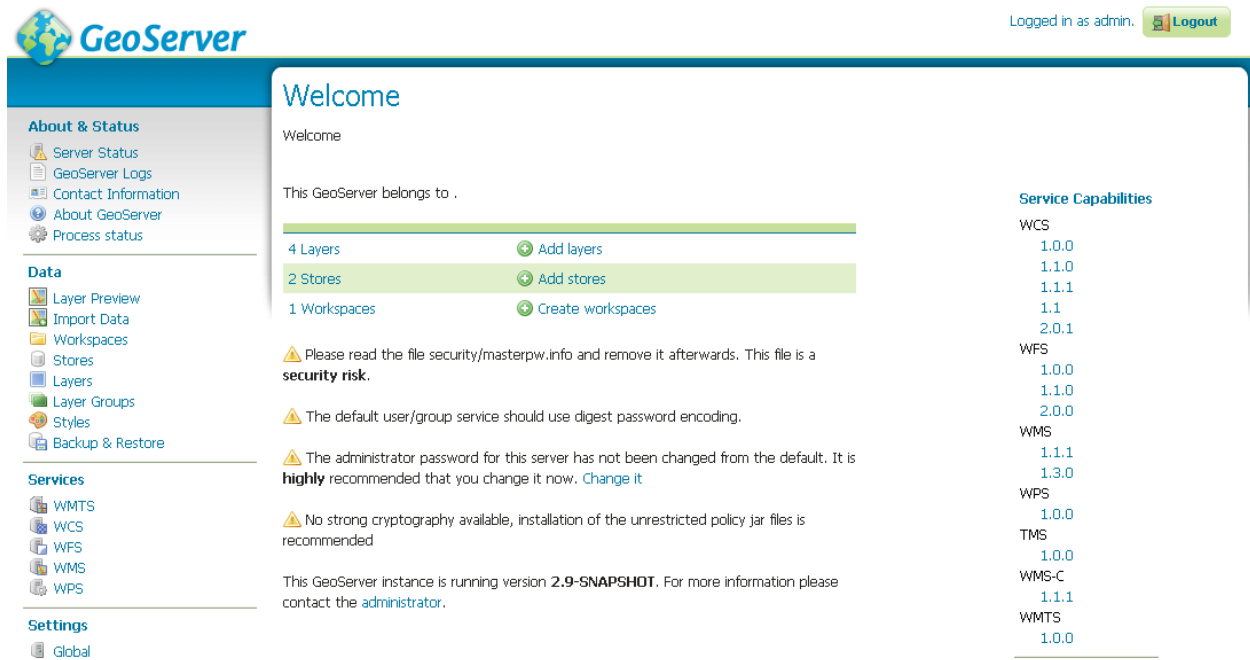
### Preliminary checks

- GeoServer is up and running and you have admin rights
- GeoServer must reach the GeoNode instance via HTTP
- The GeoServer Host IP Address must be allowed to access the GeoNode Role Service APIs (see the section AUTH\_IP\_WHITELIST above)

### Setup of the GeoNode REST Role Service

1. Login as admin to the GeoServer GUI

**Warning:** In a production system remember to change the default admin credentials admin geoserver













2. Access the Security > Users, Groups, Roles section

3. **If not yet configured** the service geonode REST role service, click on Role Services > Add new

**Note:** This passage is **not** needed if the geonode REST role service has been already created. If so it will be displayed among the Role Services list

**Security**

-  Settings
-  Authentication
-  Passwords
-  **Users, Groups, Roles**
-  Data
-  Security Manage users, groups, and roles
-  WPS security
-  GeoFence
-  GeoFence Data Rules
-  GeoFence Admin Rules

**Role Services** Add new Remove selected

<input type="text" value="Search"/>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Name	Type	Administrator Role
<input type="checkbox"/> default	Default XML role service	ADMIN
<input type="checkbox"/> geonode REST role service	AuthKEY REST Role Service	ROLE_ADMIN

&lt;&lt; &lt; 1 &gt; &gt;&gt; Results 1 to 2 (out of 2 items)

## Users, Groups, and Roles

Manage user group and role services

 Services **Users/Groups** Roles
**User Group Services** Add new Remove selected

<input type="checkbox"/> Name	Type
<input type="checkbox"/> default	Default XML user/group service

&lt;&lt; &lt; 1 &gt; &gt;&gt; Results 1 to 1 (out of 1 item)

**Role Services** Add new Remove selected

4. **If not yet configured** the service geonode REST role service, choose AuthKEY REST - Role service from REST endpoint

## New Role Service

Create and configure a new Role Service

[XML](#) - Default role service stored as XML

[J2EE](#) - Role service extracting roles from web.xml

[AuthKEY REST](#) - Role service from REST endpoint

[JDBC](#) - Role service stored in database

[LDAP](#) - Role service stored in LDAP repository

5. Create / update the geonode REST role service accordingly

- Name; **Must** be geonode REST role service
- Base Server URL; Must point to the GeoNode instance base URL (e.g. `http://<geonode_host_url>`)
- Roles REST Endpoint; Enter `/api/roles`
- Admin Role REST Endpoint; Enter `/api/adminRole`
- Users REST Endpoint; Enter `/api/users`
- Roles JSON Path; Enter `$.groups`
- Admin Role JSON Path; Enter `$.adminRole`
- Users JSON Path; Enter `$.users[0].groups`

Once everything has been setup and it is working, choose the Administrator role and Group administrator role as `ROLE_ADMIN`

### Allow GeoFence to validate rules with ROLES

**Warning:** The following instruction are different accordingly to the GeoServer version you are currently using.

#### GeoServer 2.9.x and 2.10.x

1. Access the Security > Settings section
2. Choose the geonode REST role service as Active role service

## AuthKEY REST Role Service

Role service from REST endpoint

Settings

Roles

Name

geonode REST role service

Administrator role

ROLE\_ADMIN ▼

Group administrator role

ROLE\_ADMIN ▼

REST Role Service Settings

Base Server URL

http://<geonode\_host\_url>

Roles REST Endpoint

/api/roles

Admin Role REST Endpoint

/api/adminRole

Users REST Endpoint

/api/users

Roles JSON Path





\$.groups

Admin Role JSON Path

\$.adminRole

Users JSON Path

### Security

-  [Settings](#)
-  [Authentication](#)
-  [Passwords](#) Configure global security settings
-  [Users, Groups, Roles](#)
-  [Data](#)

## Security Settings

Configure security settings

Active role service

geonode REST role service ▼  
 default  
 geonode REST role service

☐ Encrypt web admin URL parameters

Password encryption

Weak PBE ▼

⚠ No strong cryptography available

Save

Cancel

### GeoServer 2.12.x and above

With the latest updates to GeoFence Plugin, the latter no more recognizes the Role Service from the default settings but from the `geofence-server.properties` file.

That said, it is important that the Security > Settings role service will be set to **default**, in order to allow GeoServer following the standard authorization chain.

On the other side, you will need to be sure that the `geofence-server.properties` file under the `$GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR/geofence` folder, contains the two following additional properties:

```
gwc.context.suffix=gwc
org.geoserver.rest.DefaultUserGroupName=geonode REST role service
```

### Setup of the GeoServer OAuth2 Authentication Filter

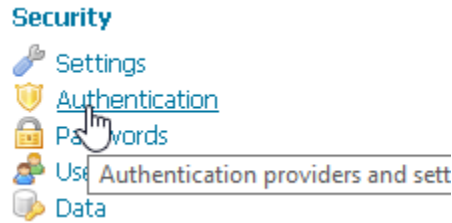
It is necessary now check that GeoServer can connect to OAuth2 Providers (specifically to GeoNode OP), and being able to Authenticate users through it.

### Preliminary checks

- GeoServer is up and running and you have admin rights
- GeoServer must reach the GeoNode instance via HTTP
- OAuth2 Client ID and Client Secret have been generated on GeoNode and known

## Setup of the GeoNode OAuth2 Security Filter

1. Access the Security > Authentication section



2. If **not yet configured** the Authentication Filter `geonode-oauth2` - Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2, click on Authentication Filters > Add new

**Note:** This passage is **not** needed if the `geonode-oauth2` - Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 has been already created. If so it will be displayed among the Authentication Filters list

Authentication Filters ?

[+ Add new](#)  
[- Remove selected](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Type
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">anonymous</a>	Anonymous authentication
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">basic</a>	Basic HTTP authentication
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">form</a>	Form authentication
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">geonode-oauth2</a>	Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">geonodeAnonymousFilter</a>	org.geonode.security.GeoNodeAnonymousProcessingFilter
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">geonodeCookieFilter</a>	org.geonode.security.GeoNodeCookieProcessingFilter
<input type="checkbox"/>	<a href="#">rememberme</a>	Remember me authentication

Results 1 to 7 (out of 7 items)

### Authentication Filters



3. If **not yet configured** the Authentication Filter `geonode-oauth2` - Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2, choose GeoNode OAuth2 - Authenticates by looking up for a valid GeoNode OAuth2 `access_token` key sent as URL parameter

4. Create / update the `geonode-oauth2` - Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 accordingly

- Name; **Must** be `geonode-oauth2`

# New Authentication Filter

Create and configure a new Authentication Filter

[J2EE](#) - Delegates to servlet container for authentication

[GeoNode OAuth2](#) - Authenticates by looking up for a valid GeoNode OAuth2 access\_token key sent as URL parameter

## Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 geonode-oauth2

Authenticates by looking up for a valid GeoNode OAuth2 access\_token key sent as URL parameter

Name	geonode-oauth2	
OAuth2 provider connection		
Enable Redirect Authentication EntryPoint	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Login Authentication EndPoint	/j_spring_oauth2_geonode_login	
Logout Authentication EndPoint	/j_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout	
Force Access Token URI HTTPS Secured Protocol	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Access Token URI		

- **Enable Redirect Authentication EntryPoint;** It is recommended to put this to False, otherwise GeoServer won't allow you to connect to its Admin GUI through the Form but only through GeoNode
- **Login Authentication EndPoint;** Unless you have specific needs, keep the default value `/j_spring_oauth2_geonode_login`
- **Logout Authentication EndPoint;** Unless you have specific needs, keep the default value `/j_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout`
- **Force Access Token URI HTTPS Secured Protocol;** This must be False unless you enabled a Secured Connection on GeoNode. In that case you will need to trust the GeoNode Certificate on the GeoServer JVM Keystore. Please see details below
- **Access Token URI;** Set this to `http://<geonode_host_base_url>/o/token/`
- **Force User Authorization URI HTTPS Secured Protocol;** This must be False unless you enabled a Secured Connection on GeoNode. In that case you will need to trust the GeoNode Certificate on the GeoServer JVM Keystore. Please see details below
- **User Authorization URI;** Set this to `http://<geonode_host_base_url>/o/authorize/`
- **Redirect URI;** Set this to `http://<geoserver_host>/geoserver`. This address **must** be present on the Redirect uris of GeoNode OAuth2 > Applications > GeoServer (see above)
- **Check Token Endpoint URL;** Set this to `http://<geonode_host_base_url>/api/o/v4/tokeninfo/`
- **Logout URI;** Set this to `http://<geonode_host_base_url>/account/logout/`

- **Scopes**; Unless you have specific needs, keep the default value `read,write,groups`
- **Client ID**; The Client id alphanumeric key generated by the GeoNode OAuth2 > Applications > GeoServer (see above)
- **Client Secret**; The Client secret alphanumeric key generated by the GeoNode OAuth2 > Applications > GeoServer (see above)
- **Role source**; In order to authorize the user against GeoNode, choose `Role service > geonode REST role service`

## Configuration of the GeoServer Filter Chains

The following steps ensure GeoServer can adopt more Authentication methods. As stated above, it is possible to Authenticate to GeoServer using different protocols.

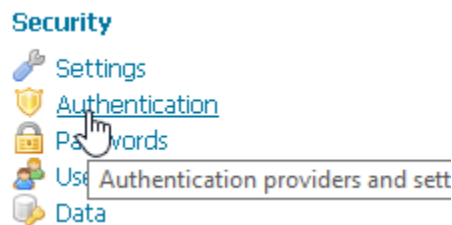
GeoServer scans the authentication filters chain associated to the specified path and tries them one by one sequentially. The first one matching the protocol and able to grant access to the user, breaks the cycle by creating a `User Principal` and injecting it into the `GeoServer SecurityContext`. The Authentication process, then, ends here and the control goes to the Authorization one, which will try to retrieve the authenticated user's Roles through the available GeoServer Role Services associated to the Authentication Filter that granted the access.

## Preliminary checks

- GeoServer is up and running and you have admin rights
- GeoServer must reach the GeoNode instance via HTTP
- The `geonode-oauth2 - Authentication` using a `GeoNode OAuth2 Authentication Filter` and the `geonode REST role service` have been correctly configured

## Setup of the GeoServer Filter Chains

1. Access the `Security > Authentication` section



2. Identify the section `Filter Chains`
3. Make sure the web Filter Chain is configured as shown below

**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.

## Filter Chains

[+ Add service chain](#)

[+ Add HTML chain](#)

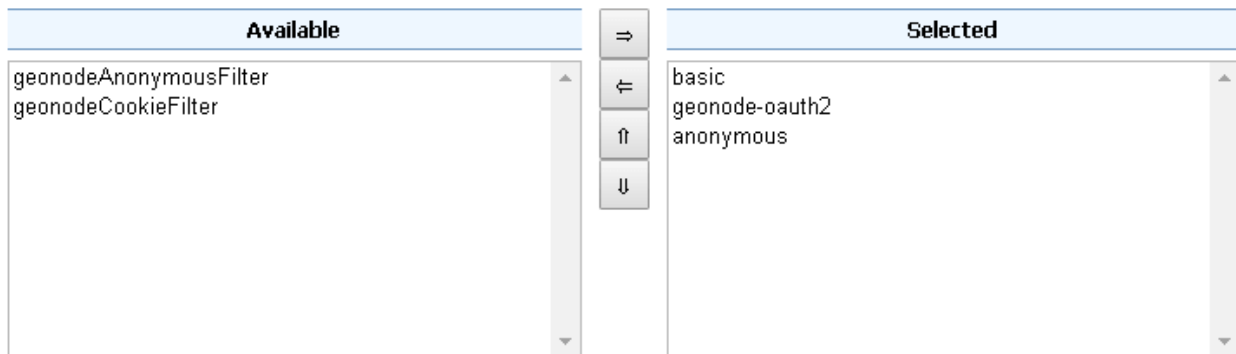
Position	Name	Patterns
	web	/web/**,/gwc/rest/web/**,/
	webLogin	/j_spring_security_check,/j_spring_security_check/,/
	webLogout	/j_spring_security_logout,/j_spring_security_logout/,/
	rest	/rest/**
	gwc	/gwc/rest/**
	default	/**

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[>>](#)
 Results 1 to 6 (out of 6 items)

Available		Selected
basic geonodeAnonymousFilter geonodeCookieFilter	<div>⇒</div> <div>⇐</div> <div>↑</div> <div>↓</div>	geonode-oauth2 rememberme form anonymous



4. Make sure the rest Filter Chain is configured as shown below



**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.



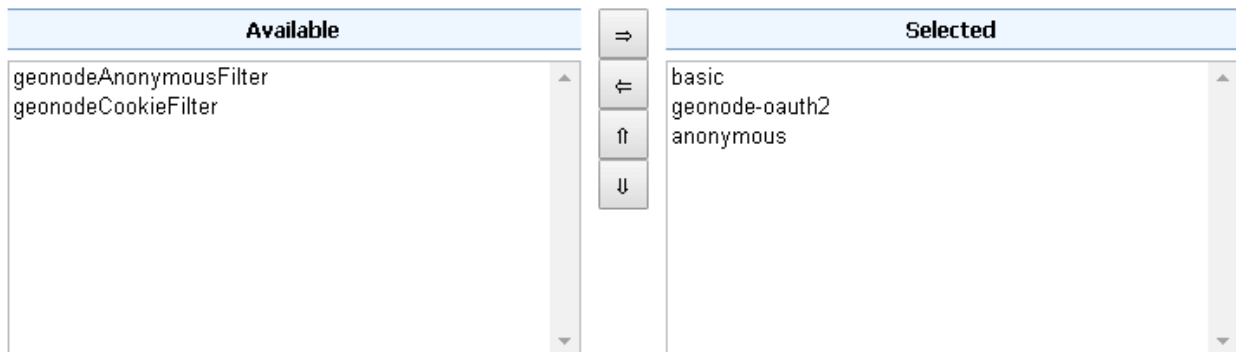
5. Make sure the gwc Filter Chain is configured as shown below

Available		Selected
anonymous geonodeAnonymousFilter geonodeCookieFilter	⇒ ⇐ ↑ ↓	basic geonode-oauth2

**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.



6. Make sure the default Filter Chain is configured as shown below



**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.



7. Add the GeoNode Login Endpoints to the comma-delimited list of the webLogin Filter Chain

## Filter chain

Configure an individual filter chain

### Chain settings

Name

Comma delimited list of ANT patterns (with optional query string)

☐ Disable security for this chain

☐ Allow creation of an HTTP session for storing the authentication token

☐ Accept only SSL requests

Role filter

**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.



8. Add the GeoNode Logout Endpoints to the comma-delimited list of the webLogout Filter Chain

## Filter chain

Configure an individual filter chain

### Chain settings

Name

Comma delimited list of ANT patterns (with optional query string)

- ☐ Disable security for this chain
- ☐ Allow creation of an HTTP session for storing the authentication
- ☐ Accept only SSL requests

Role filter

**Warning:** Every time you modify a Filter Chain, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.



9. Add the GeoNode Logout Endpoints to the comma-delimited list of the formLogoutChain XML node in `<GEOSERVER_DATA_DIR>/security/filter/formLogout/config.xml`

You will need a text editor to modify the file.

**Note:** If the `<formLogoutChain>` XML node does not exist at all, create a **new one** as specified below

```
<logoutFilter>
...
<redirectURL>/web/</redirectURL>
<formLogoutChain>/j_spring_security_logout/,/j_spring_security_logout/,/j_
spring_oauth2_geonode_logout/,/j_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout/</
formLogoutChain>
</logoutFilter>
```

**Warning:** The value `j_spring_oauth2_geonode_logout` **must** be the same specified as Logout Authentication EndPoint in the geonode-oauth2 - Authentication using a GeoNode OAuth2 above.

## Setup and test of the GeoFence Server and Default Rules

In order to work correctly, GeoServer needs the [GeoFence Embedded Server](#) plugin to be installed and configured on the system.

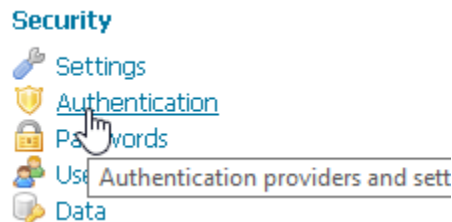
The GeoServer configuration provided for GeoNode, has the plugin already installed with a default configuration. In that case double check that the plugin works correctly and the default rules have been setup by following the next steps.

### Preliminary checks

- GeoServer is up and running and you have admin rights
- The [GeoFence Embedded Server](#) plugin has been installed on GeoServer

### Setup of the GeoServer Filter Chains

1. Access the Security > Authentication section



2. Identify the section Authentication Providers and make sure the geofence Authentication Provider is present

Authentication Providers ?

+ Add new - Remove selected

Search

<input type="checkbox"/> Name	Type
<input type="checkbox"/> default	Basic username/password authentication
<input type="checkbox"/> geofence	org.geoserver.geoserver.authentication.auth.GeoFenceAuthenticationProvider
<input type="checkbox"/> geonodeAuthProvider	org.geonode.security.GeoNodeAuthenticationProvider

<< < 1 > >> Results 1 to 3 (out of 3 items)

3. Make sure the Provider Chain is configured as shown below

**Warning:** Every time you modify an Authentication Providers, **don't forget to save** the Authentication settings. This **must** be done for **each** change.

## Provider Chain

Available		Selected
geonodeAuthProvider	⇒ ⇐ ↑ ↓	default geofence

☐ geofence org.geoserver.geoserver.auth
   
☒ geonodeAuthProvider org.geonode.security.GeoNode

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**Provider Chain**

Available	
geonodeAuthProvider	⇒ ⇐ ↑ ↓

## Setup of the GeoFence Server and Rules

1. Make sure GeoFence server works and the default settings are correctly configured
  - Access the Security > GeoFence section
  - Make sure the Options are configured as follows and the server works well when performing a Test Connection
    - Allow remote and inline layers in SLD; Set it to True
    - Allow SLD and SLD\_BODY parameters in requests; Set it to True

### Security

-  Settings
-  Authentication
-  Passwords
-  Users, Groups, Roles
-  Data
-  Services
-  WPS security
-  [GeoFence](#)
-  [GeoFence Data Rules](#)
-  [GeoFence Admin Page](#)

Connection successful

## GeoFence Admin Page

GeoFence options Administration Page

### General settings

GeoServer Instance name for GeoFence

GeoFence services URL (GeoServer restart is required if changed)

[Test Connection](#)

### Options

- ☒ Allow remote and inline layers in SLD
- ☒ Allow SLD and SLD\_BODY parameters in requests
- ☒ Authenticated users can write
- ☐ Use GeoServer roles to get authorizations

- Authenticated users can write; Set it to True
- Use GeoServer roles to get authorizations; Set it to False

## 2. Check the GeoFence default Rules

- Access the Security > GeoFence Data Rules section



- Make sure the DENY ALL Rule is present by default, otherwise your data will be accessible to everyone

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**Note:** This rule is **always** the last one

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## GeoFence Data Rules

Configure data rules for the internal GeoFence server.

- Add new rule
- Remove selected rules

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<input type="checkbox"/>	P	Role	User	Service	Request	Workspace	Layer	Access	
<input type="checkbox"/>		*	*	*	*	*	*	DENY	
<div> <span>&lt;&lt;</span> <span>&lt;</span> <span>1</span> <span>&gt;</span> <span>&gt;&gt;</span> Results 1 to 1 (out of 1 items) </div>									

**Warning:** If that rule does not exists **at the very bottom** (this rule is **always** the last one), add it manually.

- Access the Security > GeoFence Admin Rules section
- No Rules needed here



## GeoFence Admin Rules

Configure admin rules for the internal GeoFence server.

- Add new rule
- Remove selected rules

<<	<	>	>>	Results 0 to 0 (out of 0 items)	Search
<input type="checkbox"/>	P	Role	User	Workspace	Access
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## Troubleshooting and Advanced Features

### Common Issues and Fixes

- GeoServer/GeoNode OAuth2 does not authenticate as Administrator even using GeoNode admin users

#### Symptoms

When trying to authenticate with an admin user using OAuth2, the process correctly redirects to GeoServer page but I'm not a GeoServer Administrator.

#### Cause

That means that somehow GeoServer could not successfully complete the Authorization and Authentication process.

The possible causes of the problem may be the following ones:

1. The OAuth2 Authentication fails on GeoServer side

This is usually due to an exception while trying to complete the Authentication process.

- A typical cause is that GeoServer tries to use HTTPS connections but the GeoNode certificate is not trusted;

In that case please refer to the section below. Also take a look at the logs (in particular the GeoServer one) as explained in `debug_geonode`. The GeoServer logs should contain a detailed Exception explaining the cause

of the problem. If no exception is listed here (even after raised the log level to *DEBUG*), try to check for the GeoNode Role Service as explained below.

- Another possible issue is that somehow the OAuth2 handshake cannot complete successfully;

1. Login into GeoServer as administrator through its WEB login form.
2. Double check that all the `geonode-oauth2 - Authentication` using a GeoNode OAuth2 parameters are correct. If everything is ok, take a look at the logs (in particular the GeoServer one) as explained in `debug_geonode`. The GeoServer logs should contain a detailed Exception explaining the cause of the problem. If no exception is listed here (even after raised the log level to *DEBUG*), try to check for the GeoNode Role Service as explained below.

2. GeoServer is not able to retrieve the user Role from a Role Service

Always double check both HTTP Server and GeoServer log as specified in section `debug_geonode`. This might directly guide you to the cause of the problem.

- Check that the GeoServer host is granted to access GeoNode Role Service REST APIs in the `AUTH_IP_WHITELIST` of the `settings.py`
- Check that the `geonode REST role service` is the default Role service and that the GeoServer OAuth2 Plugin has been configured to use it by default
- Check that the GeoNode REST Role Service APIs are functional and produce correct JSON.

This is possible by using simple `cUrl` GET calls like

```
curl http://localhost/api/adminRole
$> {"adminRole": "admin"}

curl http://localhost/api/users
$> {"users": [{"username": "AnonymousUser", "groups": ["anonymous"]}, {"username": "afabiani", "groups": ["anonymous", "test"]}, {"username": "admin", "groups": ["anonymous", "test", "admin"]}]}

curl http://localhost/api/roles
$> {"groups": ["anonymous", "test", "admin"]}

curl http://localhost/api/users/admin
$> {"users": [{"username": "admin", "groups": ["anonymous", "test", "admin"]}]}
↪
```

## How to setup HTTPS secured endpoints

In a production system it is a good practice to encrypt the connection between GeoServer and GeoNode. That would be possible by enabling HTTPS Protocol on the GeoNode REST Role Service APIs and OAuth2 Endpoints.

Most of the times you will rely on a self-signed HTTPS connection using a generated certificate. That makes the connection *untrusted* and you will need to tell to the GeoServer Java Virtual Machine to trust it.

This can be done by following the steps below.

For any issue take a look at the logs (in particular the GeoServer one) as explained in `debug_geonode`. The GeoServer logs should contain a detailed Exception explaining the cause of the problem.

## SSL Trusted Certificates

When using a custom `Keystore` or trying to access a non-trusted or self-signed SSL-protected OAuth2 Provider from a non-SSH connection, you will need to add the certificates to the JVM `Keystore`.

In order to do this you can follow the next steps:

In this example we are going to

1. Retrieve SSL Certificate from GeoNode domain:

“Access Token URI” = `https://<geonode_host_base_url>/o/token/` therefore we need to trust `https://<geonode_host_base_url>` or `(<geonode_host_base_url>:443)`

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**Note:** You will need to get and trust certificates from every different HTTPS URL used on OAuth2 Endpoints.

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2. Store SSL Certificates on local hard-disk
3. Add SSL Certificates to the Java Keystore
4. Enable the JVM to check for SSL Certificates from the Keystore

1. Retrieve the SSL Certificate from GeoNode domain

Use the `openssl` command in order to dump the certificate

For `https://<geonode_host_base_url>`

```
openssl s_client -connect <geonode_host_base_url>:443
```

2. Store SSL Certificate on local hard-disk

Copy-and-paste the section `-BEGIN CERTIFICATE-`, `-END CERTIFICATE-` and save it into a `.cert` file

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**Note:** `.cert` file are plain text files containing the ASCII characters included on the `-BEGIN CERTIFICATE-`, `-END CERTIFICATE-` sections

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`geonode.cert` (or whatever name you want with `.cert` extension)

3. Add SSL Certificates to the Java Keystore

You can use the Java command `keytool` like this

`geonode.cert` (or whatever name you want with `.cert` extension)

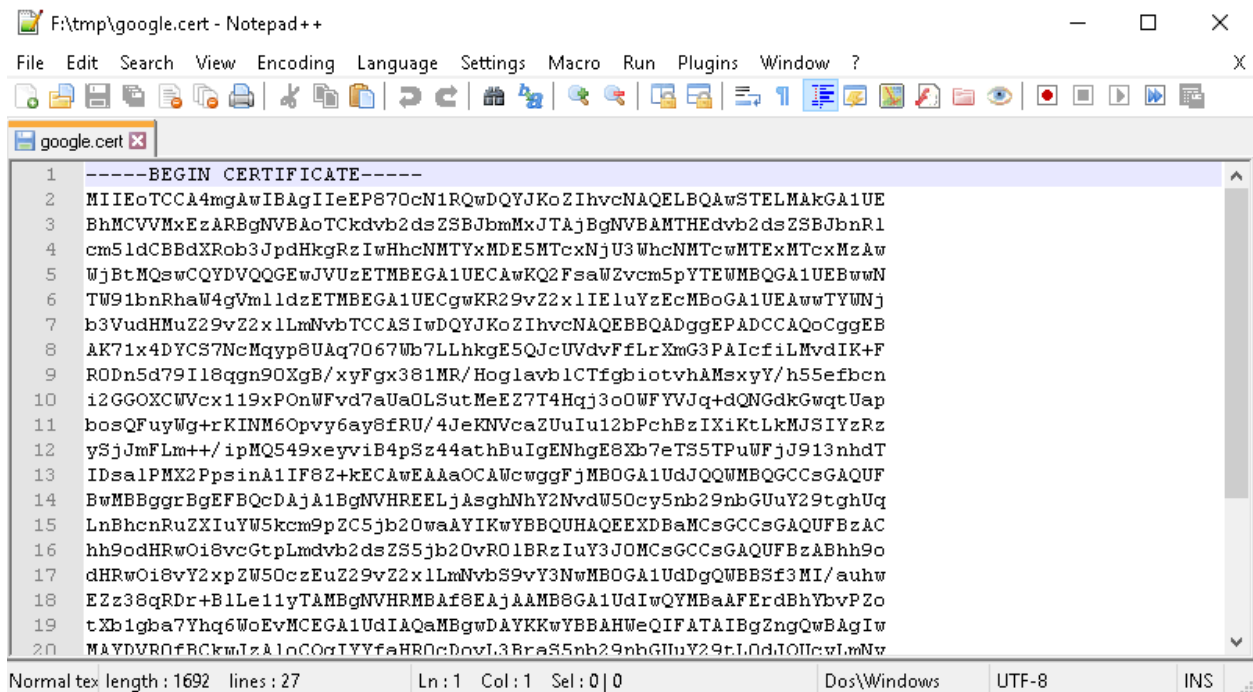
```

Loading 'screen' into random state - done
CONNECTED(00000188)
depth=3 C = US, O = Equifax, OU = Equifax Secure Certificate Authority
verify return:1
depth=2 C = US, O = GeoTrust Inc., CN = GeoTrust Global CA
verify return:1
depth=1 C = US, O = Google Inc, CN = Google Internet Authority G2
verify return:1
depth=0 C = US, ST = California, L = Mountain View, O = Google Inc, CN = accounts.google.com
verify return:1

Certificate chain
 0 s:/C=US/ST=California/L=Mountain View/O=Google Inc/CN=accounts.google.com
 i:/C=US/O=Google Inc/CN=Google Internet Authority G2
 1 s:/C=US/O=Google Inc/CN=Google Internet Authority G2
 i:/C=US/O=GeoTrust Inc./CN=GeoTrust Global CA
 2 s:/C=US/O=GeoTrust Inc./CN=GeoTrust Global CA
 i:/C=US/O=Equifax/OU=Equifax Secure Certificate Authority

Server certificate
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE-----
MIIEoTCCA4mgAwIBAgIIeEP870cN1RQwDQYJKoZIhvcNAQELBQAwSTELMAkGA1UE
BhMCVVMxEzARBgNVBAoTCKdvb2dsZSBjb250bWxJTAJBgNVBAMTHEdvb2dsZSBjb250bWxJ
cm5ldCBkdXRob3RpdHkgRzIwHhcNMjYxMDE5MTcxNjU3WWhcNMjYxMDE5MTcxMzAw
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TW91bnRhaW4gVmlldzETMBEGA1UECgwKR29vZ2x1IEluYzEzMBoGA1UEAwwTYWNj
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BwMBBggrBgEFBQcDAjA1BgNVHREELjAsghNhY2NvdW50cy5nb29nbGUuY292tghUq

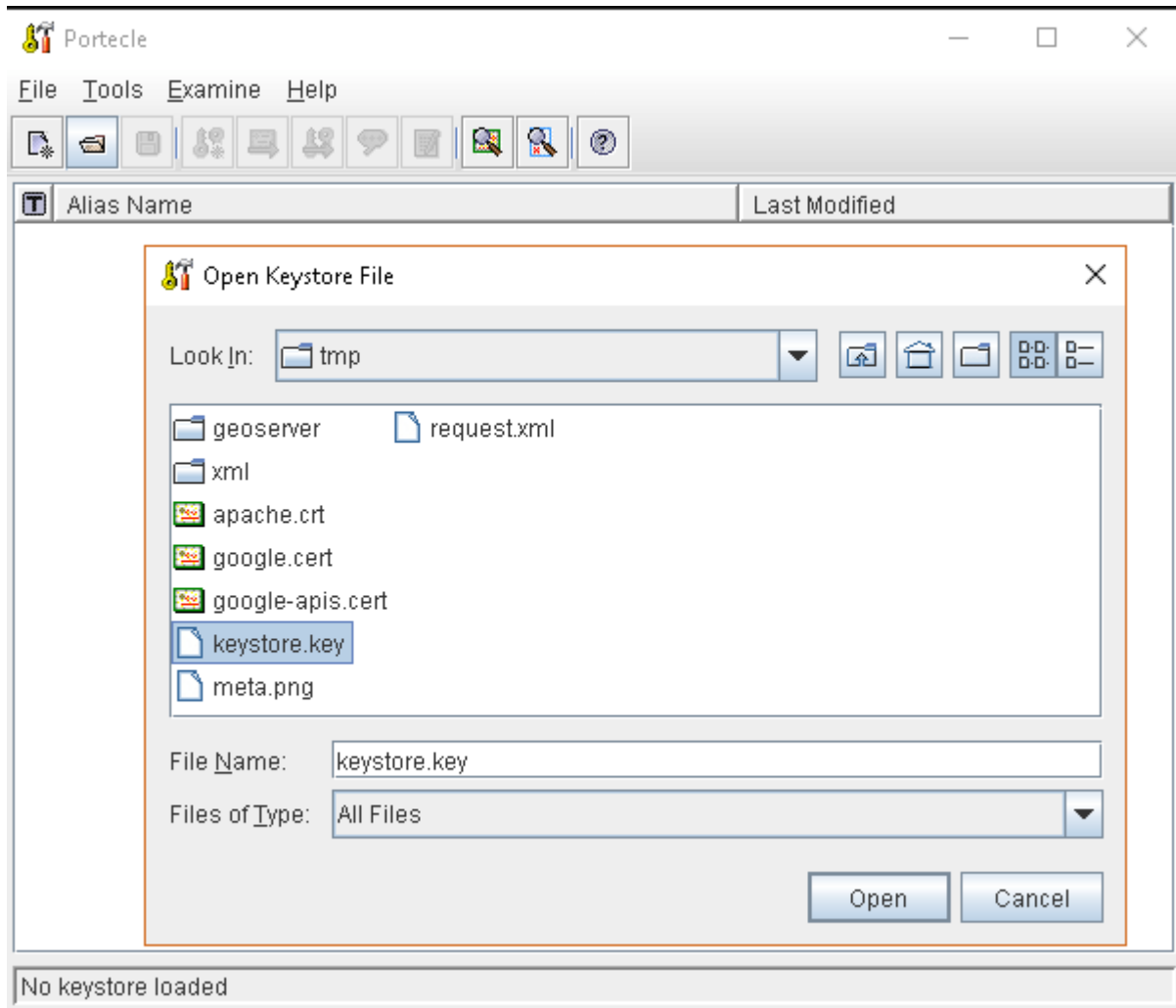
```



```
keytool -import -noprompt -trustcacerts -alias geonode -
↪file geonode.cert -keystore ${KEYSTOREFILE} -storepass $
↪${KEYSTOREPASS}
```

or, alternatively, you can use some graphic tool which helps you managing the SSL Certificates and Keystores, like [Portecle](#)

```
java -jar c:\apps\portecle-1.9\portecle.jar
```



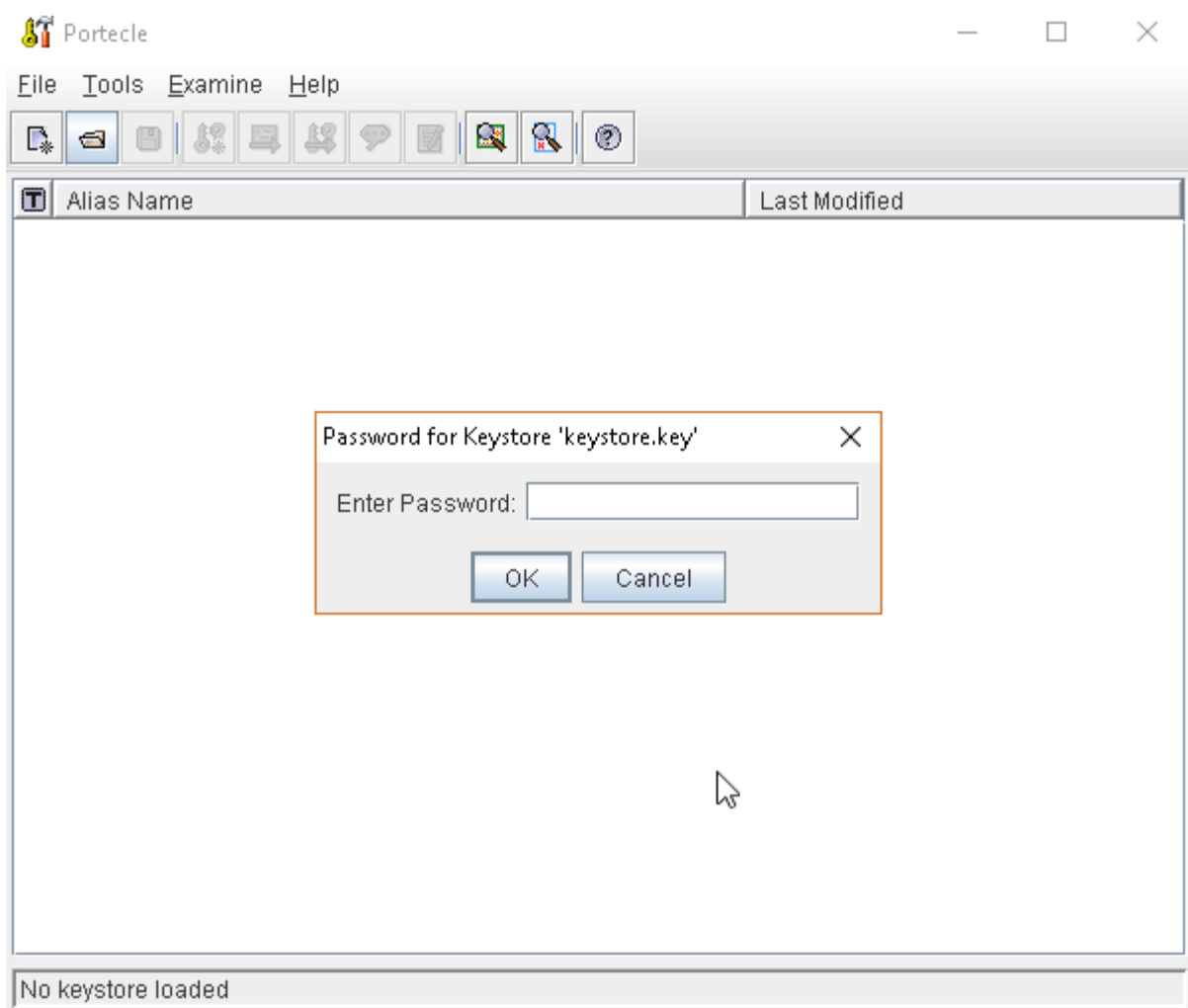
4. Enable the JVM to check for SSL Certificates from the Keystore

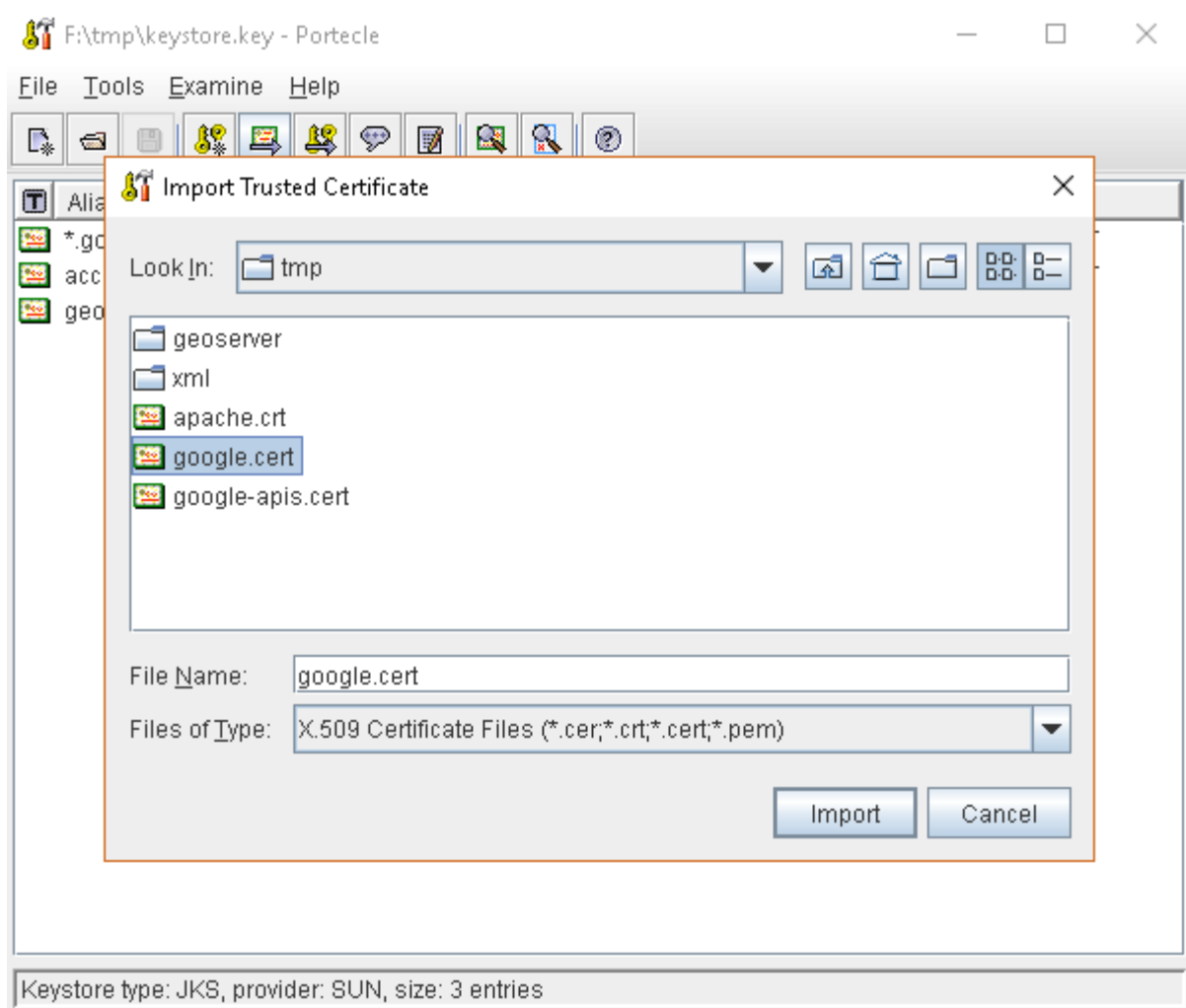
In order to do this, you need to pass a `JAVA_OPTION` to your JVM:

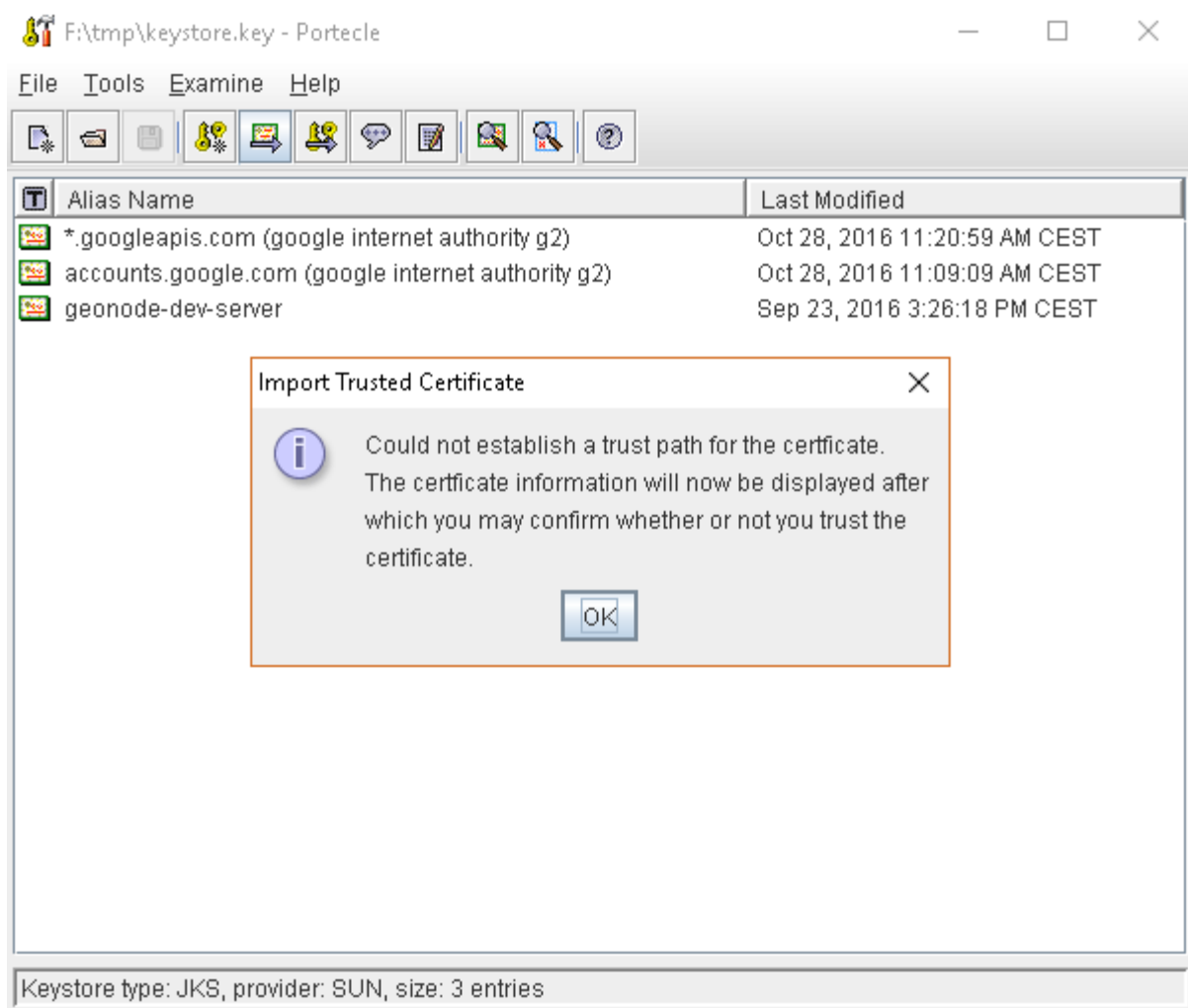
```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStore=F:\tmp\keystore.key
```

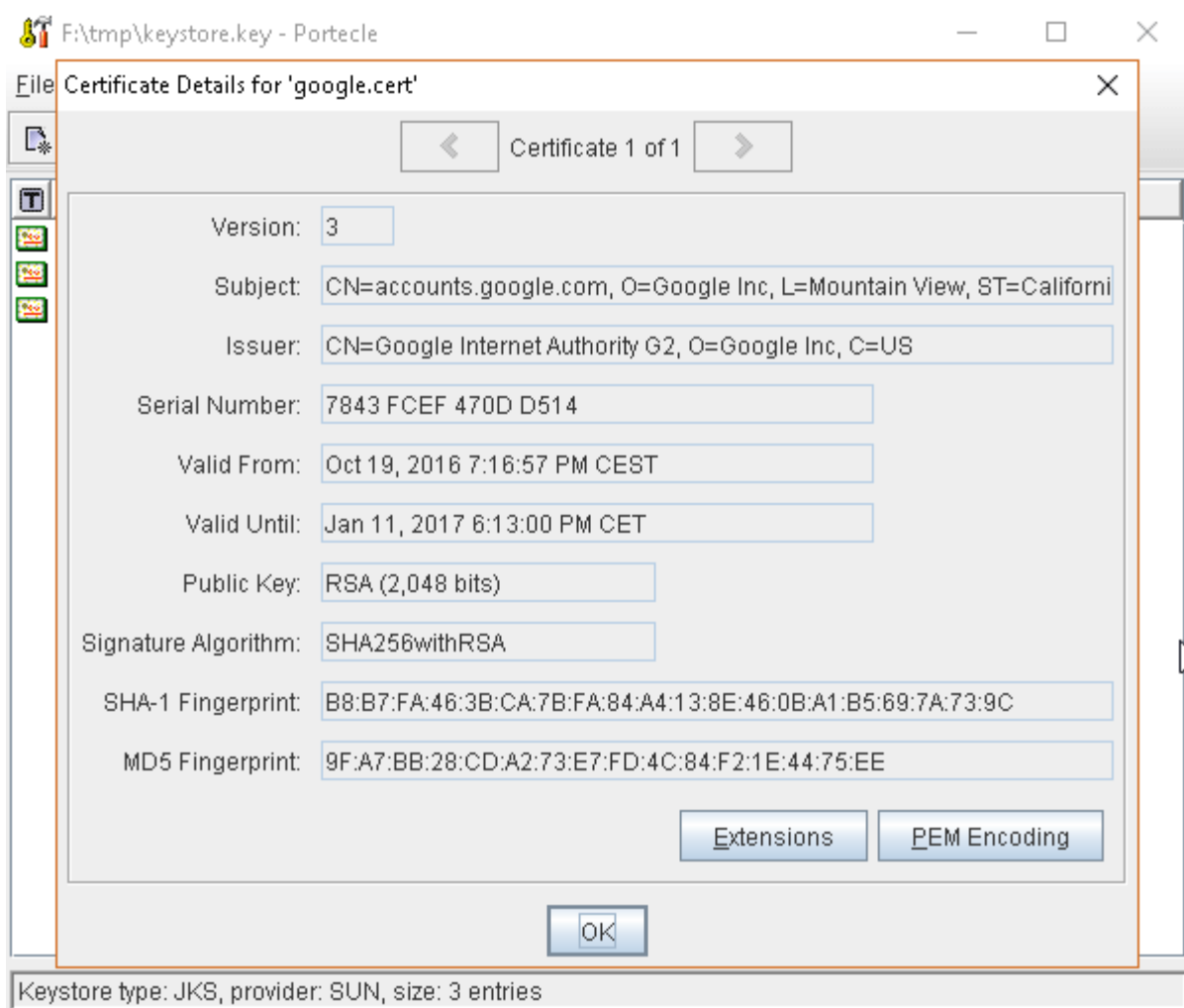
5. Restart your server

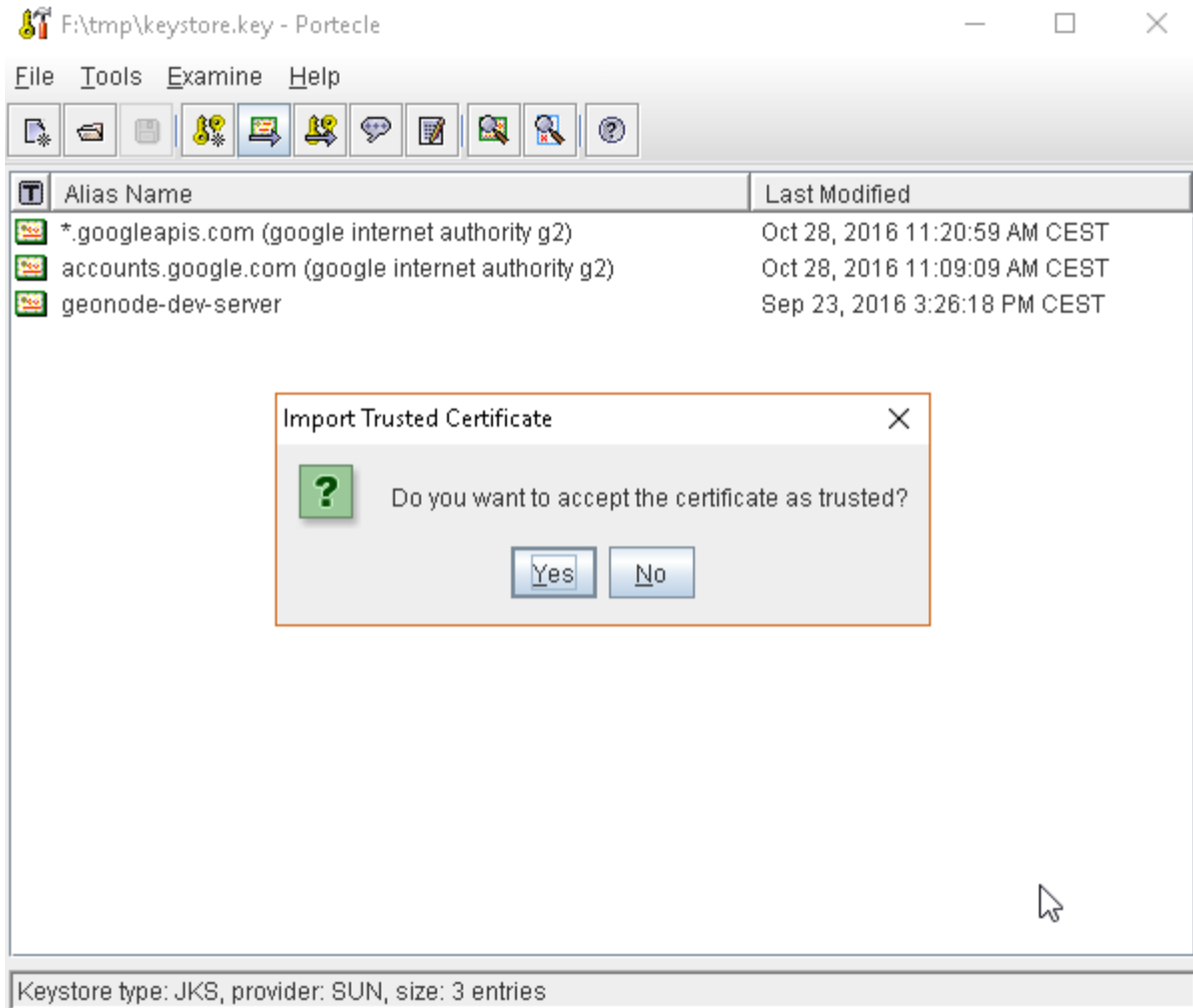
**Note:** Here below you can find a bash script which simplifies the Keystore SSL Certificates importing. Use it at your convenience.

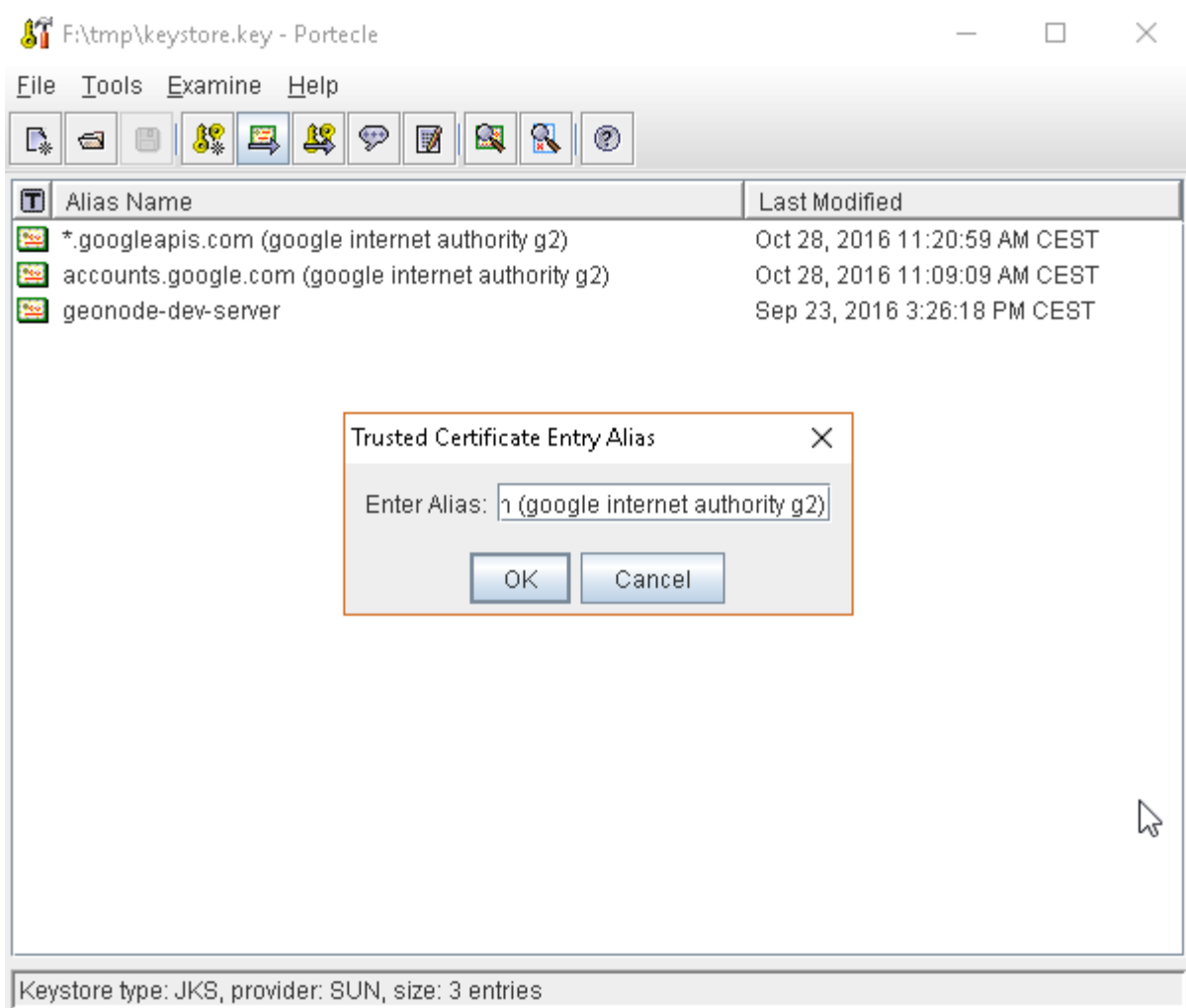


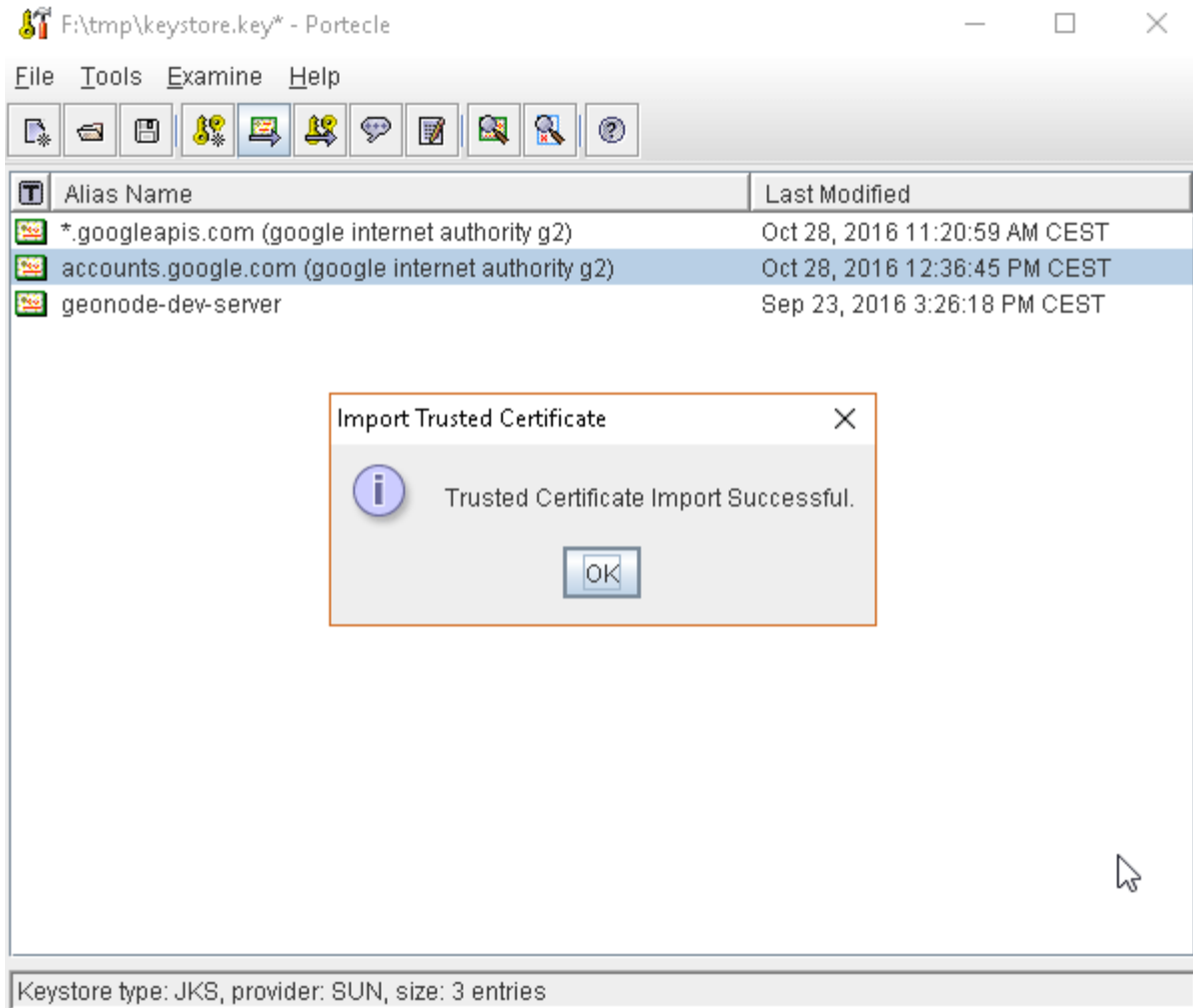


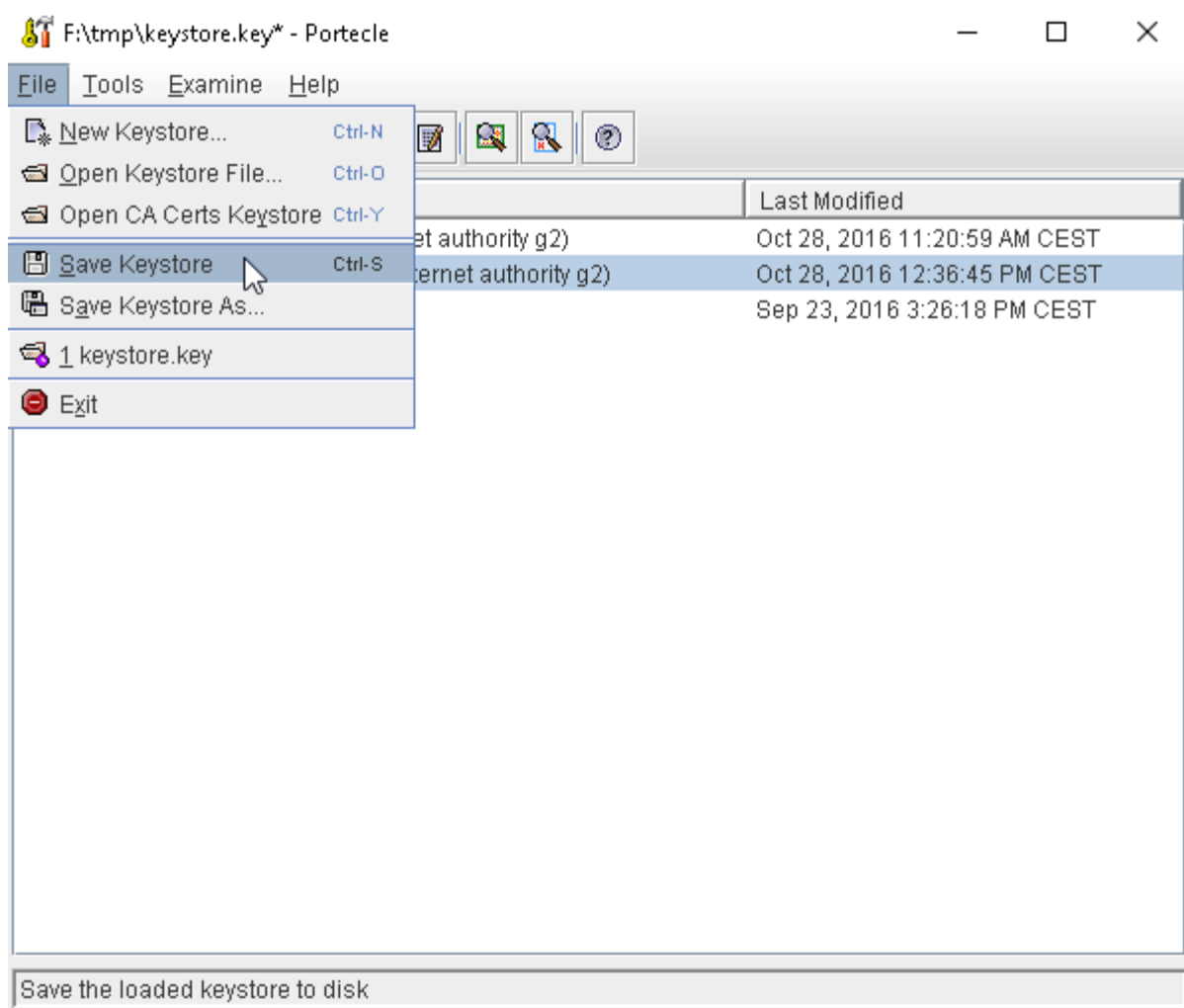












```

HOST=myhost.example.com
PORT=443
KEYSTOREFILE=dest_keystore
KEYSTOREPASS=changeme

get the SSL certificate
openssl s_client -connect ${HOST}:${PORT} </dev/null \
 | sed -ne '/-BEGIN CERTIFICATE-/,/-END CERTIFICATE-/p' > ${HOST}.cert

create a keystore and import certificate
keytool -import -noprompt -trustcacerts \
 -alias ${HOST} -file ${HOST}.cert \
 -keystore ${KEYSTOREFILE} -storepass ${KEYSTOREPASS}

verify we've got it.
keytool -list -v -keystore ${KEYSTOREFILE} -storepass ${KEYSTOREPASS} -alias ${HOST}

```

## GeoFence Advanced Features

### GeoFence Rules Management and Tutorials

- This [tutorial](#) shows how to install and configure the Geofence Internal Server plug-in. It shows how to create rules in two ways: using the GUI and REST methods.
- GeoFence Rules can be created / updated / deleted through a REST API, accessible only by a GeoServer Admin user. You can find more details on how the GeoFence REST API works [here](#).

### GeoFence Rules Storage Configuration

By default GeoFence is configured to use a filesystem based DB stored on the GeoServer Data Dir <GEOSERVER\_DATA\_DIR/geofence.

- It is possible also to configure GeoFence in order to use an external PostgreSQL / PostGIS Database. For more details please refer to the official GeoFence documentation [here](#).

#### 1. Add Java Libraries to GeoServer

```

wget --no-check-certificate "https://maven.geo-solutions.it/org/
↳hibernatespatial/hibernate-spatial-postgis/1.1.3.2/hibernate-spatial-
↳postgis-1.1.3.2.jar" -O hibernate-spatial-postgis-1.1.3.2.jar
wget --no-check-certificate "https://repo1.maven.org/maven2/org/postgis/
↳postgis-jdbc/1.3.3/postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar" -O postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar

cp hibernate-spatial-postgis-1.1.3.2.jar <GEOSERVER_WEBAPP_DIR>/WEB-INF/lib
cp postgis-jdbc-1.3.3.jar <GEOSERVER_WEBAPP_DIR>/WEB-INF/lib

restart geoserver

```

2. Either create a DB with the updated schema here [https://github.com/geoserver/geofence/blob/master/doc/setup/sql/002\\_create\\_schema\\_postgres.sql](https://github.com/geoserver/geofence/blob/master/doc/setup/sql/002_create_schema_postgres.sql) or enable the hbm2ddl auto creation through the configuration file (see step 3)

**Note:** Notice that “update” also creates the tables if they do not exist. In production, however, I would suggest to change it to “validate”

```
If you want to create a new DB for GeoFence
sudo -u postgres createdb -O geonode geofence; \
sudo -u postgres psql -d geofence -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'; \
sudo -u postgres psql -d geofence -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO_
↳PUBLIC;'; \
sudo -u postgres psql -d geofence -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO_
↳PUBLIC;'; \
sudo -u postgres psql -d geofence -c 'GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON ALL TABLES_
↳IN SCHEMA public TO geonode;'
```

3. Add configuration similar to geofence-datasource-ovr.properties sample below (if loaded as GeoServer extension)

<GEOSERVER\_DATA\_DIR>/geofence/geofence-datasource-ovr.properties

```
/* (c) 2019 Open Source Geospatial Foundation - all rights reserved
* This code is licensed under the GPL 2.0 license, available at the root
* application directory.
*/
#
geofenceVendorAdapter.databasePlatform=org.hibernate.spatial.postgis.
↳PostgisDialect
geofenceDataSource.driverClassName=org.postgresql.Driver
geofenceDataSource.url=jdbc:postgresql://localhost:5432/geofence
geofenceDataSource.username=postgres
geofenceDataSource.password=postgres
geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.default_
↳schema]=public

#####
↳#####
Other setup entries
#####
↳#####
hbm2ddl.auto may assume one of these values:
- validate: validates the DB schema at startup against the internal_
↳model. May fail on oracle spatial.
- update: updates the schema, according to the internal model. Updating_
↳automatically the production DB is dangerous.
- create-drop: drop the existing schema and recreates it according to_
↳the internal model. REALLY DANGEROUS, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR DATA.
You may want not to redefine the property entirely, in order to leave_
↳the default value (no action).

geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.hbm2ddl.auto]=update
geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[javax.persistence.validation.
↳mode]=none
geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.validator.apply_to_
↳ddl]=false
```

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```

geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.validator.
→autoregister_listeners]=false

##
ShowSQL is set to true in the configuration file; putting showsql=false.
→in
this file, you can easily check that this override file has been.
→properly applied.

geofenceVendorAdapter.generateDdl=false
geofenceVendorAdapter.showSql=false

Set to "true" in specific use cases
workspaceConfigOpts.showDefaultGroups=false

#####
→####
Disable second level cache.
This is needed in a geofence-clustered environment.

#geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.cache.use_second_
→level_cache]=false

#####
→####
Use external ehcache configuration file.
Useful to change cache settings, for example diskStore path.
#geofenceEntityManagerFactory.jpaPropertyMap[hibernate.cache.provider_
→configuration_file_resource_path]=file:/path/to/geofence-ehcache-
→override.xml

```

## 1.20 Hardening GeoNode

### 1.20.1 Publish on other than HTTP port (for e.g. 8082)

By default geonode will be installed in the port 80 (i.e. HTTP) port. But what if you want to change the port of the geonode to other than HTTP port (For this example, I am taking 8082 port)? We need to edit couple of things in the web configuration. First things is, we need to update the `/etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini` file,

```
sudo vi /etc/uwsgi/apps-enabled/geonode.ini
```

Edit the following lines,

```

env = SITE_HOST_NAME=localhost:8082
env = SITEURL=http://localhost:8082

SITE_HOST_NAME=localhost
SITE_HOST_PORT=8082

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```
GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=http://localhost:8082/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://localhost:8082/geoserver/
```

After that we need to update the `/etc/nginx/sites-enabled/geonode` file,

```
sudo vi /etc/nginx/sites-enabled/geonode
```

Edit the following lines,

```
server {
 listen 8082 default_server;
 listen [::]:8082 default_server;
```

## 1.21 Social Login

### 1.21.1 GeoNode Social Accounts

#### Contents

- *GeoNode Social Accounts*
  - *Allow GeoNode to Login throguh Social Accounts (Facebook and LinkedIn)*
    - \* *Base concepts and objects*
    - \* *Installation*
    - \* *Configuration*
    - \* *Usage*
      - *LinkedIn Application*
      - *Facebook Application*
    - \* *Login by using Existing Accounts on GeoNode*

#### Allow GeoNode to Login throguh Social Accounts (Facebook and LinkedIn)

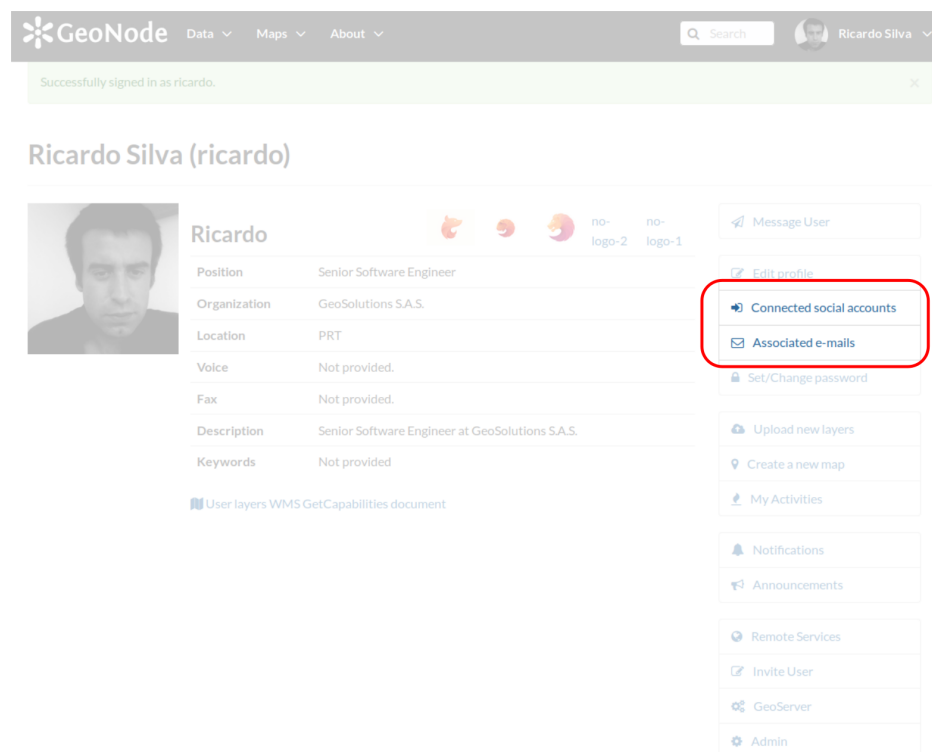
##### Base concepts and objects

In order to harmonize the various authentication flows between local accounts and remote social accounts, the whole user registration and authentication codebase has been refactored.

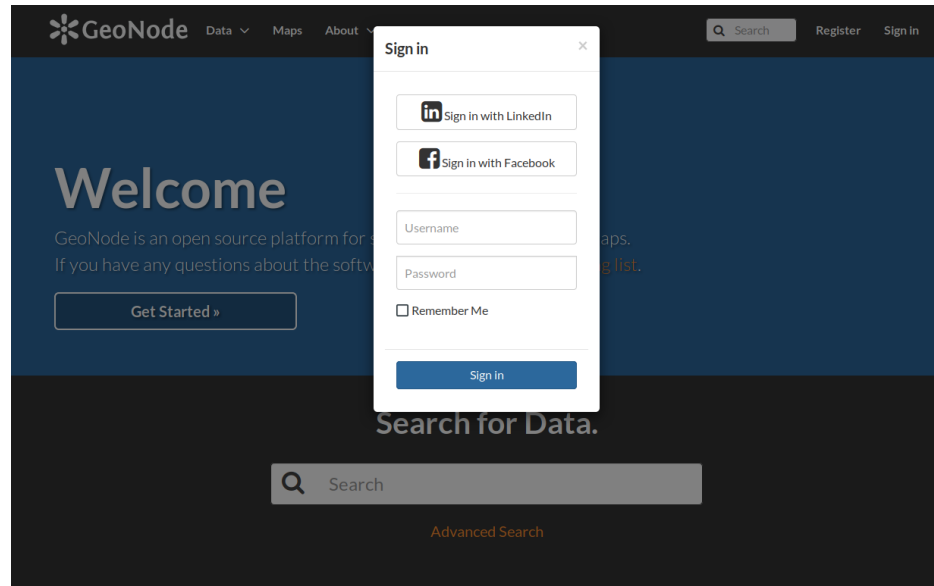
Major changes:

- `geonode-user-accounts` has been retired and is not used anymore. This app was only capable of managing local accounts;
- `django-allauth` has been integrated as a dependency of `geonode`. It provides a solution for managing both local and remote user accounts. It is now used for dealing with most user registration and auth flows;

- `django-invitations` has also been integrated as a dependency of geonode and is used for managing invitations to new users. This functionality was previously provided by `geonode-user-accounts`;
- `django-allauth` has been extended in order to provide the following additional features:
  - Automatically registering an e-mail with a user when the e-mail is used to connect to a social account;
  - Automatically extract information from the user's social account and use that to enhance the user's profile fields on geonode. This was implemented in a pluggable way, allowing custom installs to configure it for other providers;
  - Allow approval of new registrations by staff members before allowing new users to login. This functionality was previously provided by `geonode-user-accounts`.
- There are now extra sections on the user's profile to manage connected social accounts and e-mail accounts



- When properly configured, the login and register pages now display the possibility to login with social accounts



## Installation

- Install the new allauth plugin and remove any of the old dependencies

```
pip install -r requirements.txt --upgrade
pip install -e . --upgrade --no-cache
pip uninstall geonode-user-accounts -y
pip uninstall django-user-accounts -y
```

- ensure sure the Django model is updated and the templates updated to the static folder

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python -W ignore manage.py
↪ makemigrations
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python -W ignore manage.py
↪ migrate
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python -W ignore manage.py
↪ collectstatic --noinput
```

- ensure that Social Providers are enabled in your settings:

```
prevent signing up by default
ACCOUNT_OPEN_SIGNUP = True
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_REQUIRED = True
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_VERIFICATION = 'optional'
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_EMAIL = True
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_CONFIRMATION_REQUIRED = True
ACCOUNT_CONFIRM_EMAIL_ON_GET = True
ACCOUNT_APPROVAL_REQUIRED = True

SOCIALACCOUNT_ADAPTER = 'geonode.people.adapters.SocialAccountAdapter'

SOCIALACCOUNT_AUTO_SIGNUP = False
```

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```

INSTALLED_APPS += (
 'allauth.socialaccount.providers.linkedin_oauth2',
 'allauth.socialaccount.providers.facebook',
)

SOCIALACCOUNT_PROVIDERS = {
 'linkedin_oauth2': {
 'SCOPE': [
 'r_emailaddress',
 'r_basicprofile',
],
 'PROFILE_FIELDS': [
 'emailAddress',
 'firstName',
 'headline',
 'id',
 'industry',
 'lastName',
 'pictureUrl',
 'positions',
 'publicProfileUrl',
 'location',
 'specialties',
 'summary',
]
 },
 'facebook': {
 'METHOD': 'oauth2',
 'SCOPE': [
 'email',
 'public_profile',
],
 'FIELDS': [
 'id',
 'email',
 'name',
 'first_name',
 'last_name',
 'verified',
 'locale',
 'timezone',
 'link',
 'gender',
]
 },
}

Comment out this in case you want to disable Social login
SOCIALACCOUNT_PROFILE_EXTRACTORS = {
 "facebook": "geonode.people.profileextractors.FacebookExtractor",
 "linkedin_oauth2": "geonode.people.profileextractors.LinkedInExtractor
→",

```

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}

## Configuration

1. Go to GeoNode/Django Admin Dashboard and add the Social Apps you want to configure:

admin/socialaccount/socialapp/

**Django administration**

Home > Social Accounts > Social applications

### Select social application to change

Action:   0 of 2 selected

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Provider
<input type="checkbox"/>	Facebook	Facebook
<input type="checkbox"/>	LinkedIn	LinkedIn

2 social applications

- LinkedIn

### Change social application

**Provider:**

**Name:**

**Client id:**   
App ID, or consumer key

**Secret key:**   
API secret, client secret, or consumer secret

**Key:**   
Key

**Sites:**

**Available sites**

**Chosen sites**

Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.

- Facebook

## Change social application

Provider:	<input type="text" value="Facebook"/>	
Name:	<input type="text" value="Facebook"/>	
Client id:	<input type="text"/>	
	<small>App ID, or consumer key</small>	
Secret key:	<input type="text"/>	
	<small>API secret, client secret, or consumer secret</small>	
Key:	<input type="text"/>	
	<small>Key</small>	
Sites:	<div>Available sites</div> <div> <input type="text" value="Filter"/> </div> <div> <div></div> <div></div> <div></div> </div> <div>Choose all</div>	<div>Chosen sites</div> <div> <div></div> </div> <div> <div></div> <div></div> <div></div> </div> <div>Remove all</div>
	<small>Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.</small>	

**Warning:** Make sure to add the sites you want to enable.

## Usage

You need first to create and configure OAuth2 Applications on your Social Providers.

This will require a personal or business account, which can access to the developers sections of LinkedIn and Facebook and create and configure new Applications.

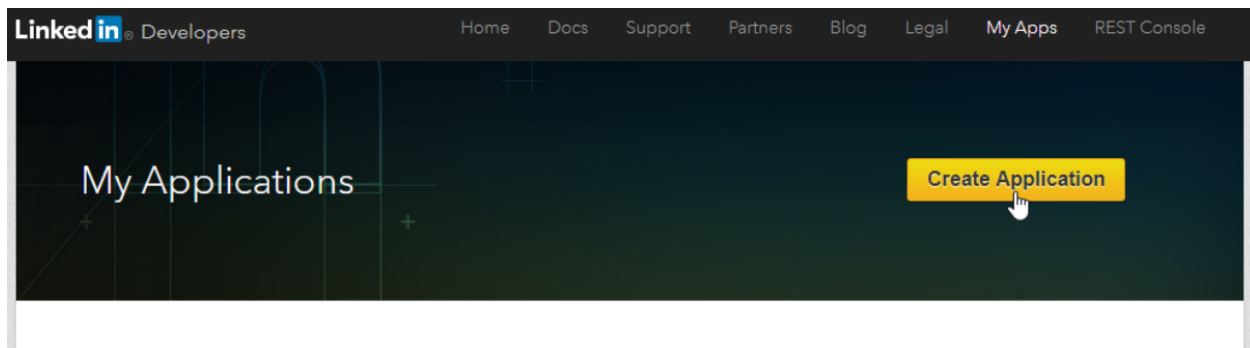
That account won't be visible to the GeoNode users. This is needed only to generate OAuth2 Client ID and Client Secret Authorization Keys.

In the following sections we will see in details how to configure them for both LinkedIn and Facebook.

## LinkedIn Application

(ref.: <http://django-allauth.readthedocs.io/en/latest/providers.html>)

1. Go to <https://www.linkedin.com/developer/apps> and select Create Application



2. Create a new Company

## Create a New Application

Company Name: \*

A screenshot of the 'Create a New Application' form. The 'Company Name' field is highlighted with a dropdown menu. The dropdown shows three options: 'GeoSolutions S.A.S.', 'GeoSolutions S.A.S. IGAD', and 'Create a new Company'. A mouse cursor is pointing at the 'Create a new Company' option.

3. Fill the informations

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**Note:** The logo must have precise square dimensions

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# My Applications


[Create Application](#)

## Create a New Application

**Company Name:**

**Application Name:**

**Application Description:**

**Application Logo:**  [Select File to Upload](#)

**Application Use:**

**Website URL:**

**Business Email:**

**Business Phone:**

☒ I have read and agree to the [LinkedIn API Terms of Use](#).

[Submit](#) [Cancel](#)

#### 4. Select the following Default Application Permissions

**Warning:** Be sure to select the `r_basicprofile` and `r_emailaddress` application permissions.

## Default Application Permissions

☒ r\_basicprofile
 ☐ w\_share
 ☒ r\_emailaddress

5. Add OAuth 2.0 Authorized Redirect URLs:

[http://geonode.geo-solutions.it/account/linkedin\\_oauth2/login/callback/](http://geonode.geo-solutions.it/account/linkedin_oauth2/login/callback/)  
<http://geonode.geo-solutions.it/account/linkedin/login/callback/>

## Default Application Permissions

☒ r\_basicprofile
 ☒ r\_emailaddress
 ☐ rw\_
 ☐ w\_share

## OAuth 2.0

### Authorized Redirect URLs:

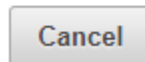
6. Save

<http://geonode.geo-solutions.it/account/linkedin/login>

## OAuth 1.0a

Default "Accept" Redirect URL:

Default "Cancel" Redirect URL:



7. Take note of the Authentication Keys

## Authentication Keys

Client ID: 

Client Secret: 

## Default Application Permissions

8. Go to GeoNode/Django admin, Social Applications and select the LinkedIn one (/admin/socialaccount/socialapp/)

## Django administration

Home > Social Accounts > Social applications

### Select social application to change

Action:   0 of 2 selected

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	Facebook
<input type="checkbox"/>	LinkedIn

2 social applications

9. Cut and Paste the Client ID and Client Secret on the related fields

### Change social application

**Provider:**

**Name:**

**Client id:**   
App ID, or consumer key

**Secret key:**   
API secret, client secret, or consumer secret

10. Save

## Facebook Application

(ref.: <http://django-allauth.readthedocs.io/en/latest/providers.html>) (ref.: <https://www.webforefront.com/django/setupdjangosocialauthentication.html>)

1. Go to <https://developers.facebook.com/apps> and Add a New Application



2. Create the App ID and go to the Dashboard

### Crea un nuovo ID app

Inizia l'integrazione di Facebook nella tua app o nel sito Web

Nome visualizzato

IHP-WINS-DEV

Indirizzo e-mail di contatto

alessio.fabiani@gmail.com

Procedendo, accetti le [Normative della Piattaforma Facebook](#)

Annulla

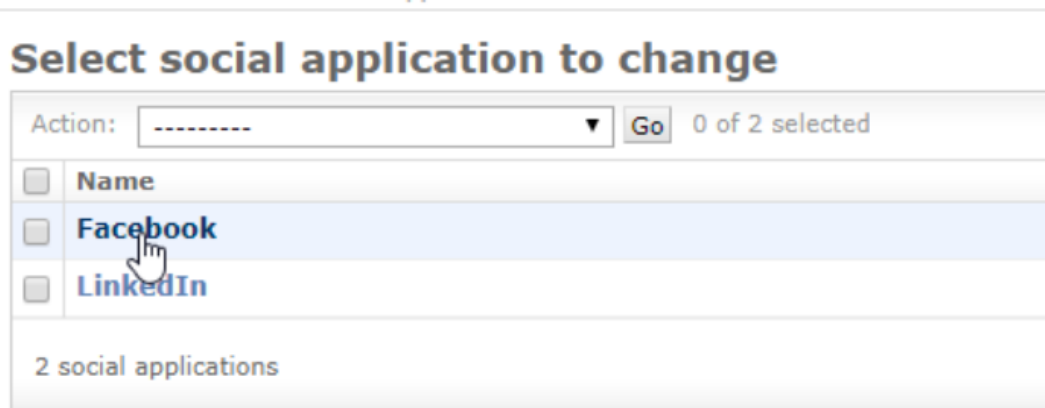
Crea ID app



3. Take note of the Authentication Keys



4. Go to GeoNode/Django admin, Social Applications and select the LinkedIn one  
(/admin/socialaccount/socialapp/)



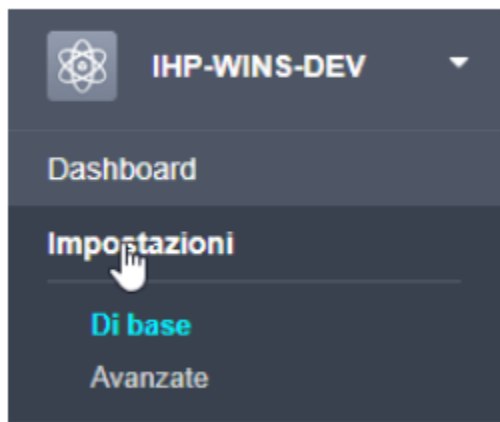
5. Cut and Paste the App ID and Secret Key on the related fields

ClientID	<-->	App Id
Client Secret	<-->	Secret Key

## Change social application

<b>Provider:</b>	Facebook ▼
<b>Name:</b>	Facebook
<b>Client id:</b>	<div></div> App ID, or consumer key
<b>Secret key:</b>	<div></div> API secret, client secret, or consumer secret

6. Save
7. Go back to the Facebook Application Dashboard and select Settings



8. Add your App Domain

ID app

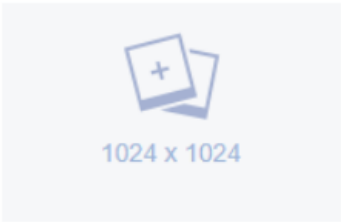
Nome visualizzato

Domini app

Normativa sulla privacy per la finestra di dialogo di accesso e per

9. Click on Add Platform

Domini app	Indirizzo e-mail
<input type="text" value="http://igad-dev.geo-solutions.it/ x  "/>	<input type="text" value="alessio.fabiani"/>
URL Normativa sulla privacy	URL delle Condizioni d'uso
<input type="text" value="Normativa sulla privacy per la finestra di dialogo di accesso e per i de"/>	<input type="text" value="Condizioni d'u"/>
Icona dell'app (1024 x 1024)	Categoria
	<input type="text" value="Scegli una cate"/>
	Ottieni maggiori informazioni
<input type="button" value="+ Aggiungi piattaforma"/>	

10. Select Web Site

Seleziona piattaforma



Giochi Web di  
Facebook



Sito Web



iO



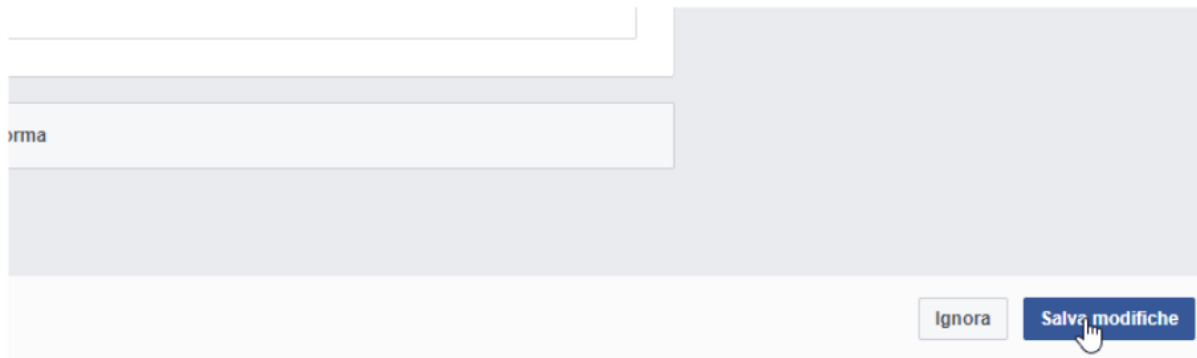
11. Add the URL

**Sito Web**

URL del sito

**http://igad-dev.geo-solutions.it/**

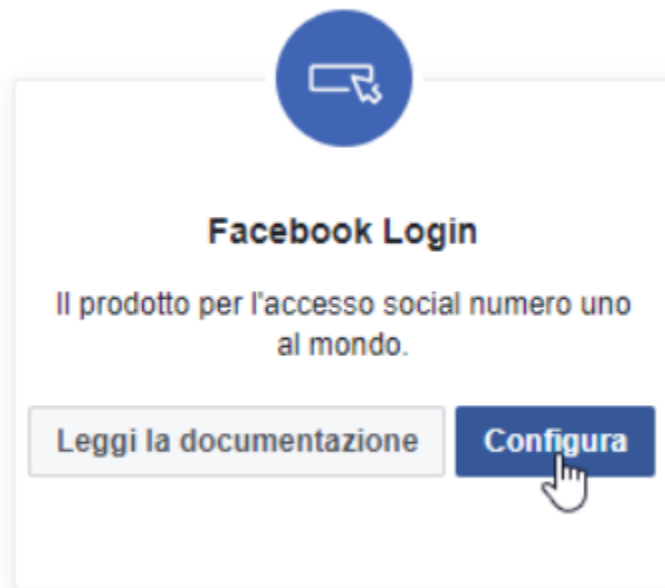
12. And Save



13. Go to Add Product



14. Select Facebook Login

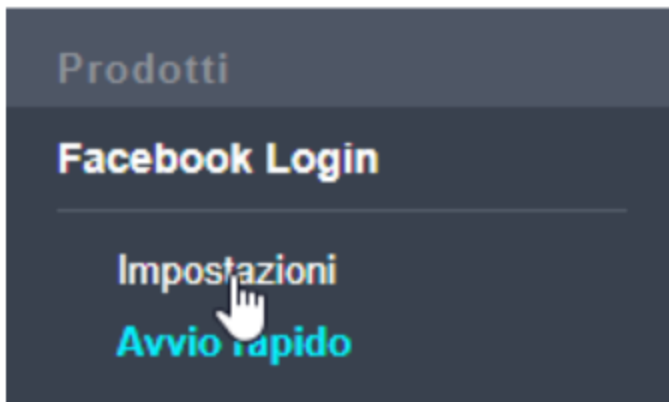


15. Select Web

questa app.



16. Go to Settings



17. Make sure Allow client OAuth and Access via OAuth Web are enabled

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Sì</b>	<b>Accesso client OAuth</b> Abilita il flow standard del token client OAuth. Proteggi la tua applicazione con i token consentiti con le opzioni di sicurezza.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Sì</b>	<b>Accesso a OAuth Web</b> Abilita l'accesso al client OAuth basato sul web. [?]
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>	<b>Accesso OAuth al browser incorporato</b> Abilita l'URI di reindirizzamento per il controllo del browser per l'accesso al client.

18. Add the valid redirect URIs:

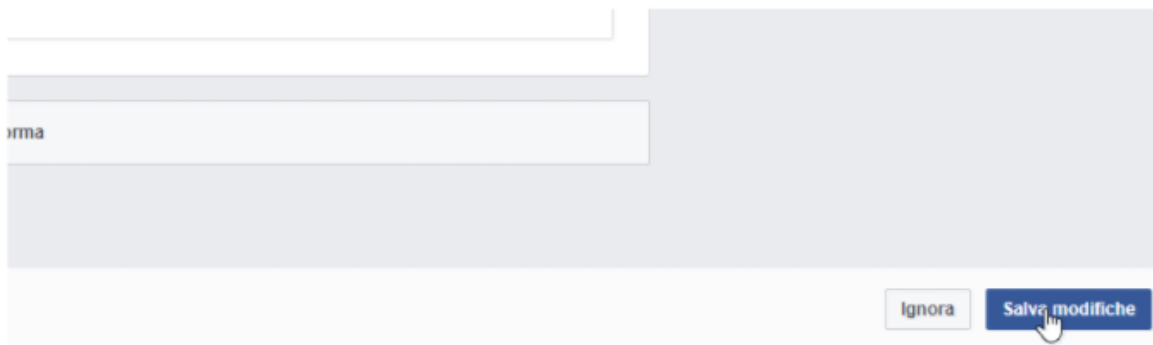
<http://geonode.geo-solutions.it/account/facebook/login/callback/>  
<http://geondoe.geo-solutions.it/account/login/>

URI di reindirizzamento OAuth validi

<http://ihp-wins-dev.geo-solutions.it/account/facebook/login/callback/> × 
 <http://ihp-wins-dev.geo-solutions.it/account/login/> × |

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>No</b>	<b>Accesso dai dispositivi</b> Abilita il flusso di accesso del client OAuth per dispositivi come smart TV [?]
------------------------------------	-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

19. Save

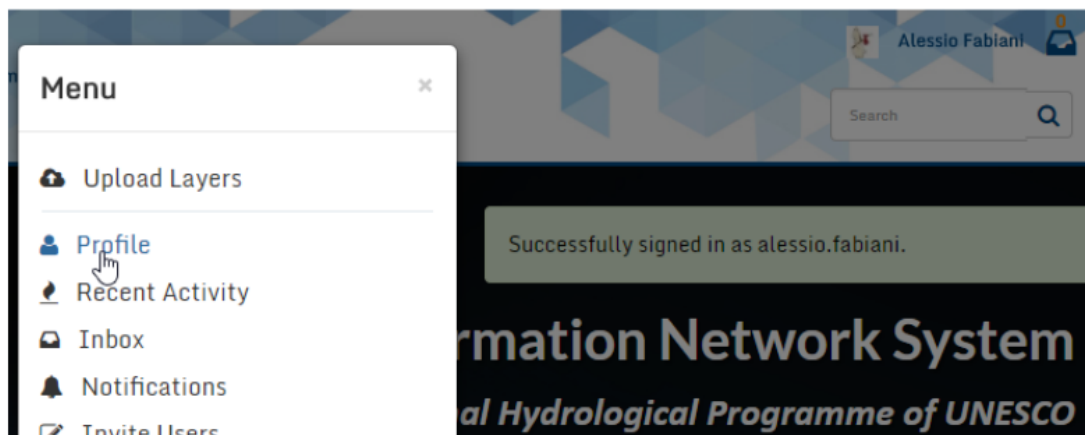


### Login by using Existing Accounts on GeoNode

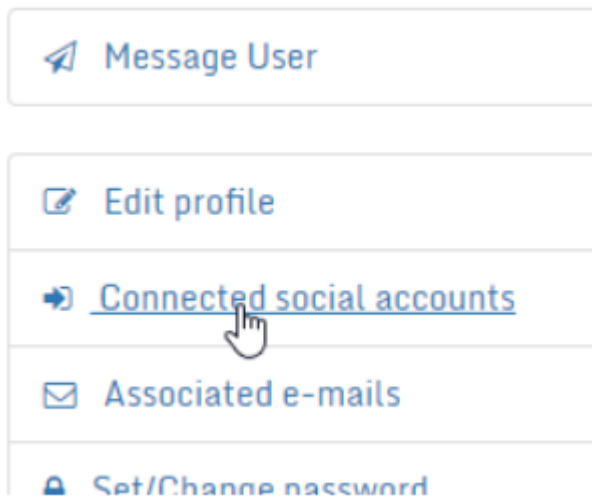
If you want to enable an already existing user account to login through social apps, you need to associate it to social accounts.

Usually this could be done only by the current user, since this operation requires authentication on its social accounts.

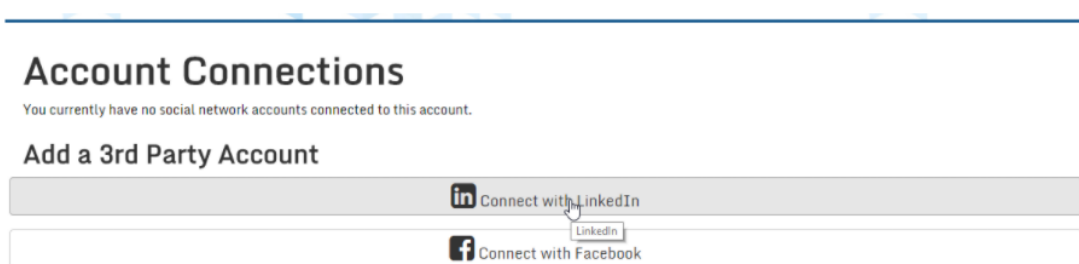
In order to do that you need to go to the User Profile Settings



Click on “Connected social accounts”





And actually connect them



## Account Connections

You can sign in to your account using any of the following already connected third party accounts:

- ☐  Facebook account: Alessio Fabiani
- ☐  LinkedIn account: Alessio Fabiani

[Remove](#)

## 1.22 GeoNode Django Contrib Apps

### 1.22.1 Geonode auth via LDAP

This package provides utilities for using LDAP as an authentication and authorization backend for geonode.

The `django_auth_ldap` package is a very capable way to add LDAP integration with django projects. It provides a lot of flexibility in mapping LDAP users to geonode users and is able to manage user authentication.

However, in order to provide full support for mapping LDAP groups with geonode's and enforce group permissions on resources, a custom geonode authentication backend is required. This contrib package provides such a backend, based on `django_auth_ldap`.

#### Installation

Installing this contrib package is a matter of:

1. Installing geonode
2. Installing system LDAP libraries (development packages needed)
3. Cloning this repository locally
4. Change to the `ldap` directory and install this contrib package

```
1. install geonode (not shown here for brevity)
2. install systemwide LDAP libraries
sudo apt install \
 libldap2-dev \
 libsasl2-dev

3. get geonode/contribs code
git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-contribs.git

4. install geonode ldap contrib package
cd geonode-contribs/ldap
pip install .
```

#### Configuration

1. Add `geonode_ldap.backend.GeonodeLdapBackend` as an additional auth backend.

```
e.g. by updating your settings.py or local_settings.py
AUTHENTICATION_BACKENDS += (
 "geonode_ldap.backend.GeonodeLdapBackend",
)
```

You may use additional auth backends, the django authentication framework tries them all according to the order listed in the settings. This means that geonode can be setup in such a way as to permit internal organization users to login with their LDAP credentials, while at the same time allowing for casual users to use their facebook login (as long as you enable facebook social auth provider).

**Note:** The django's `django.contrib.auth.backends.ModelBackend` must also be used in order to provide full geonode integration with LDAP. However this is included by default on GeoNode settings

```
The GeoNode default settings are the following
AUTHENTICATION_BACKENDS = (
 'oauth2_provider.backends.OAuth2Backend',
 'django.contrib.auth.backends.ModelBackend',
 'guardian.backends.ObjectPermissionBackend',
 'allauth.account.auth_backends.AuthenticationBackend',
)
```

2. Set some additional configuration values. Some of these variables are prefixed with AUTH\_LDAP (these are used directly by `django_auth_ldap`) while others are prefixed with GEONODE\_LDAP (these are used by `geonode_ldap`). The geonode custom variables are:

- GEONODE\_LDAP\_GROUP\_PROFILE\_FILTERSTR - This is an LDAP search fragment with the filter that allows querying for existing groups. See example below
- GEONODE\_LDAP\_GROUP\_NAME\_ATTRIBUTE - This is the name of the LDAP attribute that will be used for deriving the geonode group name. If not specified it will default to *cn*, which means that the LDAP object's *common name* will be used for generating the name of the geonode group
- GEONODE\_LDAP\_GROUP\_PROFILE\_MEMBER\_ATTR - This is the name of the LDAP attribute that will be used for deriving the geonode membership. If not specified it will default to *member*

Example configuration:

```
add these import lines to the top of your geonode settings file
from django_auth_ldap import config as ldap_config
from geonode_ldap.config import GeonodeNestedGroupOfNamesType
import ldap

enable logging
import logging
logger = logging.getLogger('django_auth_ldap')
logger.addHandler(logging.StreamHandler())
logger.setLevel(logging.DEBUG)

add both standard ModelBackend auth and geonode.contrib.ldap auth
AUTHENTICATION_BACKENDS += (
 'geonode_ldap.backend.GeonodeLdapBackend',
)

django_auth_ldap configuration
AUTH_LDAP_SERVER_URI = os.getenv("LDAP_SERVER_URL")
AUTH_LDAP_BIND_DN = os.getenv("LDAP_BIND_DN")
AUTH_LDAP_BIND_PASSWORD = os.getenv("LDAP_BIND_PASSWORD")
AUTH_LDAP_USER_SEARCH = ldap_config.LDAPSearch(
 os.getenv("LDAP_USER_SEARCH_DN"),
 ldap.SCOPE_SUBTREE,
 os.getenv("LDAP_USER_SEARCH_FILTERSTR")
)

should LDAP groups be used to spawn groups in GeoNode?
AUTH_LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS = strtobool(os.getenv("LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS", 'True'))
AUTH_LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH = ldap_config.LDAPSearch(
 os.getenv("LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_DN"),
 ldap.SCOPE_SUBTREE,
```

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```

 os.getenv("LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_FILTERSTR")
)
AUTH_LDAP_GROUP_TYPE = GeonodeNestedGroupOfNamesType()
AUTH_LDAP_USER_ATTR_MAP = {
 "first_name": "givenName",
 "last_name": "sn",
 "email": "mailPrimaryAddress"
}
AUTH_LDAP_FIND_GROUP_PERMS = True
AUTH_LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS_EXCEPT = [
 "test_group"
]

these are not needed by django_auth_ldap - we use them to find and match
GroupProfiles and GroupCategories
GEONODE_LDAP_GROUP_NAME_ATTRIBUTE = os.getenv("LDAP_GROUP_NAME_ATTRIBUTE", default="cn")
GEONODE_LDAP_GROUP_PROFILE_FILTERSTR = os.getenv("LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_FILTERSTR", default=
↪ '(ou=research group)')
GEONODE_LDAP_GROUP_PROFILE_MEMBER_ATTR = os.getenv("LDAP_GROUP_PROFILE_MEMBER_ATTR", ↪
↪ default='member')

```

Example environment variables:

```

LDAP_SERVER_URL=ldap://<the_ldap_server>
LDAP_BIND_DN=uid=ldapinfo,cn=users,dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_BIND_PASSWORD=<something_secret>
LDAP_USER_SEARCH_DN=dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_USER_SEARCH_FILTERSTR=(&(uid=%(user)s)(objectClass=person))
LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS=True
LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_DN=cn=groups,dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_FILTERSTR=(|(cn=abt1)(cn=abt2)(cn=abt3)(cn=abt4)(cn=abt5)(cn=abt6))
LDAP_GROUP_PROFILE_MEMBER_ATTR=uniqueMember

```

The configuration seen in the example above will allow LDAP users to login to geonode with their LDAP credentials.

On first login, a geonode user is created from the LDAP user and its LDAP attributes `cn` and `sn` are used to populate the geonode user's `first_name` and `last_name` profile fields.

Any groups that the user is a member of in LDAP (under the `cn=groups,dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org` search base and belonging to one of `(|(cn=abt1)(cn=abt2)(cn=abt3)(cn=abt4)(cn=abt5)(cn=abt6))` groups) will be mapped to the corresponding geonode groups, even creating these groups in geonode in case they do not exist yet. The geonode user is also made a member of these geonode groups.

Upon each login, the user's geonode group memberships are re-evaluated according to the information extracted from LDAP. The `AUTH_LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS_EXCEPT` setting can be used to specify groups whose memberships will not be re-evaluated.

If no LDAP groups shall be mirrored `LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS` and `LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS_EXCEPT` must be set to `False`.

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**Note:** Users mapped from LDAP will be marked with an `ldap` tag. This will be used to keep them in sync.

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**Warning:** If you remove the `ldap` tag, the users will be threaten as pure internal GeoNode ones.

You may also manually generate the geonode groups in advance, before users login. In this case, when a user logs in and the mapped LDAP group already exists, the user is merely added to the geonode group

Be sure to check out `django_auth_ldap` for more information on the various configuration options.

## Keep Users and Groups Synchronized

In order to constantly keep the remote LDAP Users and Groups **synchronized** with GeoNode, you will need to run periodically some specific management commands.

```
*/10 * * * * /opt/geonode/my-geonode/manage.sh updateldapgroups >> /var/log/cron.log 2>&
↪ 1
*/10 * * * * /opt/geonode/my-geonode/manage.sh updateldapusers >> /var/log/cron.log 2>&
↪ 1
```

Where the `manage.sh` is a bash script similar to the following one:

**manage.sh**

```
export $(grep -v '^#' /opt/geonode/my-geonode/.env | xargs -d '\n'); /home/<my_user>/.
↪ virtualenvs/geonode/bin/python /opt/geonode/my-geonode/manage.py $@
```

and the `/opt/geonode/my-geonode/.env` is something similar to the following one:

**/opt/geonode/my-geonode/.env**

```
DEBUG=False
DJANGO_ALLOWED_HOSTS=<geonode_public_host>,localhost,127.0.0.1
DJANGO_DATABASE_URL=postgis://my_geonode:*****@localhost:5432/my_geonode_db
DEFAULT_BACKEND_UPLOADER=geonode.importer
DEFAULT_FROM_EMAIL=geonode@example.org
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST=smtp.example.org
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_PASSWORD=*****
DJANGO_EMAIL_HOST_USER=geonode
DJANGO_EMAIL_PORT=465
DJANGO_EMAIL_USE_SSL=True
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=my_geonode.settings
DJANGO_SECRET_KEY=*****
OAUTH2_API_KEY=*****
PROXY_URL=/proxy/?url=
EXIF_ENABLED=True
EMAIL_ENABLED=True
TIME_ENABLED=True
ACCOUNT_OPEN_SIGNUP=True
ACCOUNT_APPROVAL_REQUIRED=True
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_REQUIRED=True
ACCOUNT_EMAIL_VERIFICATION=optional
AVATAR_GRAVATAR_SSL=True
GEONODE_DB_URL=postgis://my_geonode:*****@localhost:5432/my_geonode_data
GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=*****
GEOSERVER_LOCATION=https://<geonode_public_host>/geoserver/
```

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```

GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_HOST=<geonode_public_host>
GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=https://<geonode_public_host>/geoserver/
GEOSERVER_WEB_UI_LOCATION=https://<geonode_public_host>/geoserver/
LDAP_SERVER_URL=ldap://<the_ldap_server>
LDAP_BIND_DN=uid=ldapinfo,cn=users,dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_BIND_PASSWORD=<something_secret>
LDAP_USER_SEARCH_DN=dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_USER_SEARCH_FILTERSTR=(&(uid=%(user)s)(objectClass=person))
LDAP_MIRROR_GROUPS=True
LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_DN=cn=groups,dc=ad,dc=example,dc=org
LDAP_GROUP_SEARCH_FILTERSTR=(|(cn=abt1)(cn=abt2)(cn=abt3)(cn=abt4)(cn=abt5)(cn=abt6))
LDAP_GROUP_PROFILE_MEMBER_ATTR=uniqueMember
OGC_REQUEST_MAX_RETRIES=3
OGC_REQUEST_POOL_CONNECTIONS=100
OGC_REQUEST_POOL_MAXSIZE=100
OGC_REQUEST_TIMEOUT=60
SITEURL=https://<geonode_public_host>/
SITE_HOST_NAME=<geonode_public_host>
FREETEXT_KEYWORDS_READONLY=False
Advanced Workflow Settings
ADMIN_MODERATE_UPLOADS=False
GROUP_MANDATORY_RESOURCES=False
GROUP_PRIVATE_RESOURCES=False
RESOURCE_PUBLISHING=False

```

**Note:** You might want to use the same `/opt/geonode/my-geonode/.env` for your UWSGI configuration too:

```

[uwsgi]
socket = 0.0.0.0:8000
uid = <my_user>
gid = www-data

plugins = python3
virtualenv = /home/<my_user>/.virtualenvs/geonode

set environment variables from .env file
env LANG=en_US.utf8
env LC_ALL=en_US.UTF-8
env LC_LANG=en_US.UTF-8

for-readline = /opt/geonode/my-geonode/.env
 env = %(_)
endfor =

chdir = /opt/geonode/my-geonode
module = my_geonode.wsgi:application

processes = 12
threads = 2
enable-threads = true
master = true

```

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```
logging
path to where uwsgi logs will be saved
logto = /storage/my_geonode/logs/geonode.log
daemonize = /storage/my_geonode/logs/geonode.log
touch-reload = /opt/geonode/my-geonode/my_geonode/wsgi.py
buffer-size = 32768
max-requests = 500
harakiri = 300 # respawn processes taking more than 5 minutes (300 seconds)
limit-as = 1024 # avoid Errno 12 cannot allocate memory
harakiri-verbose = true
vacuum = true
thunder-lock = true
```

### 1.22.2 Geonode Logstash for centralized monitoring/analytics

This contrib app, along with the GeoNode internal monitoring app, lets administrators to configure a service for sending metrics data to a **centralized server** which comes with [Logstash](#).

So it will be possible to visualize stats and charts about one or more GeoNode instances outside the application. Having a server configured with the [ELK stack](#), it is possible to visualize those information on a Kibana dashboard for example.

If you manage more than one GeoNode instances, that server can receive data from many GeoNode(s) so it can make available both *single-instance dashboards* (referred to individual instances) and *global dashboards* (stats calculated on the whole set of instances).

**Warning:** The centralized monitoring service cannot be active if the settings variables `USER_ANALYTICS_ENABLED` and `monitoring-enabled` are set to *False*.

#### Overview

By default, GeoNode will send data to the centralized server every **3600 seconds** (1 hour) so, if enabled, the monitoring app will collect 1-hour-aggregated data. This time interval can be configured, see the next paragraphs to know how.

Formatted and compressed data will be sent on a **TCP** connection (on the *443* standard port by default) through a **scheduled celery task** which basically logs information via `python-logstash-async`.

**Warning:** This feature requires `python-logstash-async`.

## Data and events formats

Each time the centralized monitoring service is called, 4 types of *JSON* formatted events are sent to the server:

### 1. Instance overview

```
{
 "format_version": "1.0",
 "instance": {
 "name": geonode instance HOSTNAME,
 "ip": geonode instance IP
 },
 "time": {
 "startTime": UTC now - 1 hour (default)
 "endTime": UTC now
 },
 "hits": total number of requests,
 "unique_visits": total number of unique sessions,
 "unique_visitors": total number of unique users,
 "registered_users": total number of registered users at the end time,
 "layers": total number of layers at the end time,
 "documents": total number of documents at the end time,
 "maps": total number of maps at the end time,
 "errors": total number of errors
}
```

### 2. Resources details

```
{
 "format_version": "1.0",
 "instance": {
 "name": geonode instance HOSTNAME,
 "ip": geonode instance IP
 },
 "time": {
 "startTime": UTC now - 1 hour (default)
 "endTime": UTC now
 },
 "resources": [
 ...
 {
 "type": resource type,
 "name": resource name,
 "url": resource URL,
 "hits": total number of requests about this resource,
 "unique_visits": total number of unique sessions about this resource,
 "unique_visitors": total number of unique users about this resource,
 "downloads": total number of resource downloads,
 "ogcHits": total number of OGC service requests about this resource,
 "publications": total number of publication events
 }
]
}
```

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```

 },
 ...
]
}

```

### 3. Countries details

```

{
 "format_version": "1.0",
 "instance": {
 "name": geonode instance HOSTNAME,
 "ip": geonode instance IP
 },
 "time": {
 "startTime": UTC now - 1 hour (default)
 "endTime": UTC now
 },
 "countries": [
 ...
 {
 "name": country name,
 "hits": total number of requests about the country
 },
 ...
]
}

```

### 4. UA (User Agent) Family details

```

{
 "format_version": "1.0",
 "instance": {
 "name": geonode instance HOSTNAME,
 "ip": geonode instance IP
 },
 "time": {
 "startTime": UTC now - 1 day
 "endTime": UTC now
 },
 "ua_families": [
 ...
 {
 "name": UA family name
 "hits": total number of requests about the UA family
 },
 ...
]
}

```

These messages will be [gzip](#) compressed in order to improve transport performances and they should be parsed by a [logstash filter](#) on the server side (see [Logstash configuration](#)).

## Configuration

The centralized monitoring service is disabled by default because it needs the internal monitoring to be active and service-specific configurations.

### GeoNode configuration

On the GeoNode side, all needed configurations can be set up from the Django admin interface.  
If enabled, the **GEONODE LOGSTASH** section will show the **Centralized servers** feature:



Let's add one:

Django administration
WELCOME ADMIN VIEW SITE / CHANGE PASSWORD / LOG OUT

Home · Geonode\_Logstash · Centralized servers · CentralizedServer object

Change centralized server
HISTORY

Host: 192.168.1.91  
Centralized Server IP address.

Port: 5000  
Centralized Server TCP port number.

Interval: 3600  
Data aggregation time interval (in seconds).

Db path: logstash.db  
The local SQLite database to cache log events between emitting and transmission to the Logstash server. This way log events are cached even across process restarts (and crashes).

Socket timeout: 5  
Timeout in seconds for TCP connections.

Queue check interval: 2  
Interval in seconds to check the internal queue for new messages to be cached in the database.

Queue events flush interval: 0.1  
Interval in seconds to send cached events from the database to Logstash.

Queue events flush count: 50  
Count of cached events to send from the database to Logstash; events are sent to Logstash whenever QUEUED\_EVENTS\_FLUSH\_COUNT or QUEUED\_EVENTS\_FLUSH\_INTERVAL is reached, whatever happens first.

Queue events batch size: 50  
Maximum number of events to be sent to Logstash in one batch. Depending on the transport, this usually means a new connection to the Logstash is established for the event batch.

Logstash db timeout: 5  
Timeout in seconds to 'connect' the SQLite database.

Last successful deliver: Oct 17, 2019, 2:39 p.m.  
Timestamp of the last successful deliver.

Next scheduled deliver: Oct 17, 2019, 3:39 p.m.  
Timestamp of the next scheduled deliver.

Last failed deliver: -  
Timestamp of the last failed deliver.

Delete Save and continue editing SAVE

Test connection

The **Host** IP address and the **Port** number are mandatory as well as the time **Interval** (3600 seconds by default) which defines the service invocation polling (so the time range on which data should be aggregated).

**Note:** Once the service configured, the user can test the configuration by clicking on **Test connection**. It will test the connection with the centralized server without saving the configuration.

Other settings come with a default value:

- **Db path** → the local Spatialite database to cache events between emitting and transmission to the Logstash server (log events are cached even across process restarts and crashes);
- **Socket timeout** → timeout in seconds for TCP connections;
- **Queue check interval** → interval in seconds to check the internal queue for new messages to be cached in the database;
- **Queue events flush interval** → interval in seconds to send cached events from the database to Logstash;
- **Queue events flush count** → count of cached events to send from the database to Logstash;

- **Queue events batch size** → maximum number of events to be sent to Logstash in one batch;
- **Logstash db timeout** → timeout in seconds to ‘connect’ the Spatialite database.

To better understand what these variables mean, it is recommended to read the [python-logstash-async options for the asynchronous processing and formatting](#).

Other three read-only fields will be visible:

- **Last successful deliver** → timestamp of the last successful deliver (if exists);
- **Next scheduled deliver** → timestamp of the next scheduled deliver;
- **Last failed deliver** → timestamp of the last failed deliver (if exists).

## Logstash configuration

On the server side, a proper Logstash configuration should be set up.

Some events formats contain arrays (see [Data and events formats](#)) so Logstash should be able to retrieve a single event for each element of the array. The [Split filter plugin](#) helps to correctly parse those messages.

As mentioned above, events messages will be gzip compressed so the [Gzip\\_lines codec plugin](#) should be installed along with Logstash and the “gzip\_lines” codec should be used for the *tcp* input.

An example of the logstash configuration:

```
input {
 tcp {
 port => <logstash_port_number>
 codec => "gzip_lines"
 }
}

filter {
 json {
 source => "message"
 }
 if [format_version] == "1.0" {
 if [countries] {
 split {
 field => "countries"
 }
 }
 if [resources] {
 split {
 field => "resources"
 }
 }
 if [ua_families] {
 split {
 field => "ua_families"
 }
 }
 }
 mutate {
 remove_field => "message"
 }
}
```

(continues on next page)

(continued from previous page)

```

 }
 }
 geoip {
 source => "[instance][ip]"
 }
}

output {
 elasticsearch {
 hosts => "elasticsearch:<elastic_port_number>"
 index => "logstash-%{[instance][name]}-%{+YYYY.MM.dd}"
 user => "elastic"
 password => "changeme"
 }
 stdout { codec => rubydebug }
}

```

## Usage

When saving the service configuration, if monitoring enabled, GeoNode will create/update a celery [Periodic Task](#) which will be executed at regular intervals based on the *interval* configured.

You can check this behavior on the *Periodic Tasks* section of the admin UI:

PERIODIC TASKS		
<a href="#">Crontabs</a>	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
<a href="#">Intervals</a>	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
<a href="#">Periodic tasks</a>	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>
<a href="#">Solar events</a>	<a href="#">+ Add</a>	<a href="#">✎ Change</a>

The *dispatch-metrics-task* task:

Django administration
WELCOME, ADMIN. [VIEW SITE](#) / [CHANGE PASSWORD](#) / [LOG OUT](#)

Home › Periodic Tasks › Periodic tasks

Select periodic task to change ADD PERIODIC TASK +

Action:   0 of 3 selected

<input type="checkbox"/>	PERIODIC TASK	ENABLED
<input type="checkbox"/>	dispatch-metrics-task: every 3600 seconds	✓
<input type="checkbox"/>	delayed-security-sync-task: every 60 seconds	✓
<input type="checkbox"/>	celery.backend_cleanup: 0 4 * * * (m/h/d/dM/MY)	✓

3 periodic tasks

The task details:

Django administration
WELCOME, ADMIN. [VIEW SITE](#) / [CHANGE PASSWORD](#) / [LOG OUT](#)

Home › Periodic Tasks › Periodic tasks › dispatch-metrics-task: every 3600 seconds

Change periodic task HISTORY

Name:  Useful description

Task (registered):

Task (custom):

☒ Enabled

Schedule

Interval:

Crontab:  Use one of interval/crontab

Solar:  Use a solar schedule

Arguments (Show)

Execution Options (Show)

**Warning:** When disabling monitoring is a **good practice** to disable the corresponding Periodic Task too.

## Management command

In addition to the scheduled task, this contrib app makes also available the **dispatch\_metrics** command to manually send metrics to the server.

Obviously the time interval considered will start at the last successful delivery and will finish at the current time.

When the monitoring plugin is enabled (*USER\_ANALYTICS\_ENABLED* and *monitoring-enabled* are set to *True*) and a *Geonode Logstash for centralized monitoring/analytics* configured, Geonode sends (hourly by default) metrics data to an external server (which comes with Logstash) for stats visualization and analysis.

The command can be launched using the `manage.py` script. No options are required.

```
$ DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=<your_settings_module> python manage.py dispatch_metrics
```

Possible exceptions raised during the execution will be reported to GeoNode log.

## 1.23 GeoNode Admins Guide

GeoNode has an administration panel, based on the Django admin, which can be used to do some database operations. Although most of the operations can and should be done through the normal GeoNode interface, the admin panel provides a quick overview and management tool over the database.

The following sections will explain more in depth what functionalities the admin panel makes available to you. It should be highlighted that the sections not covered in this guide are meant to be managed through GeoNode UI.

### 1.23.1 Accessing the panel

The *Admin Panel* is a model-centric interface where trusted users can manage content on GeoNode.

Only the staff users can access the admin interface.

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**Note:** The “staff” flag, which controls whether the user is allowed to log in to the admin interface, can be set by the admin panel itself.

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The panel can be reached from *Admin* link of the *User Menu* in the navigation bar (see the picture below) or through this URL: `http://<your_geonode_host>/admin`.

When clicking on that link the Django-based *Admin Interface* page opens and shows you all the Django models registered in GeoNode.

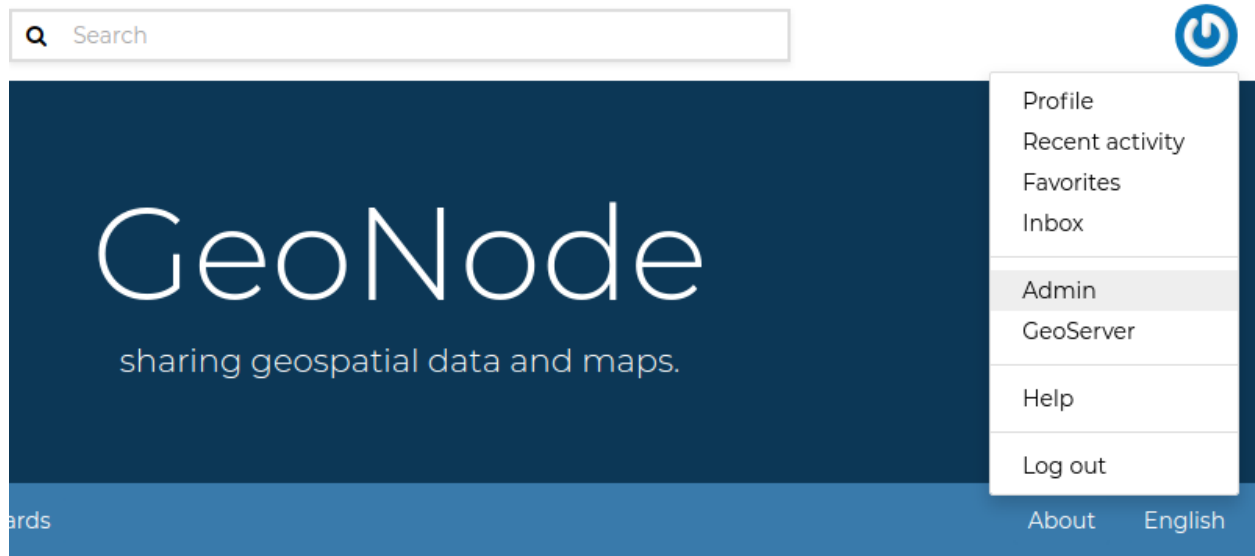


Fig. 214: The Admin Link of the User Menu

### 1.23.2 Reset or Change the admin password

From the *Admin Interface* you can access the *Change password* link by clicking on the username on the right side of the navigation bar, which will open a dropdown.

It allows you to access the *Change Password Form* through which you can change your password.

Once the fields have been filled out, click on *Change my password* to perform the change.

### 1.23.3 Simple Theming

GeoNode provides by default some theming options manageable directly from the Administration panel. Most of the times those options allows you to easily change the GeoNode look and feel without touching a single line of *HTML* or *CSS*.

As an *administrator* go to `http://<your_geonode_host>/admin/geonode_themes/geonodethemecustomization/`.

The panel shows all the available GeoNode themes, if any, and allows you to create new ones.

**Warning:** Only one theme at a time can be **activated** (aka *enabled*). By disabling or deleting all the available themes, GeoNode will turn the gui back to the default one.

Editing or creating a new Theme, will actually allow you to customize several properties.

At least you'll need to provide a Name for the Theme. Optionally you can specify also a Description, which will allow you to better identify the type of Theme you created.

Just below the Description field, you will find the Enabled checkbox, allowing you to toggle the Theme.

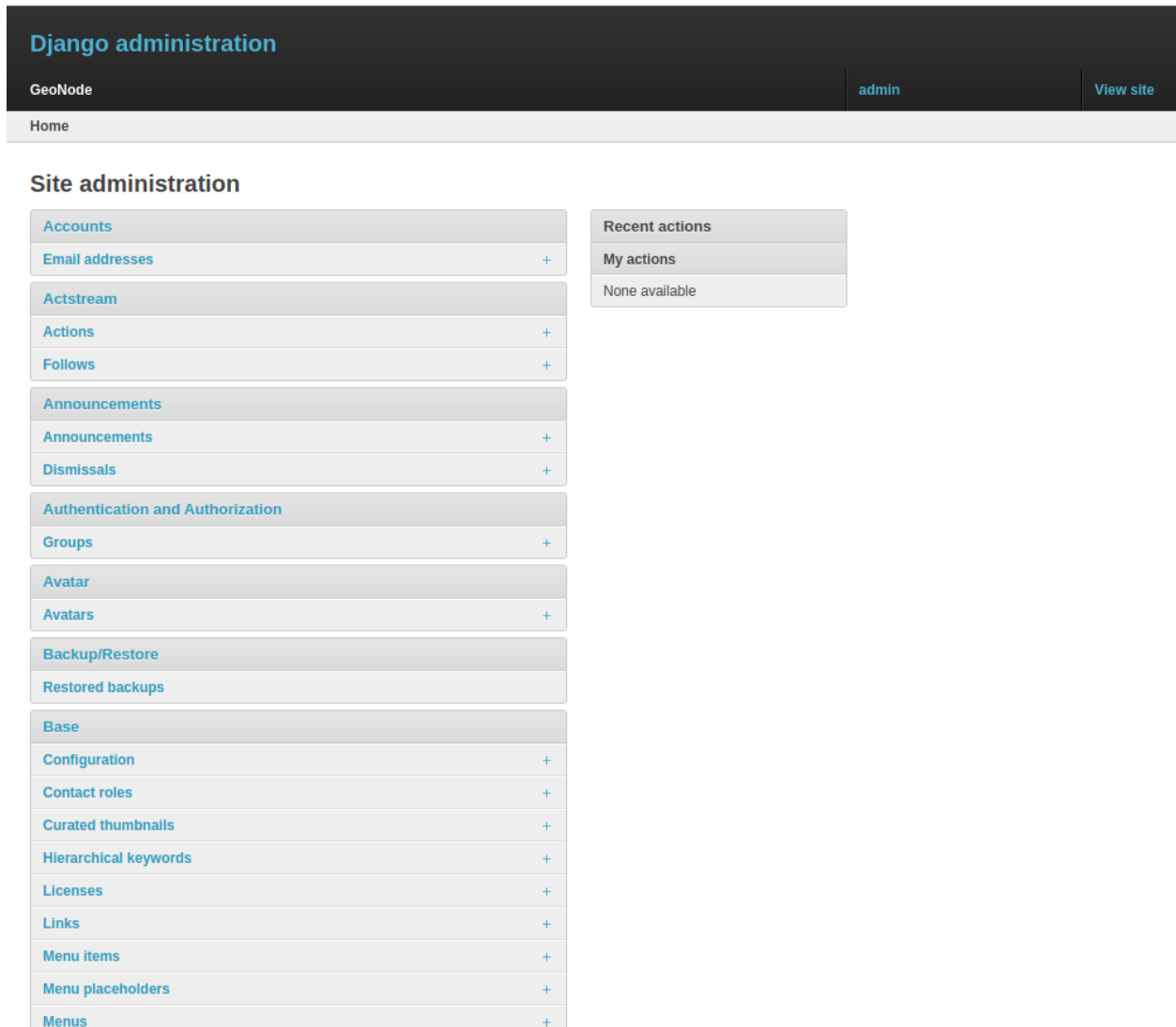


Fig. 215: The GeoNode Admin Interface

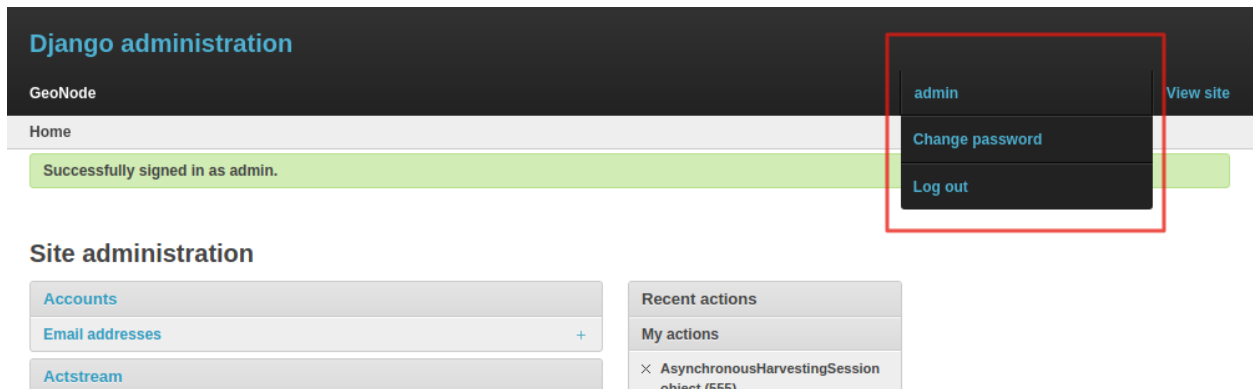


Fig. 216: The Change Password Link

**Django administration**

GeoNode admin [View site](#)

[Home](#) > [Password change](#)

### Password change

Please enter your old password, for security's sake, and then enter your new password twice so we can verify you typed it in correctly.

Old password

New password

Password (again)

Change my password

Fig. 217: *The Change Password Form*

**Django administration**

GeoNode admin [View site](#)

[Home](#) > [GeoNode Themes Library](#) > [Themes](#)

### Themes

[+ Add geo node theme customization](#)

1 total					
<input type="checkbox"/>	ID	Is enabled	Name	Date	Description
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	<span style="color: green;">✔</span>	test	Nov 21, 2021, 11:50 p.m.	test
1 total					

Fig. 218: *List of available Themes*

### Change geo node theme customization

Name:

This will not appear anywhere.

Description:

This will not appear anywhere.

Fig. 219: *Theme Name and Description*

Description:

This will not appear anywhere.

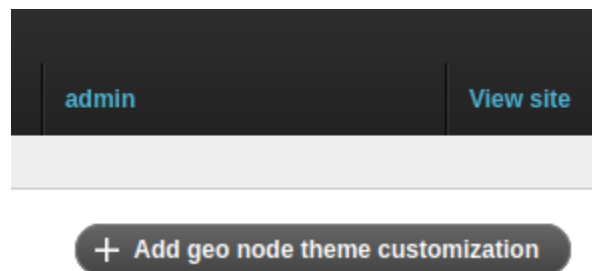
☒ Is enabled  
Enabling this theme will disable the current enabled theme (if any)



Fig. 220: Theme Name and Description

## Jumbotron and Get Started link

**Note:** Remember, everytime you want to apply some changes to the Theme, you **must** save the Theme and reload the GeoNode browser tab. In order to quickly switch back to the Home page, you can just click the VIEW SITE link on the top-right corner of the Admin dashboard.



The next section, allows you to define the first important Theme properties. This part involves the GeoNode main page sections.

By changing those properties as shown above, you will easily change your default home page from this to this

It is possible to optionally **hide** the Jumbotron text.

## Slide show

To switch between a slide show and a jumbotron, flip the value of the welcome theme from “slide show” to “jumbotron” and vice versa to either display a jumbotron with content or a slide show in the home page

For example, to display a slide show, change the welcome theme from jumbotron background to slide show

Before creating a slide show, make sure you have slides to select from (in the multi-select widget) to make up the slide show.

If no slides exist, click the plus (+) button beside the slide show multi-select widget to add a new slide.


Logo	<input type="button" value="Browse..."/> No file selected.
Variant	<input type="text" value="light"/> <small>Name of the theme variant, can be 'light', 'dark', or a custom variant name.</small>
Jumbotron background	<input type="button" value="Browse..."/> No file selected.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Hide text in the jumbotron <small>Check this if the jumbotron background image already contains text</small>
Welcome theme	<input type="text" value="jumbotron background"/> <small>▼</small> <small>Choose between using jumbotron background and slide show</small>
Jumbotron slide show	<div> +</div> <small>Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.</small>
Jumbotron title	<input type="text" value="My GeoNode"/>
Jumbotron content	<div>my first GeoNode customization</div>

Fig. 221: Jumbotron and Logo options

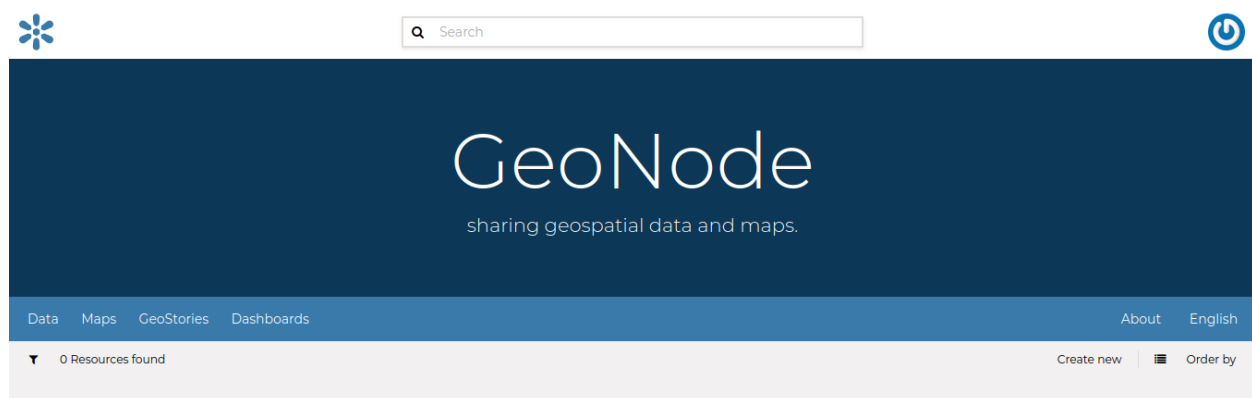


Fig. 222: GeoNode Default Home

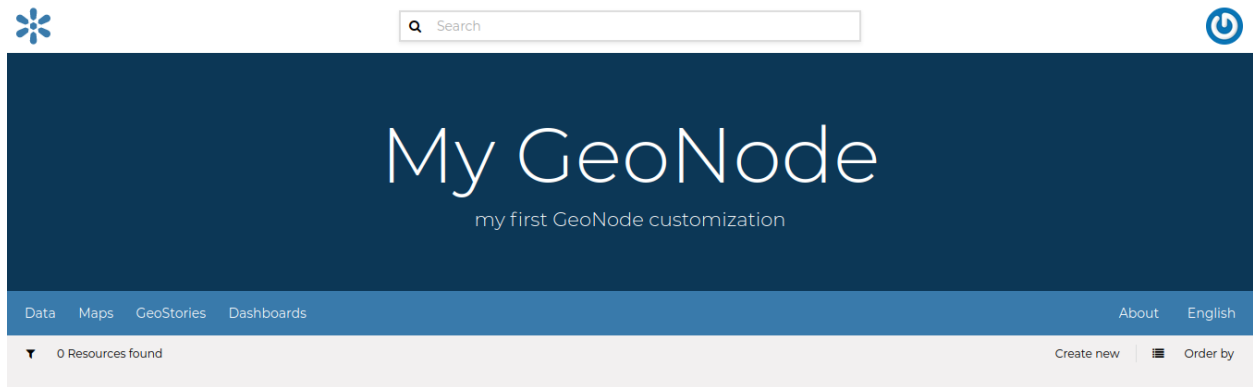


Fig. 223: Updating Jumbotron and Logo

**Jumbotron background**  No file selected.

☒ Hide text in the jumbotron  
Check this if the jumbotron background image already contains text

**Welcome theme**    
Choose between using jumbotron background and slide show



Fig. 224: Hide Jumbotron text

**Welcome theme**    
Choose between using jumbotron background and slide show

**Welcome theme**    
Choose between using jumbotron background and slide show

**Jumbotron slide show**

slide 1 | <Enabled: [✓] -- Hide Text: [X]> +  
slide 2 | <Enabled: [✓] -- Hide Text: [X]>  
slide 3 | <Enabled: [✓] -- Hide Text: [X]>

Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.

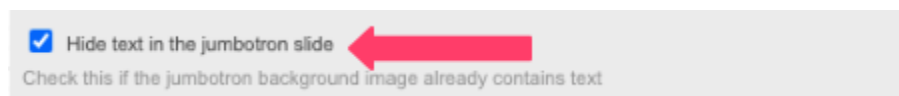


Fill in the slide name, slide content using markdown formatting, and upload a slide image (the image that will be displayed when the slide is in view).

#### Add jumbotron theme slide

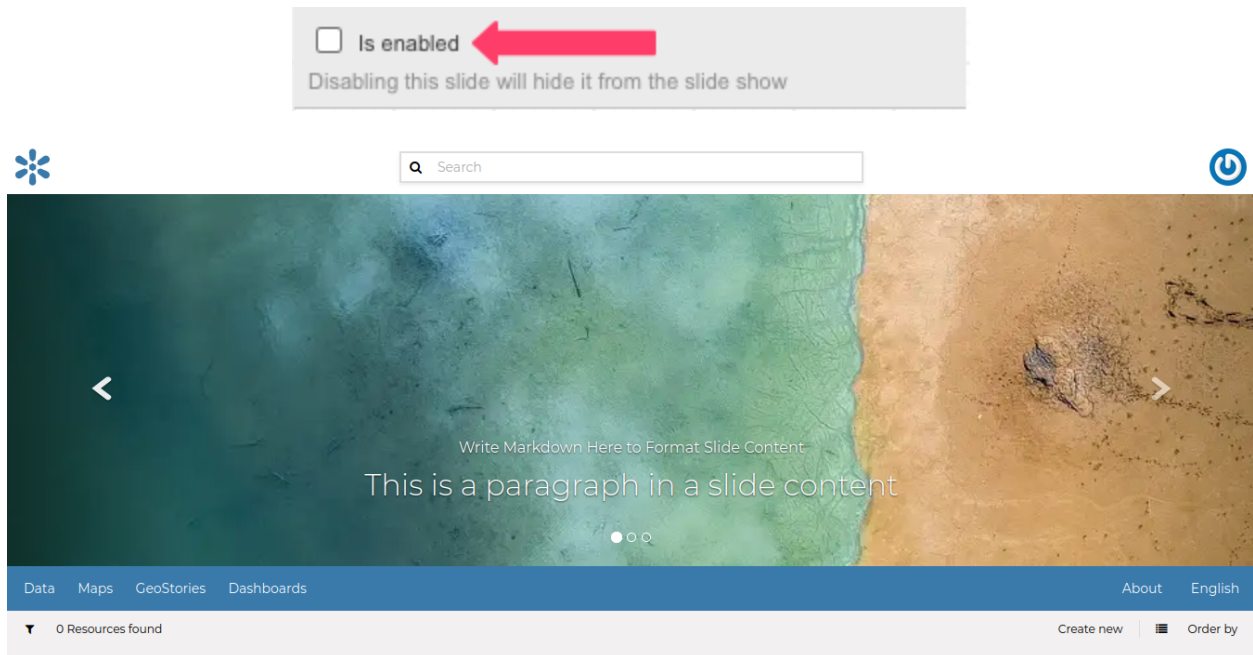
Slide name	<input type="text" value="New Slide"/>
Jumbotron slide background	<input type="button" value="Choose file"/> No file chosen
Jumbotron slide content	<div> <p>### Write Markdown Here To Format Slide Content</p> <p>This is a paragraph in a slide content</p> </div> <p><small>Fill in this section with markdown</small></p>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Hide text in the jumbotron slide <small>Check this if the jumbotron background image already contains text</small>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Is enabled <small>Disabling this slide will hide it from the slide show</small>

For slide images that already contain text, hide slide content by checking the checkbox labeled “Hide text in the jumbotron slide” as shown below, then save the slide.



It is also possible to hide a slide from all slide show themes that use it by unchecking the checkbox labeled “Is enabled” as shown below.

Selecting the above slide in a slide show and enabling slide show (using the “welcome theme” configuration) will create a slide show with a slide as shown below:



## Switching between different themes

In the case you have defined more Themes, switching between them is as easy as **enabling** one and **disabling** the others.

Remember to save the Themes everytime and refresh the GeoNode home page on the browser to see the changes.

It is also important that there is **only one** Theme enabled **at a time**.

In order to go back to the standard GeoNode behavior, just disable or delete all the available Themes.

### 1.23.4 Add a new user

In GeoNode, administrators can manage other users. For example, they can *Add New Users* through the following form.

The form above can be reached from the *Admin Panel* at the following path: *Home > People > Users*. Click on + *Add user* to open the form page.

It is also available, in the GeoNode UI, the *Add User* link of the *About* menu in the navigation bar.

To perform the user creation fill out the required fields (*username* and *password*) and click on *Save*. You will be redirected to the *User Details Page* which allows to insert further information about the user.

The user will be visible into the *Users List Page* of the *Admin Panel* and in the *People Page* (see [Viewing other users information](#)).

**Django administration**

GeoNode [admin](#) [View site](#)

[Home](#) > [People](#) > [Users](#) > Add user

### Add user

Username   
Required. 150 characters or fewer. Letters, digits and @/./+/-/\_ only.

Password

Password confirmation   
Enter the same password as before, for verification.

Fig. 225: Adding New Users

**Django administration**

GeoNode [admin](#) [View site](#)

[Home](#) > [People](#) > Users

### Users

[+ Add user](#)

291 total [1](#) [2](#) [3](#)  [Filter](#)

<input type="checkbox"/>	ID	Username	Organization Name	Email address	First name	Last name	Staff status	Active
<input type="checkbox"/>	1142	410berry	-	aaron@410berry.tech			✖	✓
<input type="checkbox"/>	1302	@AfifNaufalPerdanaPutra	-	naufalperdanaputra@students.unnes.ac.id			✖	✓
<input type="checkbox"/>	1127	@ThayanneFrões	-	thayannefigueiredo@brasil.gs			✖	✓

Fig. 226: The Add User button in the Users List page

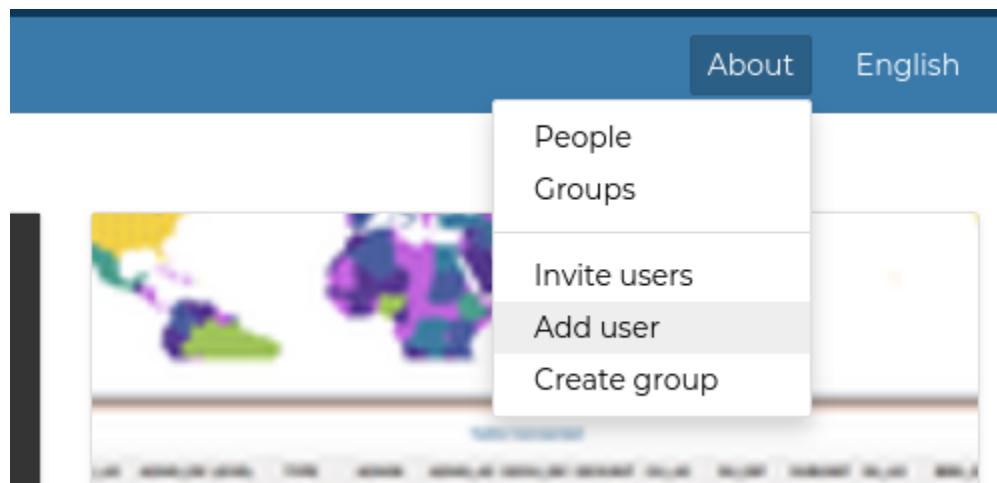


Fig. 227: Add User Link

Django administration

GeoNodeadminView site

Home > People > Users > joe

The user "joe" was added successfully. You may edit it again below.

Change user

HistoryView on site

Usernamejoe

Required. 150 characters or fewer. Letters, digits and @/./+/-/\_ only.

Password

algorithm: sha1 salt: lF\*\*\*\*\* hash: e1a39a\*\*\*\*\*  
Raw passwords are not stored, so there is no way to see this user's password, but you can change the password using [this form](#).

Personal info

First name

Last name

Email address

Permissions

☒ Active  
Designates whether this user should be treated as active. Unselect this instead of deleting accounts.

☐ Staff status  
Designates whether the user can log into this admin site.

☐ Superuser status  
Designates that this user has all permissions without explicitly assigning them.

Groups

Available groups

Chosen groups

Delete

Save and continue editing

Save and add another

Save

Fig. 228: *The User Details Page*

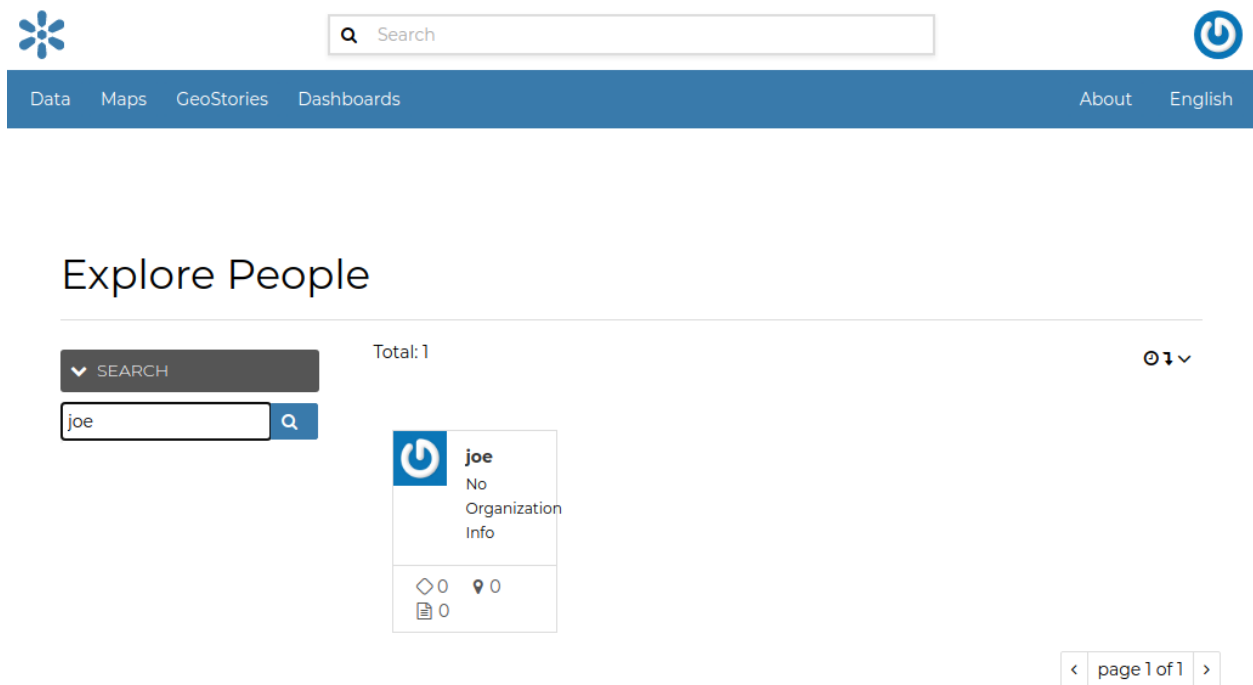


Fig. 229: The User in the People page

### 1.23.5 Activate/Disable a User

When created, new users are *active* by default. You can check that in the *User Details Page* from the *Admin Panel* (see the picture below).

*Active* users can interact with other users and groups, can manage resources and, more in general, can take actions on the GeoNode platform.

Untick the *Active* checkbox to disable the user. It will be not considered as user by the GeoNode system.

### 1.23.6 Change a User password

GeoNode administrators can also change/reset the password for those users who forget it. As shown in the picture below, click on this [form](#) link from the *User Details Page* to access the *Change Password Form*.

The *Change User Password Form* should looks like the following one. Insert the new password two times and click on *CHANGE PASSWORD*.

The screenshot shows the GeoNode user management interface. At the top, the breadcrumb navigation is 'Home > People > Users > joe', which is highlighted with a red box. Below the navigation, a green message states: 'The user "joe" was added successfully. You may edit it again below.' The main section is titled 'Change user' and includes buttons for 'History' and 'View on site'. The form contains several sections: 'Username' with a text input field containing 'joe' and a note 'Required. 150 characters or fewer. Letters, digits and @/./+/-/\_ only.'; 'Password' with a text input field containing 'algorithm: sha1 salt: IF\*\*\*\*\* hash: e1a39a\*\*\*\*\*' and a note 'Raw passwords are not stored, so there is no way to see this user's password, but you can change the password using this form.'; 'Personal info' with fields for 'First name', 'Last name', and 'Email address'; and 'Permissions' with three checkboxes: 'Active' (checked), 'Staff status', and 'Superuser status'. The 'Active' checkbox is highlighted with a red box.

Fig. 230: New Users Active by default

The screenshot shows the GeoNode 'Explore People' page. At the top, there is a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and the text 'Search'. Below the search bar, there is a navigation bar with links for 'Data', 'Maps', 'GeoStories', 'Dashboards', 'About', and 'English'. The main section is titled 'Explore People'. Below the title, there is a search bar with a dropdown arrow and the text 'SEARCH'. The search bar contains the text 'joe' and a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar, there is a text label 'Total: 0' circled in red. Below the search bar, there is a pagination bar with the text 'page 1 of 1' and navigation arrows.

Fig. 231: Disabled Users

Django administration

GeoNode admin View site

Home > People > Users > joe

The user "joe" was changed successfully. You may edit it again below.

Change user History View on site

Username: joe  
Required: 150 characters or fewer. Letters, digits and @/./+/-/\_ only.

Password: algorithm: sha1 salt: IF\*\*\*\*\* hash: e1a39a\*\*\*\*\*  
Raw passwords are not stored, so there is no way to see this user's password, but you can change the password using [this form](#).

Fig. 232: Changing Users Passwords

GeoNode administration

GeoNode admin

Home > People > Users > joe > Change password

Change password: joe

Enter a new password for the user joe.

New password: \*\*\*\*\*

Password (again): \*\*\*\*\*  
Enter the same password as above, for verification.

Change password

Fig. 233: Changing Users Passwords

### 1.23.7 Promoting a User to Staff member or superuser

Active users have not access to admin tools. GeoNode makes available those tools only to *Staff Members* who have the needed permissions. *Superusers* are staff members with full access to admin tools (all permissions are assigned to them).

Administrators can promote a user to *Staff Member* by ticking the **Staff status** checkbox in the *User Details Page*. To make some user a *Superuser*, the **Superuser status** checkbox should be ticked. See the picture below.

The screenshot shows the Django administration interface for GeoNode. The header includes 'Django administration' and 'GeoNode'. The breadcrumb trail is 'Home > People > Users > joe'. The 'Personal info' section has fields for 'First name', 'Last name', and 'Email address'. The 'Permissions' section has three checkboxes: 'Active' (checked), 'Staff status' (checked), and 'Superuser status' (checked). A red box highlights the 'Staff status' and 'Superuser status' checkboxes. A red arrow points to the 'Staff status' checkbox. The 'Groups' section has a search bar and a list of groups: 'test-group', 'anonymous', 'contributors', and 'registered-members'.

Fig. 234: *Staff and Superuser permissions*

### 1.23.8 Creating a Group

In GeoNode is possible to create new groups with set of permissions which will be inherited by all the group members.

The creation of a Group can be done both on the GeoNode UI and on the *Admin Panel*, we will explain how in this paragraph.

The *Create Groups* link of *About* menu in the navigation bar allows administrators to reach the *Group Creation Page*.

The following form will open.

Fill out all the required fields and click *Create* to create the group. The *Group Details Page* will open.

The new created group will be searchable in the *Groups List Page*.

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**Note:** The *Create a New Group* button on the *Groups List Page* allows to reach the *Group Creation Form*.

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As already mentioned above, groups can also be created from the Django-based *Admin Interface* of GeoNode.

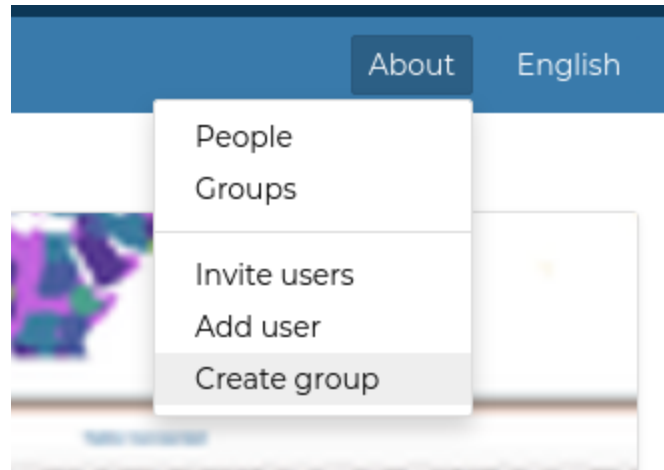


Fig. 235: The Create Group Link

The *Groups* link of the *AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION* section allows to manage basic Django groups which only care about permissions.

To create a GeoNode group you should take a look at the *GROUPS* section.

As you can see, GeoNode provides two types of groups. You will learn more about that in the next paragraph.

## Types of Groups

In GeoNode users can be grouped through a *Group Profile*, an enhanced Django group which can be enriched with some further information such as a description, a logo, an email address, some keywords, etc. It is also possible to define some *Group Categories* based on which those group profiles can be divided and filtered.



A new **Group Profile** can be created as follows:

- click on the *Group Profile + Add* button
- fill out all the required fields (see the picture below), *Group Profiles* can be explicitly related to group categories
- click on *Save* to perform the creation, the new created group profile will be visible in the *Group Profiles List*

## Group Categories

*Group Profiles* can also be related to *Group Categories* which represents common topics between groups. In order to add a new **Group Category** follow these steps:

- click on the *Group Categories + Add group category* button
- fill out the creation form (type *name* and *description*)
- click on *Save* to perform the creation, the new created category will be visible in the *Group Categories List*



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## Create a Group

**Title**

**Logo**

No file chosen

**Description**

**Email**

Email used to contact one or all group members, such as a mailing list, shared email, or exchange group.

**Keywords**

A space or comma-separated list of keywords

**Access**

Public

▼

Public: Any registered user can view and join a public group.  
Public (invite-only): Any registered user can view the group. Only invited users can join.  
Private: Registered users cannot see any details about the group, including membership. Only invited users can join.

**Categories**


test group category

▲

▼

Create


Fig. 236: *The Group Creation Form*



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## Cartographers

Last Modified: Nov. 29, 2021, 9:56 a.m.




This group consists of Geonode Cartographers


[cartography](#)

✉ [cartographers@gmail.com](mailto:cartographers@gmail.com)

test group category

[Edit Group Details](#)  
[Manage Group Members](#)  
[Delete this Group](#)  
[Group Activities](#)  
**Permissions**  
This group is **Public (invite-only)**.  
Anyone may view this group but membership is by invitation only.  
**Managers**  
 [admin](#)  
No Group

### Members

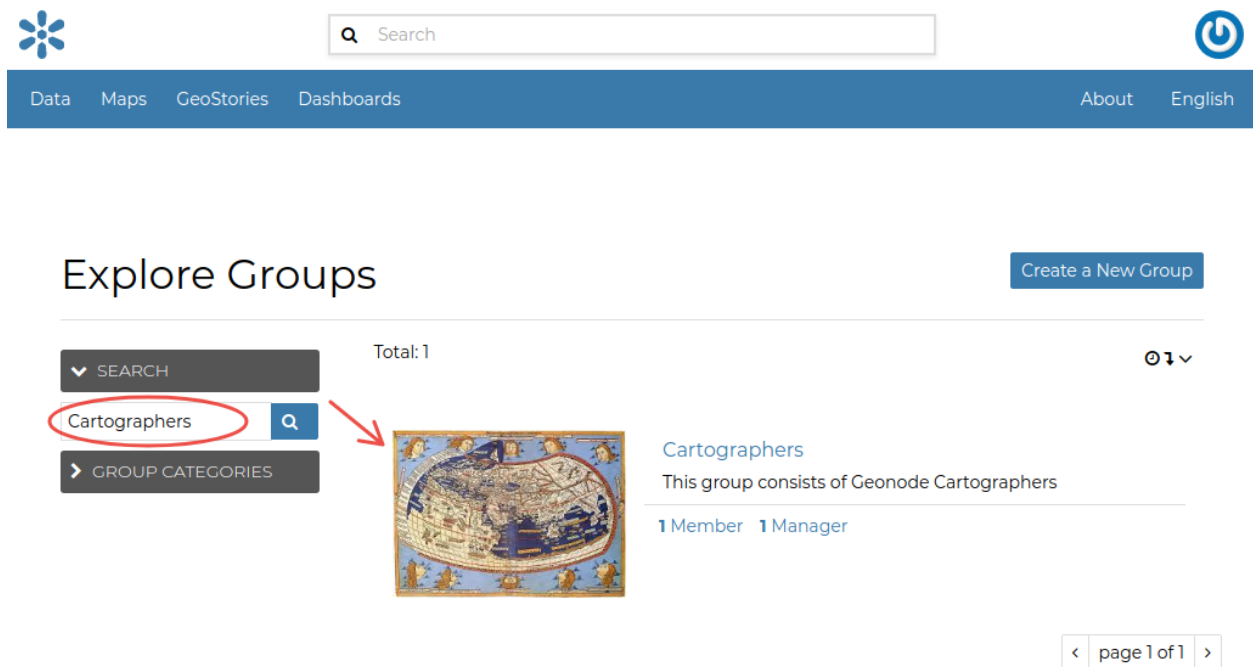


**admin**  
No Organization  
Info

0 2 4

< page 1 of 1 >

Fig. 237: The Group Details Page

Fig. 238: *The Groups List Page*Fig. 239: *The Groups Section on the Admin Panel*

Django administration
GeoNode
admin
View site
Home > Groups > Group profiles > Add group profile

## Add group profile

Title

Transportation planners

Title [en]

t

Slug

transportation-planners

Logo

Choose File

No file chosen

Description

Users interested in transport

Description [en]

Email

transportgroup@gmail.com

Email used to contact one or all group members, such as a mailing list, shared email, or exchange group.

Keywords

A space or comma-separated list of keywords

Access

Public

Public: Any registered user can view and join a public group.  
Public (invite-only): Any registered user can view the group. Only invited users can join.  
Private: Registered users cannot see any details about the group, including membership. Only invited users can join.

Categories

test group category

+

Hold down "Control", or "Command" on a Mac, to select more than one.

Group members

User	Role	Joined	
johnsmith	Manager	2021-11-29 10:01:56	-
joe	Member	2021-11-29 10:01:56	-
.....	.....	2021-11-29 10:01:56	-

Add another group member

Save and continue editing

Save and add another

Save

Fig. 240: A new Group Profile

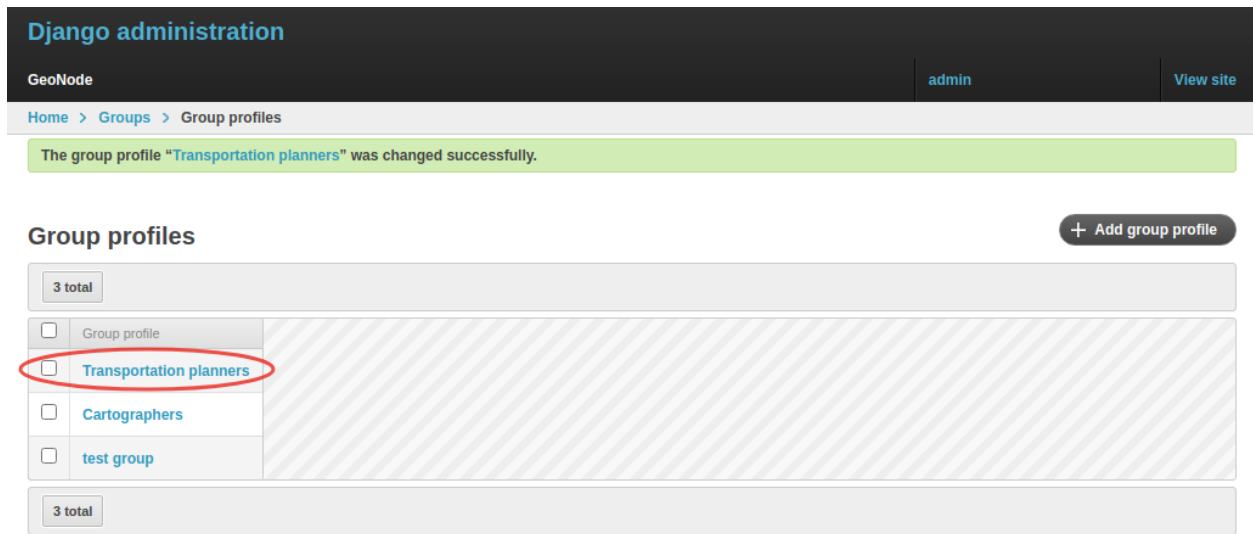


Fig. 241: The Group Profiles List

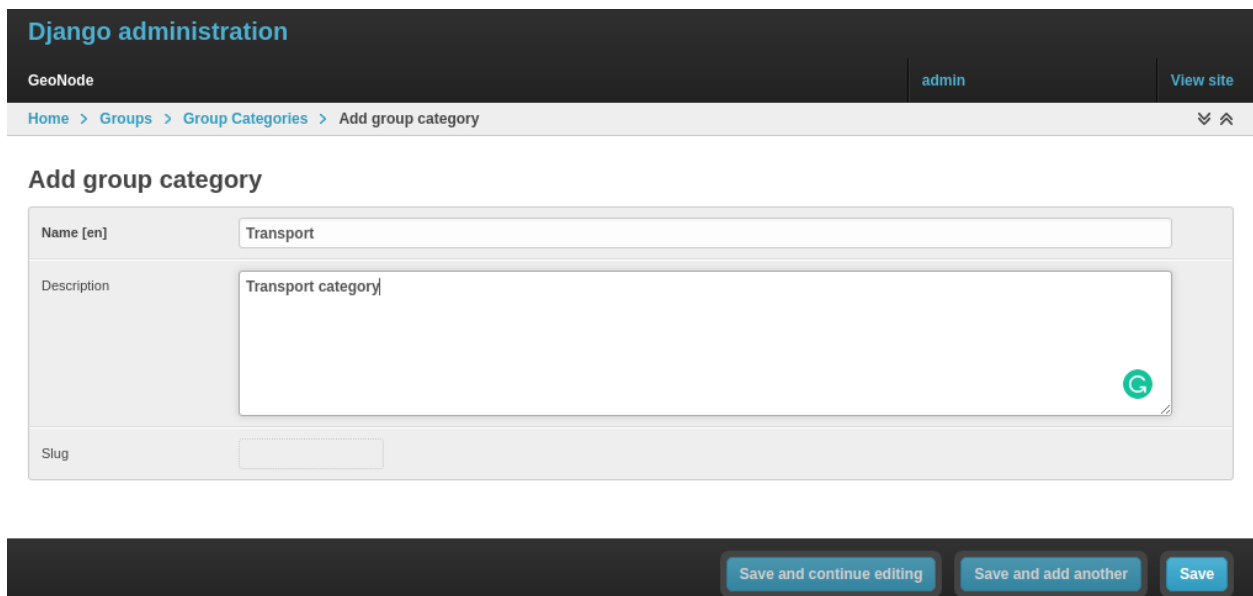


Fig. 242: A new Group Category

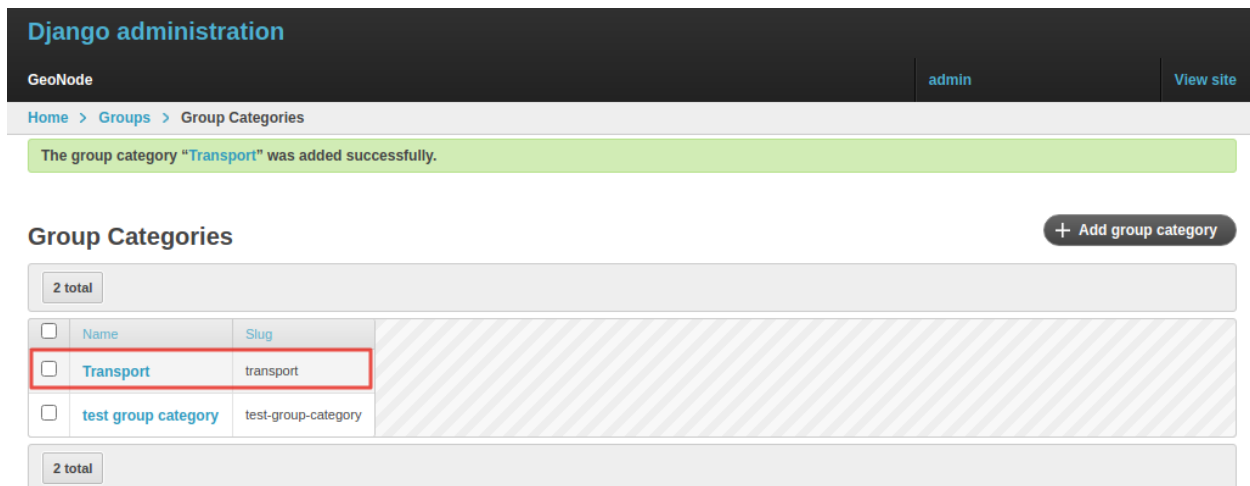


Fig. 243: The Group Categories List

### 1.23.9 Managing a Group

Through the *Groups* link of *About* menu in the navigation bar, administrators can reach the *Groups List Page*.

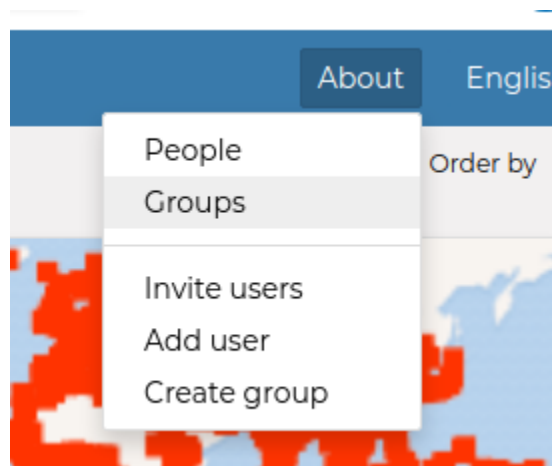


Fig. 244: The Groups Link in the navigation bar


In that page all the GeoNode *Group Profiles* are listed.


For each group some summary information (such as the *title*, the *description*, the number of *members* and *managers*) are displayed near the *Group Logo*.

Administrators can manage a group from the *Group Profile Details Page* which is reachable by clicking on the *title* of the group.

As shown in the picture above, all information about the group are available on that page:

- the group *Title*;
- the *Last Editing Date* which shows a timestamp corresponding to the last editing of the group properties;
- the *Keywords* associated with the group;





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## Explore Groups

Create a New Group

▼ SEARCH

► GROUP CATEGORIES

Total: 3




[test group](#)

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[1 Member](#)
[1 Manager](#)




[Cartographers](#)

This group consists of Geonode Cartographers

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[1 Member](#)
[1 Manager](#)



[Transportation planners](#)

Users interested in transport

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[2 Members](#)
[1 Manager](#)

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Fig. 245: Group Profiles List Page



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## Cartographers

Last Modified: Nov. 29, 2021, 9:56 a.m.




This group consists of Geonode Cartographers


[cartography](#)

[✉ cartographers@gmail.com](#)

**test group category**

[Edit Group Details](#)  
[Manage Group Members](#)  
[Delete this Group](#)  
[Group Activities](#)  
**Permissions**  
This group is **Public (invite-only)**.  
Anyone may view this group but membership is by invitation only.  
**Managers**  
 **admin**  
No Group

### Members



**admin**  
No Organization  
Info

0 2 4

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Fig. 246: Group Profile Details Page

- *Permissions* on the group (Public, Public(invite-only), Private);
- *Members* who join the group;
- *Managers* who manage the group.

There are also four links:

- The *Edit Group Details* link opens the *Group Profile Form* through which the following properties can be changed:
  - *Title*.
  - *Logo* (see next paragraphs).
  - *Description*.
  - *Email*, to contact one or all group members.
  - *Keywords*, a comma-separated list of keywords.
  - *Access*, which regulates permissions:
    - \* *Public*: any registered user can view and join a public group.
    - \* *Public (invite-only)*: only invited users can join, any registered user can view the group.
    - \* *Private*: only invited users can join the group, registered users cannot see any details about the group, including membership.
  - *Categories*, the group categories the group belongs to.
- *Manage Group Members* (see next paragraphs).
- the *Delete this Group*, click on it to delete the Group Profile. GeoNode requires you to confirm this action.

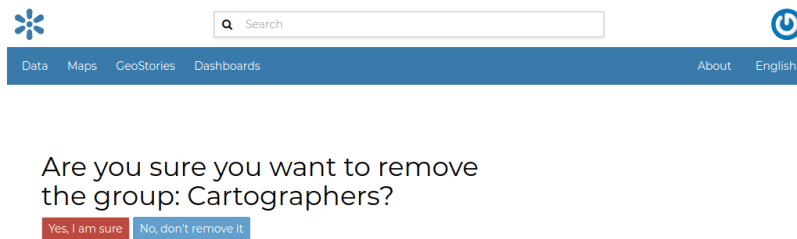


Fig. 247: *Confirm Group Deletion*

- the *Group Activities* drives you to the *Group Activities Page* where you can see all datasets, maps and documents associated with the group. There is also a *Comments* tab which shows comments on those resources.

## Group Logo

Each group represents something in common between its members. So each group should have a *Logo* which graphically represents the idea that identify the group.

On the *Group Profile Form* page you can insert a logo from your disk by click on *Browse...*

Click on *Update* to apply the changes.

Take a look at your group now, you should be able to see that logo.



## Activity Feed for Cartographers

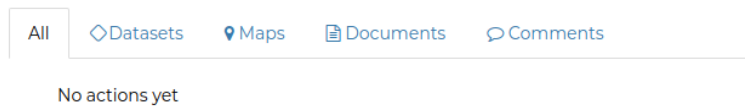


Fig. 248: *Group Activities*

## Update Group

**Title**

Cartographers

**Logo**

Currently: [people\\_group/carto.jpeg](#) ☐ Clear

Change:

thumb.png

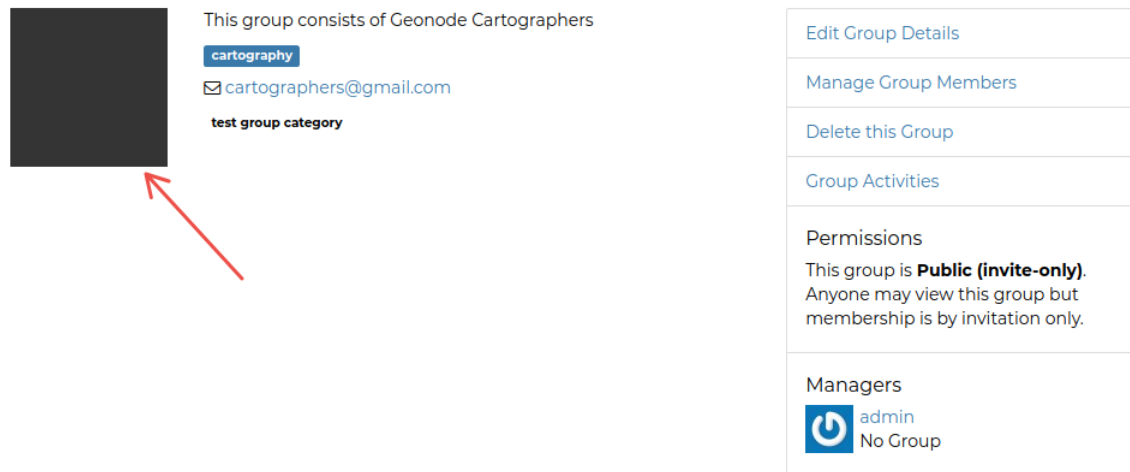
**Description**

This group consists of Geonode Cartographers

Fig. 249: *Editing the Group Logo*

## Cartographers

Last Modified: Nov. 29, 2021, 11:41 a.m.



This group consists of Geonode Cartographers

[cartography](#)

✉ [cartographers@gmail.com](mailto:cartographers@gmail.com)

test group category

- [Edit Group Details](#)
- [Manage Group Members](#)
- [Delete this Group](#)
- [Group Activities](#)

**Permissions**

This group is **Public (invite-only)**. Anyone may view this group but membership is by invitation only.

**Managers**


 [admin](#)  
No Group

Fig. 250: *The Group Logo*

### Managing Group members

The *Manage Group Members* link opens the *Group Members Page* which shows *Group Members* and *Group Managers*. **Managers** can edit group details, can delete the group, can see the group activities and can manage memberships. Other **Members** can only see the group activities.

In Public Groups, users can join the group without any approval. Other types of groups require the user to be invited by the group managers.

Only group managers can *Add new members*. In the picture below, you can see the manager can search for users by typing their names into the *User Identifiers* search bar. Once found, he can add them to the group by clicking the *Add Group Members* button. The *Assign manager role* flag implies that all the users found will become managers of the group.

The following picture shows you the results.

If you want to change the role of group members after adding them, you can use the “promote” button to make a member into a manager, and the “demote” button to make a manager into a regular member.

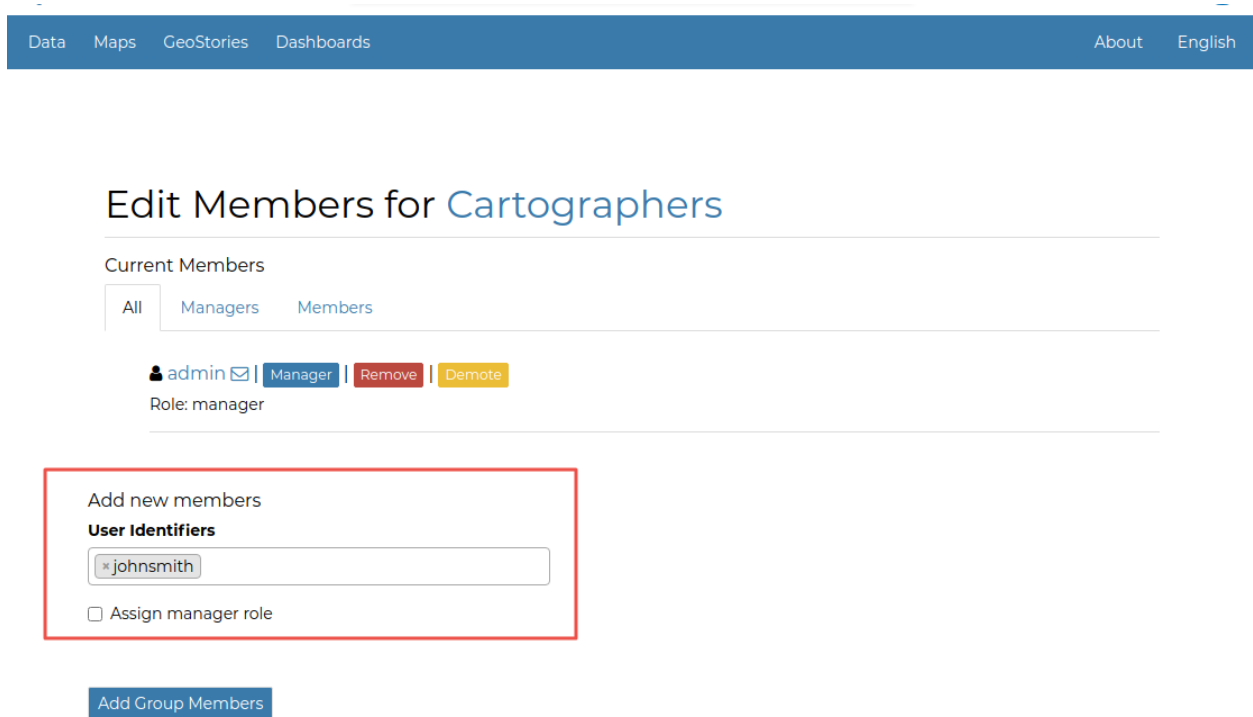


Fig. 251: Adding a new Member to the Group

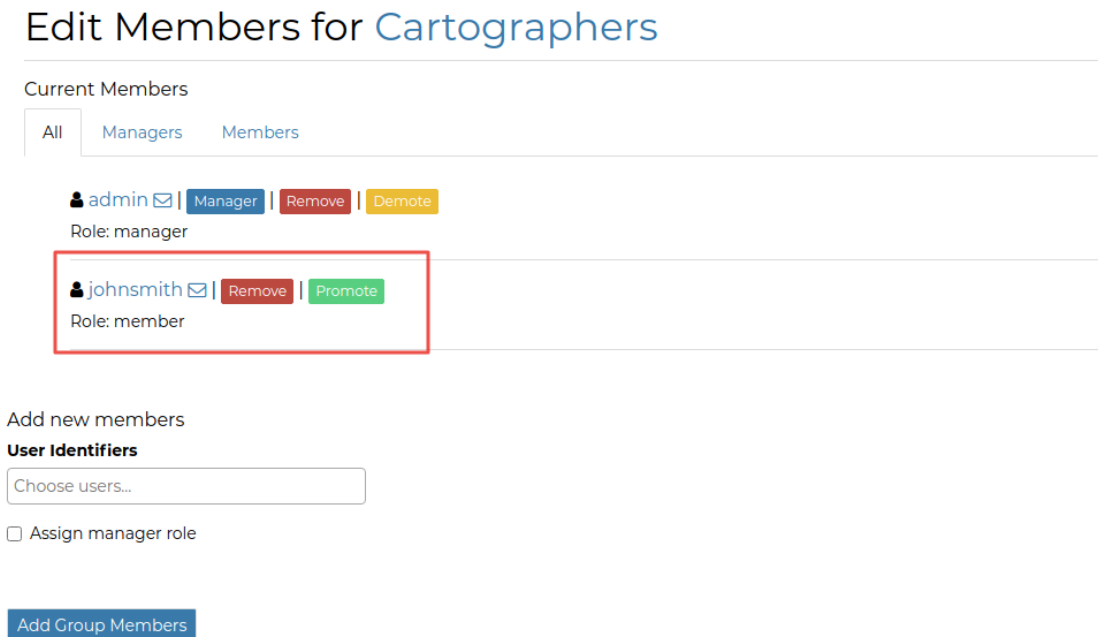


Fig. 252: New Members of the Group

### 1.23.10 Group based advanced data workflow

By default GeoNode is configured to make every resource suddenly available to everyone, i.e. publicly accessible even from anonymous/non-logged in users.

It is actually possible to change few configuration settings in order to allow GeoNode to enable an advanced publication workflow.

With the advanced workflow enabled, your resources won't be automatically published (i.e. made visible and accessible for all, contributors or simple users).

For now, your item is only visible by yourself, the manager of the group to which the resource is linked (this information is filled in the metadata), the members of this group, and the GeoNode Administrators.

Before being published, the resource will follow a two-stage review process, which is described below:

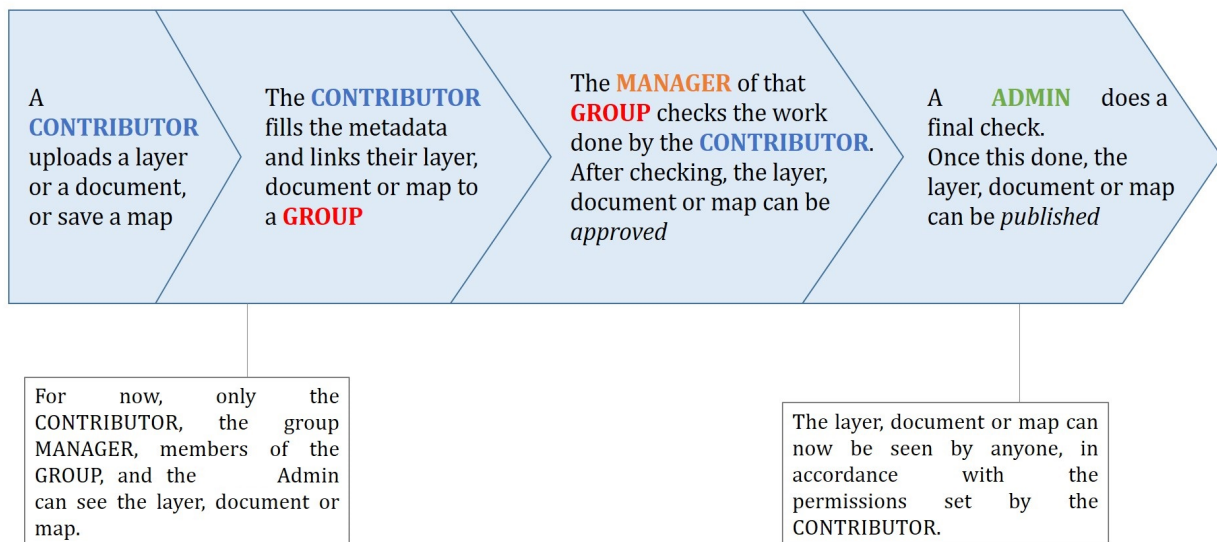


Fig. 253: From upload to publication: the review process on GeoNode

#### How to enable the advanced workflow

You have to tweak the GeoNode settings accordingly.

Please see the details of the following GeoNode Settings:

- `RESOURCE_PUBLISHING`
- `ADMIN_MODERATE_UPLOADS`
- `GROUP_PRIVATE_RESOURCES`

Summarizing, when all the options above of the Advanced Workflow are enabled, upon a new upload we will have:

- The “**unpublished**” resources will be **hidden to anonymous users only**. The **registered users** will be still able to access the resources (if they have the rights to do that, of course).
- The “**unpublished**” resources will remain hidden to users if the permission (see *Admin Guide section: ‘Manage Permissions’*) will be explicitly removed

- During the upload, whenever the advanced workflow is enabled, the **owner's Groups** are automatically allowed to access the resource, even if the **“anonymous”** flag has been disabled. Those permissions can be removed later on
- During the upload, **“managers”** of the owner's Groups associated to the resource, are always allowed to edit the resource, the same as they are admin for that resource
- **“managers”** of the owner's Groups associated to the resource are allowed to **“publish”** also the resources, not only to **“approve”** them

### Change the owner rights in case of advanced workflow is on

After switching `ADMIN_MODERATE_UPLOADS` to `True` and resource is approved owner is no longer able to modify it. He will see new button on the resource detail page: Request change. After clicking this, view with short form is shown. On this view user can write short message why he want to modify the resource.

This message will be sent through messaging and email system to administrators:

After administrator unapprove the resource owner is again able to modify it.

### The group Manager approval

Here, the role of the Manager of the group to which your dataset, document or map is linked is to check that the uploaded item is correct. Particularly, in the case of a dataset or a map, it consists of checking that the chosen cartographic representation and the style are fitting but also that the discretization is appropriate.

The Manager must also check that the metadata are properly completed and that the mandatory information (Title, Abstract, Edition, Keywords, Category, Group, Region) are filled.

If needed, the Manager can contact the contributor responsible of the dataset, document or map in order to report potential comments or request clarifications.

Members of the group can also take part in the reviewing process and give some potential inputs to the responsible of the dataset, document or map.

When the Manager considers that the resource is ready to be published, he should approve it. To do so, the Manager goes to the resource detail page, then opens the *Edit Metadata*. In the *Settings* tab, the manager checks the *Approved* box, and then updates the metadata and saves the changes:

Following this approval, the GeoNode Administrators receive a notification informing them that an item is now waiting for publication

### The publication by the GeoNode Administrator

Prior to the public release of an approved resource, the Administrator of the platform performs a final validation of the item and its metadata, notably to check that it is in line with license policies.

If needed, the GeoNode Administrator can contact the Manager who has approved the resource, as well as its responsible.

Once the resource is validated, the item is made public by the Administrator. It can now be viewed, accessed, and downloaded in accordance with the *Permissions* set by the responsible contributor.

## Promotion, Demotion and Removal of Group Members

If the owner is a group Manager, They have permissions to edit, approve, and publish the resource.

When a group member is promoted to a manager role, they gain permissions to edit, approve and publish the resource.

When a group manager is demoted to a member role, they lose edit permissions of the resource and only remain with view and download permissions.

When a member is removed from the group, they can no longer access the unpublished resource anymore.

### 1.23.11 Manage profiles using the admin panel

So far GeoNode implements two distinct roles, that can be assigned to resources such as datasets, maps or documents:

- party who authored the resource
- party who can be contacted for acquiring knowledge about or acquisition of the resource

These two profiles can be set in the GeoNode interface by accessing the metadata page and setting the **Point of Contact** and **Metadata Author** fields respectively.

Is possible for an administrator to add new roles if needed, by clicking on the *Add contact role* button in the *Base -> Contact Roles* section:

The screenshot shows the Django administration interface for GeoNode. The top navigation bar includes 'Django administration', 'GeoNode', 'admin', and 'View site'. The breadcrumb trail is 'Home > Base > Contact roles > Add contact role'. The main form is titled 'Add contact role' and contains three fields: 'Resource' (a dropdown menu with 'single\_point.txt' selected), 'Contact' (a dropdown menu with 'johnsmith' selected, followed by a right arrow and a plus sign), and 'Role' (a dropdown menu with '\*\*\*\*\*' selected). Below the 'Role' field is a small text label: 'function performed by the responsible party'. At the bottom of the form are three buttons: 'Save and continue editing', 'Save and add another', and 'Save'.

Clicking on the *People* section (see figure) will open a web for with some personal information plus a section called *Users*.

The screenshot shows a section with two tabs: 'People' and 'Users'. The 'People' tab is currently selected and highlighted in blue. The 'Users' tab is below it and has a blue plus sign to its right.

Is important that this last section is not modified here unless the administrator is very confident in that operation.

## Change contact role

History

Resource	single_point.txt.txt	
Contact	admin	→ +
Role	party who authored the resource <small>function performed by the responsible party</small>	

### 1.23.12 Manage datasets using the admin panel

Some of the datasets information can be edited directly through the admin interface although the best place is in the *Dataset -> Metadata Edit* in GeoNode.

Clicking on the *Admin > Dataset > Datasets* link will show the list of available datasets.

Dataset	
Attributes	+
Datasets	+
Styles	+

**Warning:** It is not recommended to modify the Datasets' Attributes or Styles directly from the Admin dashboard unless you are aware of your actions.

The Metadata information can be changed for multiple datasets at once through the *Metadata batch edit* action. Select the datasets you want to edit in the batch and at the bottom, enter the *Metadata batch edit* action then click *Go*.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	330	geonode:ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31	ne_10m_airports_vufl8s31	Nov. 17, 2021, 3:05 p.m.	Society	→ +
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	327	geonode:ne_10m_airports_vufl8s30	ne_10m_airports_vufl8s30	Nov. 16, 2021, 3:31 p.m.	-----	→ +

Metadata batch edit
94d7ef36d54e81afde607d8fd121772b\_pl\_1
Go
Save

This will open a form with the information you can edit in a batch. see picture below.

By clicking over one Dataset link, it will show a detail page allowing you to modify some of the resource info like the metadata, the keywords, the title, etc.

**Note:** It is strongly recommended to always use the GeoNode resource *Edit Metadata* or *Advanced Metadata* tools in order to edit the metadata info.

The Permissions can be changed also for multiple Datasets at once through the *Set permissions* action.

By clicking over one Dataset link, it will show a detail page allowing you to modify the permissions for the selected resources.

## Batch Edit

**Group**  
----- ▾

**Owner**  
----- ▾

**Category**  
----- ▾

**License**  
----- ▾

**Regions**  
----- ▾

**Date**

**Language**  
----- ▾

**Keywords**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	344	geonode:statistical_area_2_2018_generalised	statistical_area_2_2018_generalised	Nov. 19, 2021, 3:06 a.m.	----- ▾	→ +
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	342	geonode:arbres	Arbresville	Nov. 18, 2021, 4:30 p.m.	----- ▾	→ +

Set permissions ▾

94d7ef36d54e81afde607d8fd121772b\_pl\_1

Go

Save

### 1.23.13 Manage the maps using the admin panel

Similarly to the Datasets, it is possible to manage the available GeoNode Maps through the Admin panel also.

Move to *Admin > Maps* to access the Maps list.



Notice that by enabling the Featured option here, will allow GeoNode to show the Map thumbnail and the Map detail link at the top under featured resources on the *Home Page*

Metadata uploaded preserve

Metadata xml: `<gmd:MD_Metadata xmlns:gmd="http://www.isotc211.org/2005/gmd"/>`

Popular count:

Share count:

☒ **Featured**  
Should this resource be advertised in home page?

☒ **Is Published**  
Should this resource be published and searchable?

☒ **Approved**  
Is this resource validated from a publisher or editor?

### 1.23.14 Manage the documents using the admin panel

Similarly to the Datasets and Maps, it is possible to manage the available GeoNode Documents through the Admin panel also.

Move to *Admin > Documents* to access the Documents list.

By clicking over one Document link, it will show a detail page allowing you to modify some of the resource info like the metadata, the keywords, the title, etc.

The screenshot shows the GeoNode homepage. At the top, there is a search bar and navigation links for Data, Maps, GeoStories, Dashboards, About, and English. The main header features the GeoNode logo and the tagline 'sharing geospatial data and maps.' Below this, the 'Featured' section displays two data items:

- single\_point.txt**: No abstract provided. User: johnsmith. View button.
- NE Sovereignty Data**: Natural Earth Data Test. User: allyoucanmap. View button.

The 'NE Sovereignty Data' item includes a world map and a table of data.

NAME	AREA	TYPE	STATUS	DATE	VALUE	UNIT	STATUS	DATE	VALUE	UNIT
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10

Documents

Documents



### 1.23.15 Manage the base metadata choices using the admin panel

*Admin > Base* contains almost all the objects you need to populate the resources metadata choices.

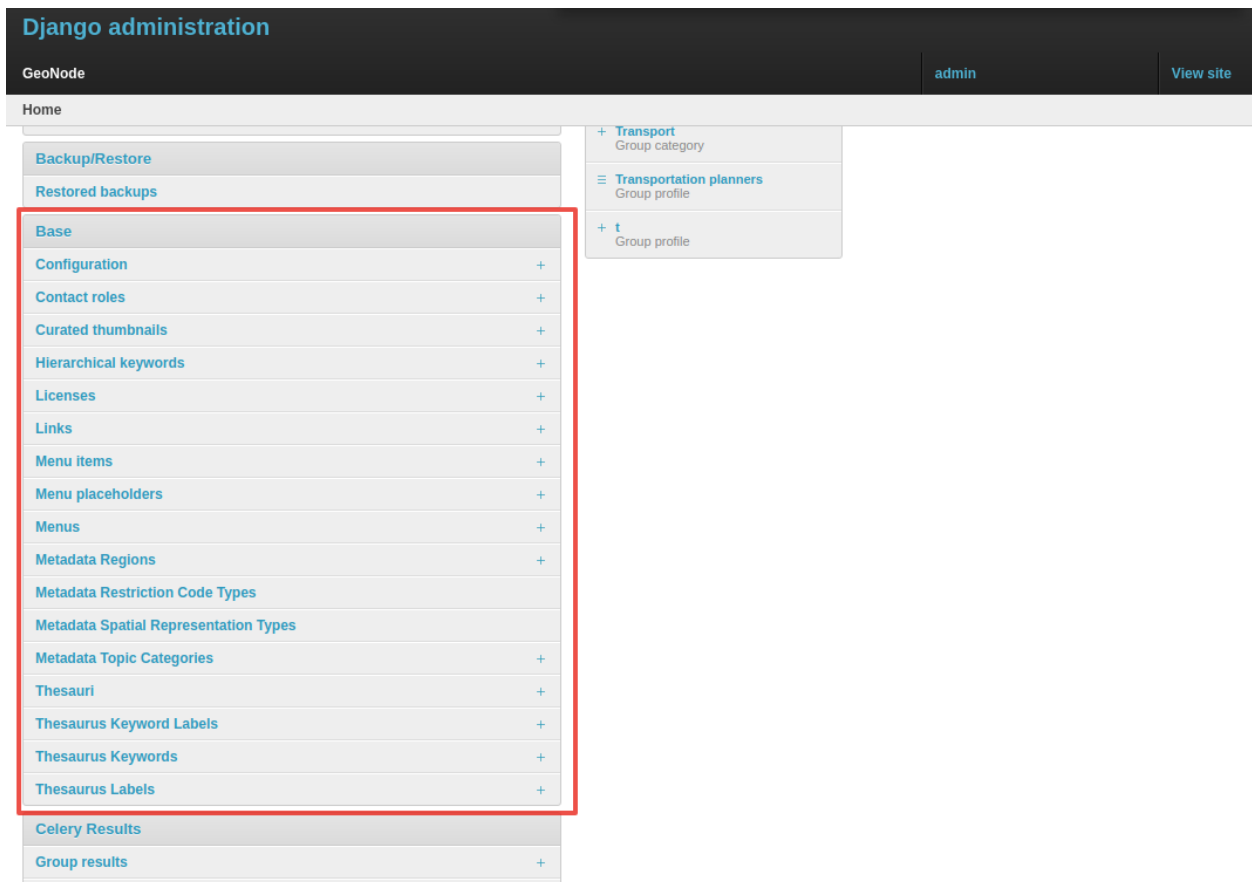


Fig. 254: Admin dashboard Base Panel

In other words the options available from the *select-boxes* of the resource *Edit Metadata* and *Advanced Metadata* forms.

**Note:** When editing the resource metadata through the *Edit Metadata*, some fields are marked as **mandatory** and by filling those information the **Completeness** progress will advance accordingly.

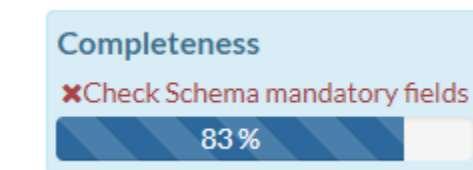


Fig. 257: Metadata Completeness

Even if not all the fields have been filled, the system won't prevent you to update the metadata; this is why the **Mandatory** fields are mandatory to be fully compliant with an ISO 19115 metadata schema, but are only recommended to be compliant with GeoNode.

Also the **Completeness** indicates how far the metadata is to be compliant with an ISO 19115 metadata schema.

## Metadata for places

Completeness  
 ✖ Check Schema mandatory fields  
 83%

Edit Preview Settings

Mandatory
Mandatory
Optional

1

Basic Metadata

2

Location and Licenses

3

Optional Metadata

4

Dataset Attributes

**Language ?**

English

**License ?**

Not Specified  
 -----  
 NextView  
 Not Specified  
 Open Data Commons Open Database License / OSM  
**Public Domain**  
 Public Domain / USG  
 Varied / Derived  
 Varied / Original

**Regions**

× Global

**Data quality statement ?**

General explanation of the data producer's knowledge about the lineage of a dataset  
 -----  
 Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

**Restrictions ?**

-----  
 \* Field declared Mandatory by the Metadata Schema

**Restrictions other ?**

other restrictions and legal prerequisites for accessing and using the resource or metadata  
 -----

Return to Layer
<< Back
Update
Next >>

Fig. 255: Metadata Form

Of course, it is **highly** recommended to always fill as much as possible at least all the metadata fields marked as Mandatory.

This will improve not only the quality of the data stored into the system, but will help the users to easily search for them on GeoNode.

All the Search & Filter panels and options of GeoNode are, in fact, based on the resources metadata fields. Too much generic descriptions and too empty metadata fields, will give highly un-precise and very wide search results to the users.

### Hierarchical keywords

Through the *Admin > Base > Hierarchical keywords* panel it will be possible to manage all the keywords associated to the resources.

- The *Name* is the human readable text of the keyword, what users will see.
- The *Slug* is a unique label used by the system to identify the keyword; most of the times it is equal to the name.

Notice that through the *Position* and *Relative to* selectors, it is possible to establish a hierarchy between the available keywords. The hierarchy will be reflected in the form of a tree from the metadata panels.

By default each user with editing metadata rights on any resource, will be able to insert new keywords into the system by simply typing a free text on the keywords metadata field.

It is possible to force the user to select from a fixed list of keywords through the `FREE-TEXT_KEYWORDS_READONLY` setting.

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Maintenance frequency

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Free-text Keywords

features ×  
ne\_10m\_populated\_places\_simple ×

buildings

**builtup\_area**

catastro

catastro\_sc

climate outlook 40 June July and August

Regions

× Global

Restrictions

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Restrictions other

other restrictions and legal prerequisites for  
accessing and using the resource or metadata

Fig. 256: Advanced Metadata Form

Django administration

GeoNode admin View site

Home > Base > Hierarchical keywords

Hierarchical keywords + Add hierarchical keyword

101 total 1 2 Show all

0 of 100 selected All 101 selected Select all 101 hierarchical keywords Clear selection

- ☐ + Hierarchical keyword
- ☐ + AREAS\_PROTEGIDAS
- ☐ + ArcGIS REST MapServer
- ☐ + Atmospheric conditions
- ☐ + BTN25
- ☐ + COLINDANCIA\_BELICE
- ☐ + CUENCAS\_HIDRO\_50000
- ☐ + CUERPO\_AGUA
- ☐ + CartoCiudad
- ☐ + Coordinate reference systems
- ☐ + DES\_CRO\_IVISAN
- ☐ + Data
- ☐ + Direcciones
- ☐ + ESRI
- ☐ + Elevaciones
- ☐ + GEOSERVER
- ☐ + GRAY\_HR\_SR\_OB\_DR
- ☐ + GeoTIFF
- ☐ + HYP\_HR\_SR\_OB\_DR
- ☐ + Hidrografia
- ☐ + IDEE
- ☐ + ImageMosaic

Fig. 258: Hierarchical keywords list

Django administration

GeoNode admin View site

Home > Base > Hierarchical keywords > AREAS\_PROTEGIDAS

Change hierarchical keyword History

Name AREAS\_PROTEGIDAS

Slug areas\_protegidas

Position Child of

Relative to -- root --

Fig. 259: Hierarchical keywords edit

When set to *True* keywords won't be writable from users anymore. Only admins can will be able to manage them through the *Admin > Base > Hierarchical keywords* panel.

## Licenses

Through the *Admin > Base > Licenses* panel it will be possible to manage all the licenses associated to the resources.

[Edit](#)
[Preview](#)
[Settings](#)

Mandatory
Mandatory

**1**
**2**

Basic Metadata
 Location and Licenses

Language ?  
 English

License ?  
 Open Data Commons Open Database License / OSM  
 -----  
 NextView  
 Not Specified  
 Open Data Commons Open Database License / OSM  
 Public Domain  
 Public Domain / USG  
 Varied / Derived  
 Varied / Original

Regions  
 × Global

Data quality statement ?  
 General explanation of the d  
 knowledge about the lineag  
 Field declared Mandatory by the Metadat

Fig. 260: *Metadata editor Licenses*

**Warning:** It is **strongly** recommended to not publish resources without an appropriate license. Always make sure the data provider specifies the correct license and that all the restrictions have been honored.

## Metadata Regions

Through the *Admin > Base > Metadata Regions* panel it will be possible to manage all the admin areas associated to the resources.

Fig. 261: Resource Metadata Regions

Notice that those regions are used by GeoNode to filter search results also through the resource list view.

**Note:** GeoNode tries to guess the Regions intersecting the data bounding boxes when uploading a new dataset. Those should be refined by the user dataset on anyway.

## Metadata Restriction Code Types and Spatial Representation Types

Through the *Admin > Base > Metadata Restriction Code Types* and *Admin > Base > Metadata Spatial Representation Types* panels, it will be possible to **update only** the metadata descriptions for restrictions and spatial representation types.

Such lists are *read-only* by default since they have been associated to the specific codes of the ISO 19115 metadata schema. Changing them would require the system to provide a custom dictionary through the metadata catalog too. Such functionality is not supported actually by GeoNode.

## Metadata Topic Categories

Through the *Admin > Base > Metadata Topic Categories* panel it will be possible to manage all the resource metadata categories available into the system.

Notice that by default, GeoNode provides the standard topic categories available with the ISO 19115 metadata schema. Changing them means that the system won't be compliant with the standard ISO 19115 metadata schema anymore. ISO 19115 metadata schema extensions are not currently supported natively by GeoNode.

It is worth notice that GeoNode allows you to associate [Font Awesome Icons](#) to each topic category through their fa-icon code. Those icons will be used by GeoNode to represent the topic category on both the Search & Filter menus and *Metadata* panels.

**Warning:** The list of the *Metadata Topic Categories* on the home page is currently fixed. To change it you will need to update or override the `GeoNode index.html` HTML template.

By default the *Metadata Topic Categories* are *writable*. Meaning that they can be removed or created by the *Admin* panel.

It is possible to make them fixed (it will be possible to update their descriptions and icons only) through the `MODIFY_TOPICCATEGORY` setting.

### 1.23.16 Announcements

As an Administrator you might need to broadcast announcements to the world about your portal or simply to the internal contributors.

GeoNode **Announcements** allow actually to do that; an admin has the possibility to create three types of messages, accordingly to their severity, decide their validity in terms of time period (start date and expiring date of the announcement), who can view them or not (everyone or just the registered members) and whenever a user can hide the message or not and how long.

There are three types of announcements accordingly to their severity level: **General**, **Warning** and **Critical**. The difference is mainly the color of the announcement box.

Only administrators and staff members can create and manage announcements.

Currently there are two ways to access and manage the announcements list:

1. Via the GeoNode interface, from the *Profile* panel

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**Note:** Those are accessible by both admins and staff members.

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2. Via the GeoNode *Admin* panel

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**Note:** Those are accessible by admins only.

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The functionalities are almost the same for both the interfaces, except that from the *Admin* panel it is possible to manage the dismissals too.

Dismissals are basically records of members that have read the announcement and closed the message box. An announcement can have one `dismissal type` among the three below:

1. *No Dismissal Allowed* it won't be possible to close the announcement's message box at all.

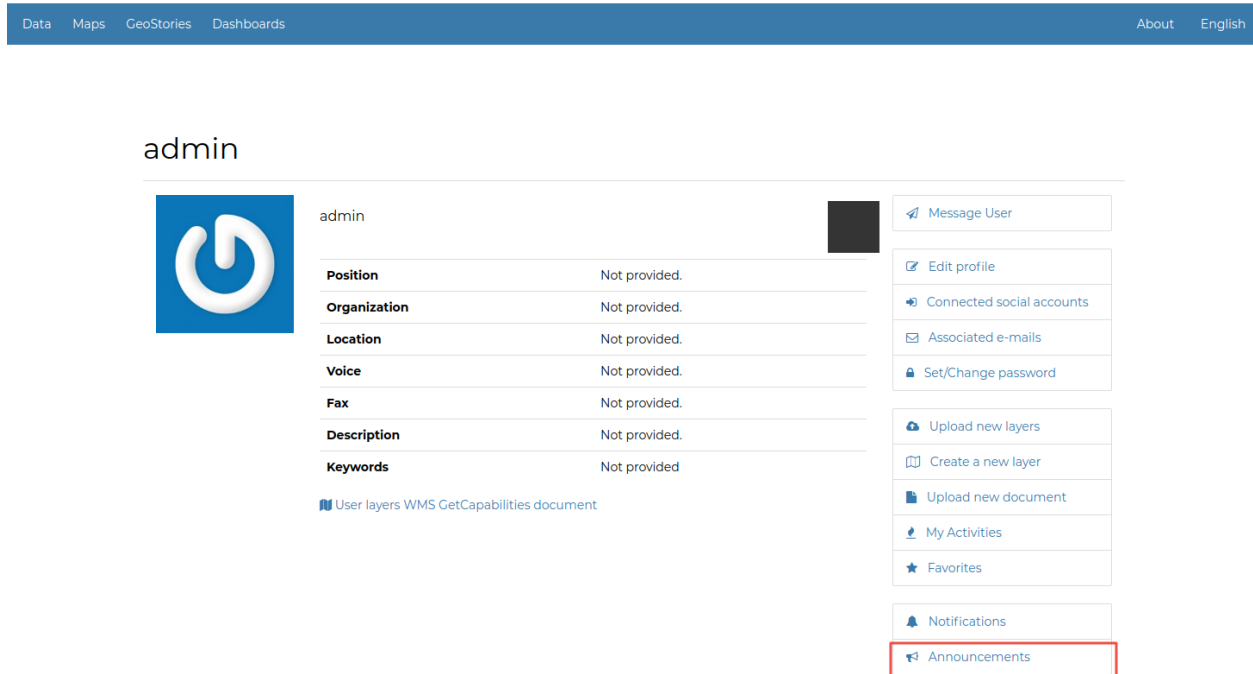


Fig. 262: Announcements from the Profile panel

2. *Session Only Dismissal* (\*) the default one, it will be possible to close the announcement's message box for the current browser session. It will show up again at next access.
3. *Permanent Dismissal Allowed* once the announcement's message box is closed, it won't appear again for the current member.

## How to create and manage Announcements

From the *Profile* panel, click on **Announcements** link

Click either on *New Announcement* to create a new one or over a title of an existing one to manage its contents.

Create a new announcement is quite straight; you have to fill the fields provided by the form.

**Warning:** In order to be visible, you will need to check the *Site wide* option **in any case**. You might want to hide the message to *anonymous* users by enabling the *Members only* option too.

Managing announcements from the *Admin* panel, is basically the same; the fields for the form will be exactly the same.

Accessing announcements options from the *Admin* panel, allows you to manage dismissals also. Through this interface you will be able to selectively decide members which can or cannot view a specific announcement, or force them to visualize the messages again by deleting the dismissals accordingly.

Accounts	
Email addresses	+
Actstream	
Actions	+
Follows	+
Announcements	
Announcements	+
Dismissals	+
Authentication and Authorization	
Groups	+
Avatar	
Avatars	+
Backup/Restore	
Restored backups	
Base	
Configuration	+
Contact roles	+
Curated thumbnails	+

+ Announcement object (1)	Announcement
+ Transport	Group category
≡ Transportation planners	Group profile
+ t	Group profile
≡ joe	User
+ joe	User
≡ Dev	Geo node theme customization
≡ Dev	Geo node theme customization
+ Slide 3   <Enabled: [✓] -- Hide Text: [✓]	Jumbotron theme slide
+ Slide 2   <Enabled: [✓] -- Hide Text: [X]	Jumbotron theme slide





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New Announcement

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## Create Announcement

**Title**

  
**Level**

General ▼

**Content**

☐ Site wide  
☐ Members only

**Dismissal type**

Session Only Dismissal ▼

**Publish\_start**

2019-06-27 13:24:04

**Publish\_end**

Fig. 265: Create Announcement from the Profile panel

**Django administration**

GeoNode admin View site

[Home](#) > [Announcements](#) > [Announcements](#) > [Add announcement](#)

### Add announcement

Title	<input type="text"/>
Level	<input type="text" value="General"/>
Content	<div></div>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Site wide
	<input type="checkbox"/> Members only
Publish_start	<input type="text" value="2021-11-29"/> <input type="text" value="13:56:51"/>
Publish_end	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Dismissal type	<input type="text" value="Session Only Dismissal"/>

Fig. 266: Create Announcement from the Admin panel

**Django administration**

GeoNode

[Home](#) > [Announcements](#) > [Dismissals](#) > [Add dismissal](#)

### Add dismissal

User	<input type="text" value="-----"/> → +
Announcement	<input type="text" value="Announcement object (1)"/> → +
Dismissed at	<input type="text" value="2021-11-29"/> <input type="text" value="14:00:08"/>

Fig. 267: Create Dismissal from the Admin panel

### 1.23.17 Menus, Items and Placeholders

GeoNode provides some integrated functionalities allowing you to quickly and easily customize the top-bar menu (see the example below).

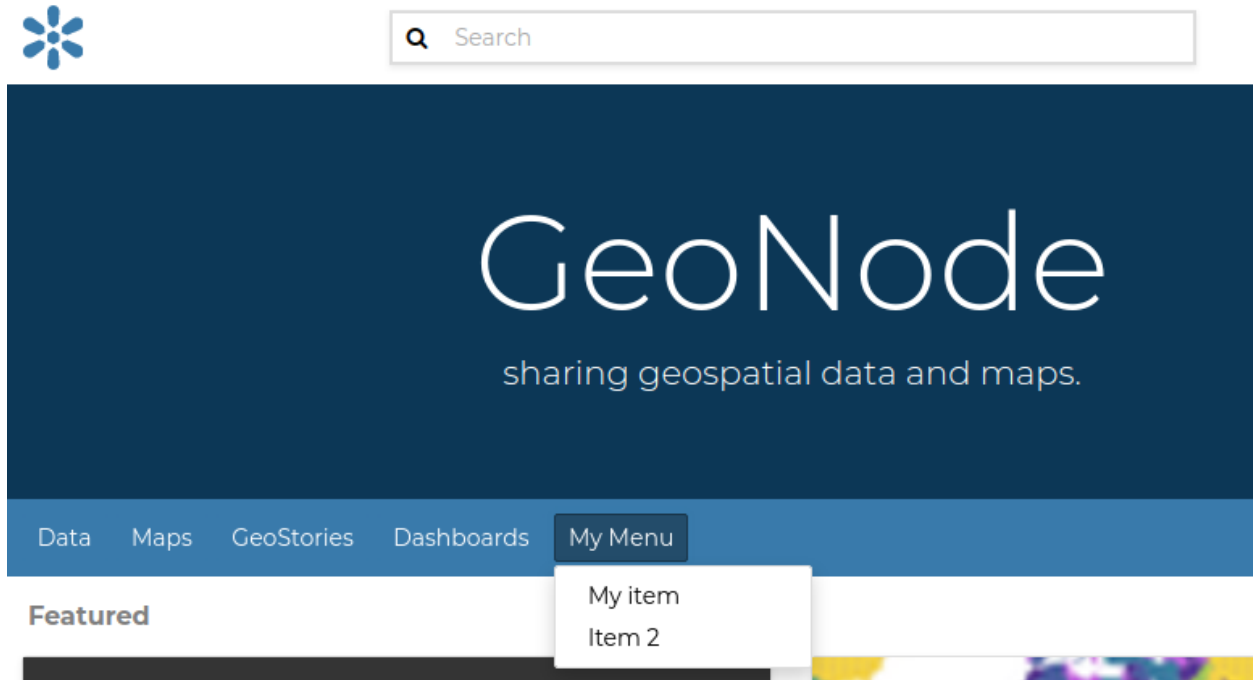


Fig. 268: GeoNode Top-Bar Menu customization

With minor changes of the `basic.html` template, potentially, it could be possible to use the same approach for a more complex customization. Let's start with the simple one.

By default GeoNode provides custom placeholders already defined into the `basic.html` template, called `CARDS_MENU`, `TOPBAR_MENU_RIGHT`, `TOPBAR_MENU_LEFT`, `TOPBAR_MENU`.

From the *Admin > Base* panel, it is possible to access to the Menu, Menu Items and Menu Placeholder options.

The hierarchical structure of a custom Menu is the following one:

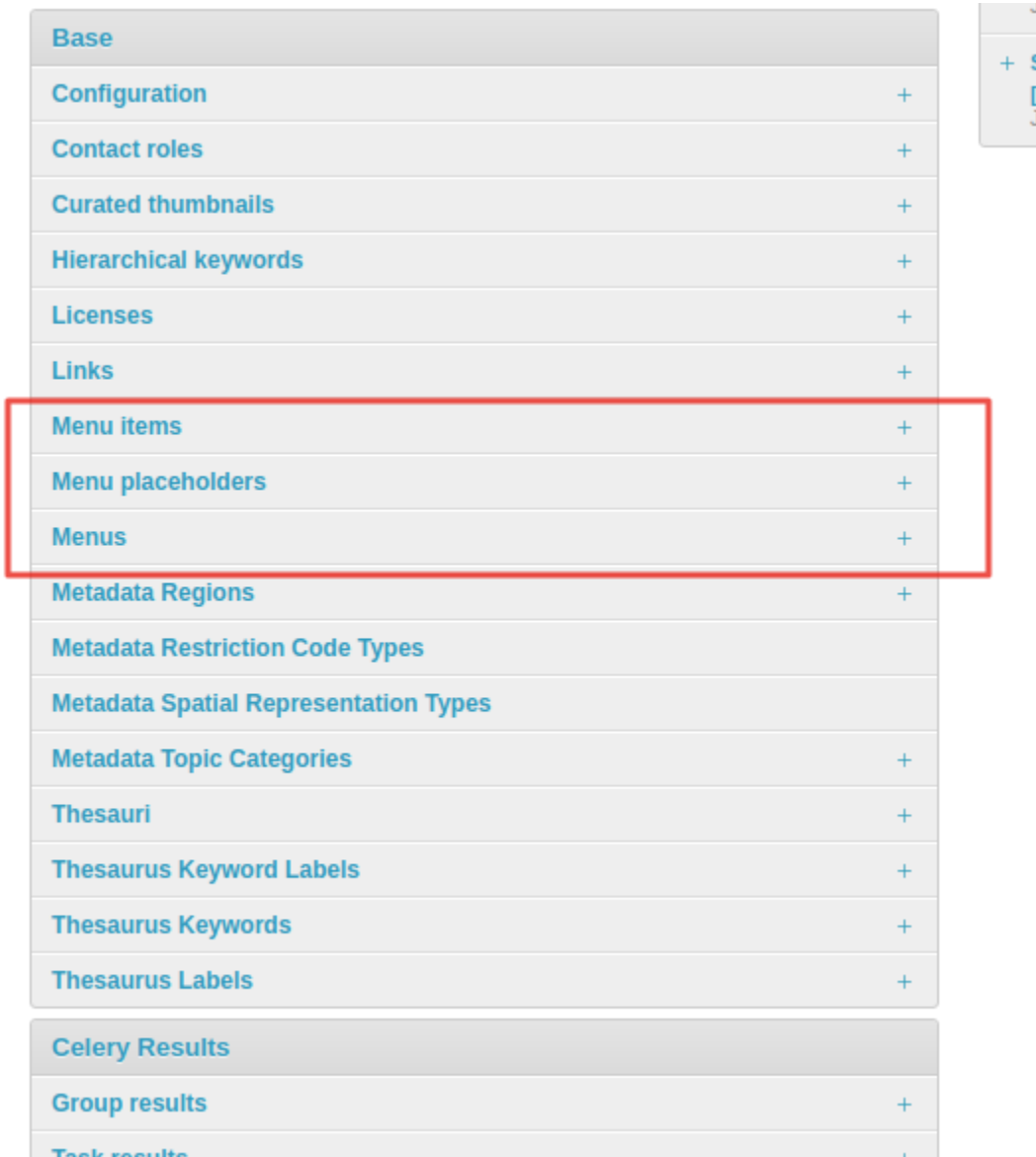
1. **Menu Placeholder;** first of all you need to define a *placeholder* both into the *Admin > Base* panel and the `basic.html` template. By default GeoNode provides already defined menus.
2. **Menu;** second thing to do is to create a new *menu* associated to the corresponding *placeholder*. This is still possible from the *Admin > Base* panel

You will need to provide:

- A Title, representing the name of the Menu visible by the users

**Warning:** By using this approach, internationalization won't be supported. For the time being GeoNode does not support this for menus created from the *Admin > Base* panel.

- A Menu Placeholder from the existing ones.
- A Order in the case you'll create more menus associated to the same placeholder.



Base	
Configuration	+
Contact roles	+
Curated thumbnails	+
Hierarchical keywords	+
Licenses	+
Links	+
Menu items	+
Menu placeholders	+
Menus	+
Metadata Regions	+
Metadata Restriction Code Types	
Metadata Spatial Representation Types	
Metadata Topic Categories	+
Thesauri	+
Thesaurus Keyword Labels	+
Thesaurus Keywords	+
Thesaurus Labels	+
Celery Results	
Group results	+
Task results	+

Fig. 269: Menu, Menu Items and Menu Placeholder options on the Admin panel

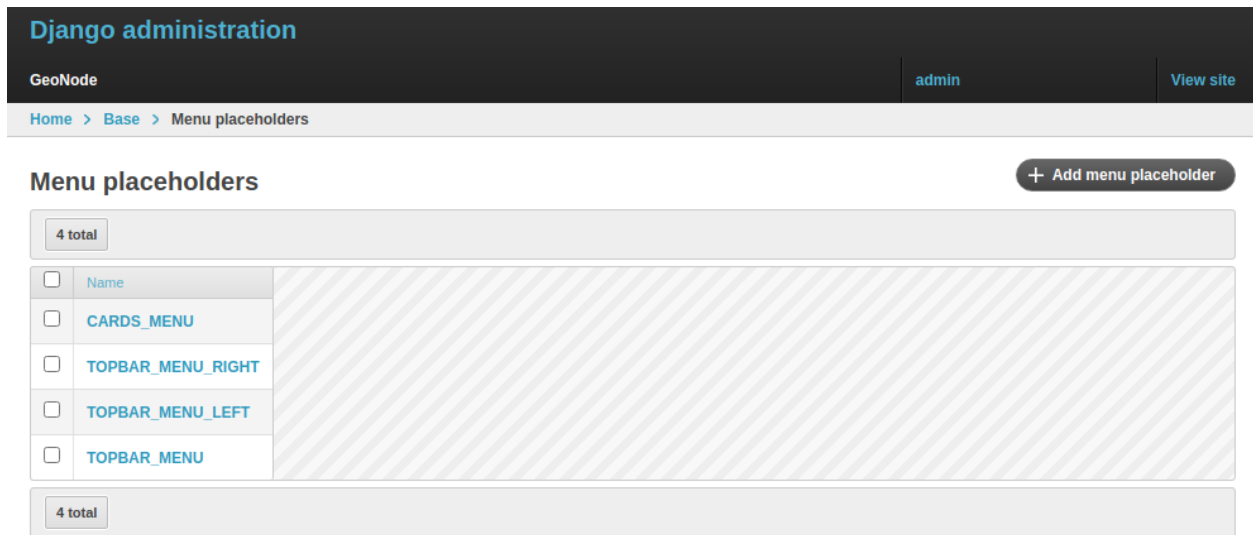


Fig. 270: The default `TOPBAR_MENU` Menu Placeholder on the Admin panel

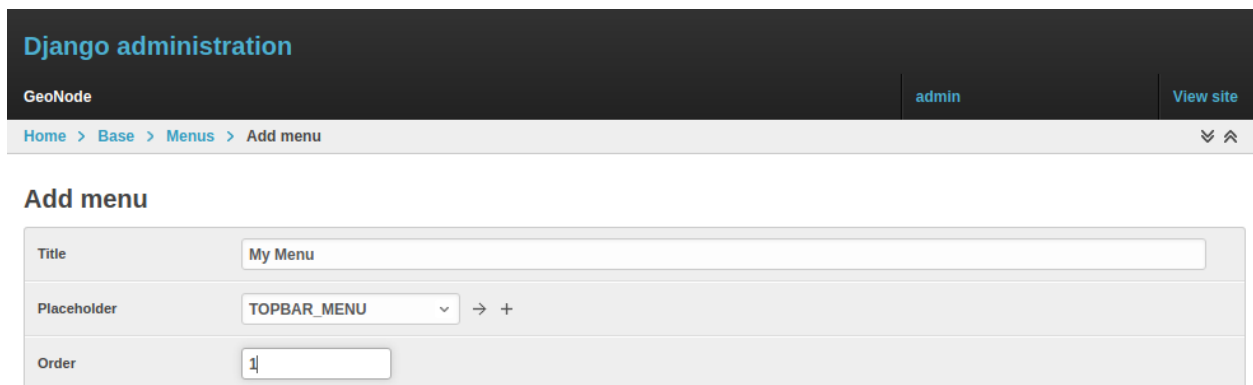


Fig. 271: Create a new Menu from the Admin panel

3. **Menu Item**; finally you will need to create voices belonging to the *menu*. For the time being, GeoNode allows you to create only `href` links.

The screenshot shows the Django administration interface for GeoNode. At the top, there's a header with 'Django administration' and 'GeoNode'. Below that, a breadcrumb trail reads 'Home > Base > Menu items > My item'. The main heading is 'Change menu item'. The form contains the following fields:

- Title:** A text input field containing 'My item'.
- Menu:** A dropdown menu showing 'My Menu' with a '+' icon to add more.
- Order:** A text input field containing '1'.
- Blank target:** A checkbox that is checked, with the label 'Blank target'.
- Url:** A text input field containing 'https://master.demo.geonode.org/'.

Fig. 272: Create a new Menu Item from the Admin panel

**Warning:** The Menu won't be visible until you add more than one Menu Item. If you have 1, item, the item will be showed (but not under the menu).

### 1.23.18 OAuth2 Access Tokens

This small section won't cover entirely the GeoNode OAuth2 security integration, this is explained in detail in other sections of the documentation (refer to `oauth2_fixtures_and_migration` and `oauth2_tokens_and_sessions`).

Here we will focus mainly on the *Admin > DJANGO/GEONODE OAUTH TOOLKIT* panel items with a specific attention to the **Access tokens** management.

The *Admin > DJANGO/GEONODE OAUTH TOOLKIT* panel (as shown in the figure below) allows an admin to manage everything related to GeoNode OAuth2 grants and permissions.

As better explained in other sections of the documentation, this is needed to correctly handle the communication between GeoNode and GeoServer.

Specifically from this panel an admin can create, delete or extend OAuth2 **Access tokens**.

The section `oauth2_tokens_and_sessions` better explains the concepts behind OAuth2 sessions; we want just to refresh the mind here about the basic concepts:

- If the `SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED` setting is set to *True* (by default it is set to *True*) a registered user cannot login to neither GeoNode nor GeoServer without a valid **Access token**.
- When logging-in into GeoNode through the sign-up form, GeoNode checks if a valid **Access token** exists and it creates a new one if not, or extends the existing one if expired.
- New **Access tokens** expire automatically after `ACCESS_TOKEN_EXPIRE_SECONDS` setting (by default 86400)

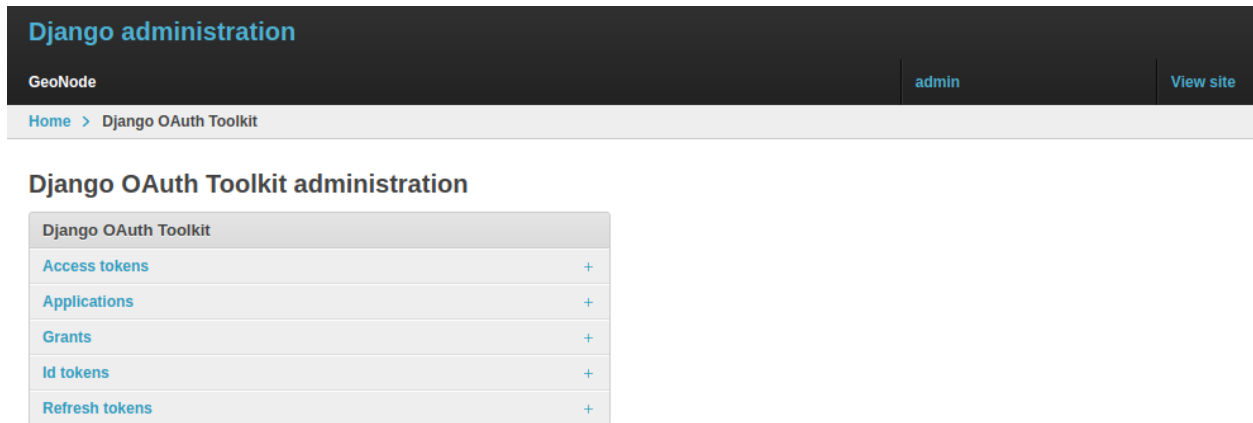


Fig. 273: *DJANGO/GEONODE OAUTH TOOLKIT Admin panel*

- When an Access token expires, the user will be kicked out from the session and forced to login again

### Create a new token or extend an existing one

It is possible from the *Admin > DJANGO/GEONODE OAUTH TOOLKIT* panel to create a new Access token for a user.

In order to do that, just click on the *Add* button beside Access tokens topic

On the new form

select the followings:

1. **User**; use the search tool in order to select the correct user. The form want the user PK, which is a number, and **not** the username. The search tool will do everything for you.
2. **Source refresh token**; this is not mandatory, leave it blank.
3. **Token**; write here any alphanumeric string. This will be the `access_token` that the member can use to access the OWS services. We suggest to use a service like <https://passwordsgenerator.net/> in order to generate a strong token string.
4. **Application**; select **GeoServer**, this is mandatory
5. **Expires**; select an expiration date by using the *date-time* widgets.
6. **Scope**; select **write**, this is mandatory.

Do not forget to *Save*.

From now on, GeoNode will use this Access Token to control the user session (notice that the user need to login again if closing the browser session), and the user will be able to access the OWS Services by using the new Access Token, e.g.:



Fig. 274: Add a new ``Access token``

The screenshot shows the Django administration interface for adding a new access token. The breadcrumb trail is "Home > Django OAuth Toolkit > Access tokens > Add access token". The form is titled "Add access token" and contains the following fields:

- User: A text input field with a search icon.
- Source refresh token: A text input field with a search icon.
- Token: A long text input field.
- Id token: A dropdown menu with a "→ +" button.
- Application: A dropdown menu with a "→ +" button.
- Expires: Two date/time input fields with calendar and clock icons.
- Scope: A large text area.

At the bottom of the form, there are three buttons: "Save and continue editing", "Save and add another", and "Save".

Fig. 275: Create an ``Access token``

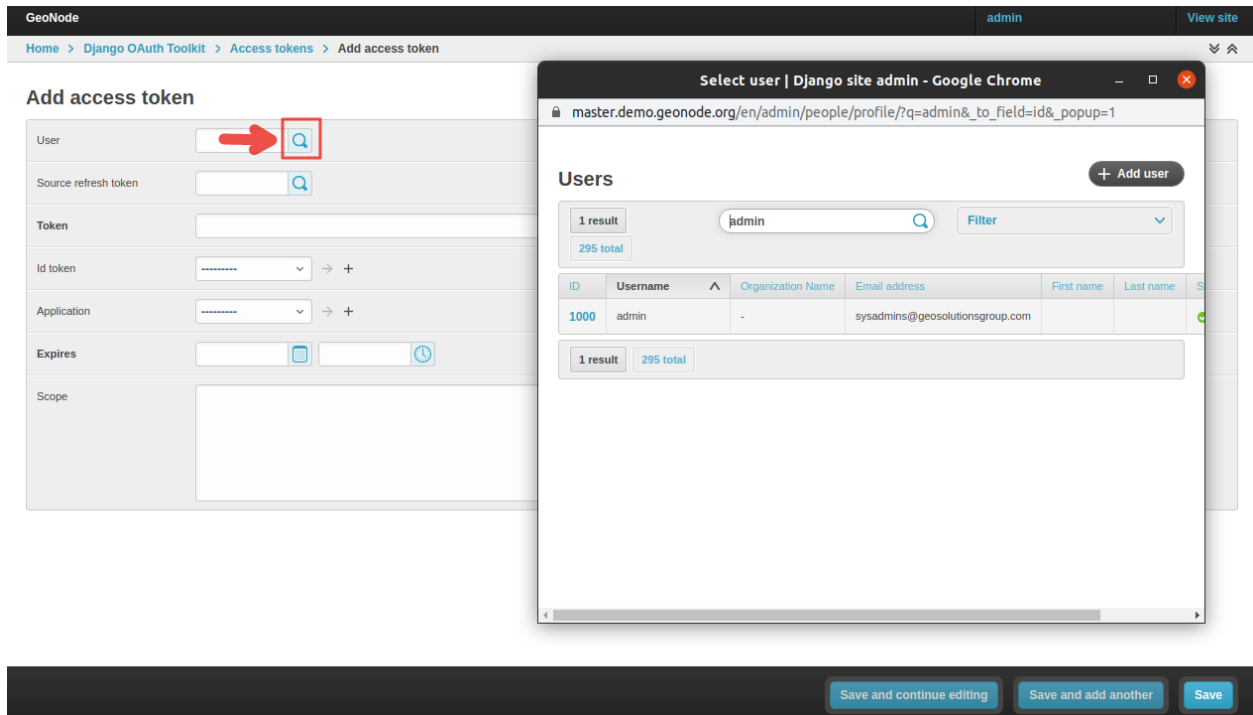


Fig. 276: Select a User

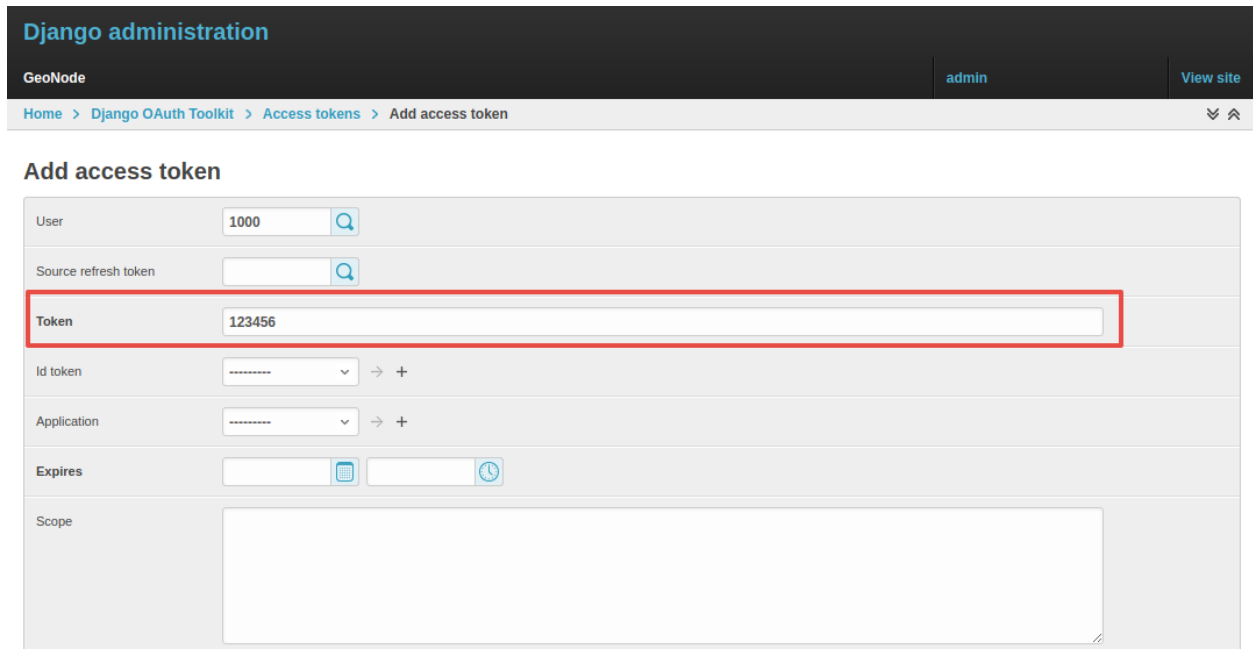


Fig. 277: Select a Token

### Add access token

User	<input type="text" value="1000"/>	
Source refresh token	<input type="text"/>	
Token	<input type="text" value="123456"/>	
Id token	<input type="text" value="*****"/>	→ +
Application	<input type="text" value="GeoServer"/>	→ +
Expires	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Scope	<input type="text"/>	

Fig. 278: Select the GeoServer Application

User	<input type="text" value="1000"/>	
Source refresh token	<input type="text"/>	
Token	<input type="text" value="123456"/>	
Id token	<input type="text" value="*****"/>	→ +
Application	<input type="text" value="GeoServer"/>	→ +
Expires	<input type="text" value="2022-01-04"/>	<input type="text" value="11:00"/>
Scope	<input type="text"/>	

Fig. 279: Select the Token Expiration

User	<input type="text" value="1000"/>	
Source refresh token	<input type="text"/>	
Token	<input type="text" value="123456"/>	
Id token	<input type="text" value="*****"/>	→ +
Application	<input type="text" value="GeoServer"/>	→ +
Expires	<input type="text" value="2022-01-04"/>	<input type="text" value="11:00"/>
Scope	<input type="text" value="write"/>	

Fig. 280: Select the Application Scope

```
https://dev.geonode.geo-solutions.it/geoserver/ows?service=wms&version=1.3.0&
↪request=GetCapabilities&access_token=123456
```

Notice the ...quest=GetCapabilities&access\_token=123456 (**access\_token**) parameter at the end of the URL.

### Force a User Session to expire

Everything said about the creation of a new Access Token, applies to the deletion of the latter.

From the same interface an admin can either select an expiration date or delete all the Access Tokens associated to a user, in order to force its session to expire.

Remember that the user could activate another session by logging-in again on GeoNode with its credentials.

In order to be sure the user won't force GeoNode to refresh the token, reset first its password or de-activate it.

## 1.24 GeoNode Management Commands

Management commands are utility functions for GeoNode maintenance tasks. They are usually run from an SSH/bash shell on the server running GeoNode. Any call to python is prepended with a configuration parameter to indicate the GeoNode settings module to be used.

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --help
```

**Note:** If you have enabled local\_settings.py the command will change as follows:

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --help
```

### 1.24.1 Migrate GeoNode Base URL

The `migrate_baseurl` *Management Command* allows you to fix all the GeoNode Links whenever, for some reason, you need to change the *Domain Name* of *IP Address* of GeoNode.

This **must** be used also in the cases you'll need to change the network schema from HTTP to HTTPS, as an instance.

First of all let's take a look at the `-help` option of the `migrate_baseurl` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --help
```

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py migrate_baseurl [-h] [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH] [--traceback]
 [--no-color] [-f]
 [--source-address SOURCE_ADDRESS]
 [--target-address TARGET_ADDRESS]
```

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## Migrate GeoNode VM Base URL

optional arguments:

```

-h, --help show this help message and exit
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color Don't colorize the command output.
-f, --force Forces the execution without asking for confirmation.
--source-address SOURCE_ADDRESS
 Source Address (the one currently on DB e.g.
 http://192.168.1.23)
--target-address TARGET_ADDRESS
 Target Address (the one to be changed e.g. http://my-
 public.geonode.org)

```

- **Example 1:** I want to move my GeoNode instance from `http://127.0.0.1` to `http://example.org`

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --
→source-address=127.0.0.1 --target-address=example.org
```

- **Example 2:** I want to move my GeoNode instance from `http://example.org` to `https://example.org`

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --
→source-address=http://example.org --target-address=https://example.org
```

- **Example 3:** I want to move my GeoNode instance from `https://example.org` to `https://geonode.example.org`

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py migrate_baseurl --
→source-address=example.org --target-address=geonode.example.org
```

---

**Note:** After migrating the base URL, make sure to sanitize the links and catalog metadata also (*Update Permissions, Metadata, Legends and Download Links*).

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## 1.24.2 Update Permissions, Metadata, Legends and Download Links

The following three utility *Management Commands*, allow to fixup:

1. *Users/Groups Permissions on Datasets*; those will be refreshed and synchronized with the *GIS Server* ones also
2. *Metadata, Legend and Download links on Datasets and Maps*
3. Cleanup *Duplicated Links* and *Outdated Thumbnails*

### Management Command `sync_geonode_datasets`

This command allows to sync already existing permissions on Datasets. In order to change/set Datasets' permissions refer to the section *Batch Sync Permissions*

The options are:

- **filter**; Only update data the Dataset names that match the given filter.
- **username**; Only update data owned by the specified username.
- **updatepermissions**; Update the Dataset permissions; synchronize it back to the GeoSpatial Server. This option is also available from the *Layer Details* page.
- **updateattributes**; Update the Dataset attributes; synchronize it back to the GeoSpatial Server. This option is also available from the *Layer Details* page.
- **updatethumbnails**; Update the Dataset thumbnail. This option is also available from the *Layer Details* page.
- **updatebbox**; Update the Dataset BBOX and LotLan BBOX. This option is also available from the *Layer Details* page.
- **remove-duplicates**; Removes duplicated Links.

First of all let's take a look at the `-help` option of the `sync_geonode_datasets` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py sync_geonode_datasets --help
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py sync_geonode_datasets --
-h
```

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py sync_geonode_datasets [-h] [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH] [--traceback]
 [--no-color] [-i] [-d] [-f FILTER]
```

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```

[-u USERNAME] [--updatepermissions]
[--updatethumbnails] [--updateattributes][--
↪updatebbox]

Update the GeoNode Datasets: permissions (including GeoFence database),
statistics, thumbnails

optional arguments:
-h, --help show this help message and exit
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color Don't colorize the command output.
-i, --ignore-errors Stop after any errors are encountered.
-d, --remove-duplicates
 Remove duplicates first.
-f FILTER, --filter FILTER
 Only update data the Datasets that match the given
 filter.
-u USERNAME, --username USERNAME
 Only update data owned by the specified username.
--updatepermissions Update the Dataset permissions.
--updatethumbnails Update the Dataset styles and thumbnails.
--updateattributes Update the Dataset attributes.
--updatebbox Update the Dataset BBOX.

```

- **Example 1:** I want to update/sync all Datasets permissions and attributes with the GeoSpatial Server

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py sync_geonode_
↪datasets --updatepermissions --updateattributes

```

- **Example 2:** I want to regenerate the Thumbnails of all the Datasets belonging to afabiani

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py sync_geonode_
↪datasets -u afabiani --updatethumbnails

```

## Management Command `sync_geonode_maps`

This command is basically similar to the previous one, but affects the *Maps*; with some limitations.

The options are:

- **filter**; Only update data the maps titles that match the given filter.
- **username**; Only update data owned by the specified username.
- **updatethumbnails**; Update the map styles and thumbnails. This option is also available from the *Map Details* page.
- **remove-duplicates**; Removes duplicated Links.

First of all let's take a look at the `-help` option of the `sync_geonode_maps` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py sync_geonode_maps --help
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py sync_geonode_maps --help
```

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py sync_geonode_maps [-h] [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH] [--traceback]
 [--no-color] [-i] [-d] [-f FILTER]
 [-u USERNAME] [--updatethumbnails]

Update the GeoNode maps: permissions, thumbnails

optional arguments:
-h, --help show this help message and exit
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color Don't colorize the command output.
-i, --ignore-errors Stop after any errors are encountered.
-d, --remove-duplicates
 Remove duplicates first.
-f FILTER, --filter FILTER
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```

 Only update data the maps that match the given filter.
-u USERNAME, --username USERNAME
 Only update data owned by the specified username.
--updatethumbnails Update the map styles and thumbnails.

```

- **Example 1:** I want to regenerate the Thumbnail of the Map This is a test Map

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py sync_geonode_maps_
↪--updatethumbnails -f 'This is a test Map'

```

### Management Command `set_all_layers_metadata`

This command allows to reset **Metadata Attributes** and **Catalogue Schema** on Datasets. The command will also update the *CSW Catalogue* XML and Links of GeoNode.

The options are:

- **filter**; Only update data the Datasets that match the given filter.
- **username**; Only update data owned by the specified username.
- **remove-duplicates**; Update the map styles and thumbnails.
- **delete-orphaned-thumbs**; Removes duplicated Links.
- 
- **set-uuid**; will refresh the UUID based on the UUID\_HANDLER if configured (Default False).
- 
- **set\_attrib**; If set will refresh the attributes of the resource taken from Geoserver. (Default True).
- 
- **set\_links**; If set will refresh the links of the resource. (Default True).

First of all let's take a look at the `-help` option of the `set_all_layers_metadata` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py set_all_layers_metadata --help

```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py set_all_layers_metadata --
↪help

```

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py set_all_layers_metadata [-h] [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH]
 [--traceback] [--no-color] [-i] [-d]
 [-t] [-f FILTER] [-u USERNAME]

Resets Metadata Attributes and Schema to All Datasets

optional arguments:
-h, --help show this help message and exit
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color Don't colorize the command output.
-i, --ignore-errors Stop after any errors are encountered.
-d, --remove-duplicates
 Remove duplicates first.
-t, --delete-orphaned-thumbnails
 Delete Orphaned Thumbnails.
-f FILTER, --filter FILTER
 Only update data the Datasets that match the given
 filter
-u USERNAME, --username USERNAME
 Only update data owned by the specified username
```

- **Example 1:** After having changed the Base URL, I want to regenerate all the Catalogue Schema and eventually remove all duplicates.

**Warning:** Make always sure you are using the **correct** settings

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py set_all_layers_
↪ metadata -d
```

### 1.24.3 Loading Data into GeoNode

There are situations where it is not possible or not convenient to use the *Upload Form* to add new Datasets to GeoNode via the web interface. For instance:

- The dataset is too big to be uploaded through a web interface.
- Import data from a mass storage programmatically.
- Import tables from a database.

This section will walk you through the various options available to load data into your GeoNode from GeoServer, from the command-line or programmatically.

**Warning:** Some parts of this section have been taken from the [GeoServer](#) project and training documentation.

#### Management Command `importlayers`

The `geonode.geoserver` Django app includes 2 management commands that you can use to load data in your GeoNode.

Both of them can be invoked by using the `manage.py` script.

First of all let's take a look at the `-help` option of the `importlayers` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py importlayers --help
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py importlayers --help
```

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py importlayers [-h] [-hh HOST] [-u USERNAME] [-p PASSWORD]
 [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}] [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH] [--traceback] [--no-color]
 [--force-color] [--skip-checks]
 [path [path ...]]
```

Brings files from a `local` directory, including subfolders, into a GeoNode site. The datasets are added to the Django database, the GeoServer configuration, and the pycsw metadata index. At this moment only files of `type` Esri Shapefile (`.shp`) and `GeoTiff` (`.tif`) are supported.

In order to perform the import, GeoNode must be up and running.

positional arguments:

path path [path...]

optional arguments:

-h, --help show this `help` message and `exit`

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```

--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
-hh HOST, --host HOST
 Geonode host url
-u USERNAME, --username USERNAME
 Geonode username
-p PASSWORD, --password PASSWORD
 Geonode password

```

While the description of most of the options should be self explanatory, its worth reviewing some of the key options a bit more in details.

- The `-hh` Identifies the GeoNode server where we want to upload our Datasets. The default value is `http://localhost:8000`.
- The `-u` Identifies the username for the login. The default value is `admin`.
- The `-p` Identifies the password for the login. The default value is `admin`.

The import Datasets management command is invoked by specifying options as described above and specifying the path to a directory that contains multiple files. For purposes of this exercise, let's use the default set of testing Datasets that ship with geonode. You can replace this path with a directory to your own shapefiles.

This command will produce the following output to your terminal

```

san_andres_y_providencia_poi.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_location.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_administrative.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_coastline.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_highway.shp: 201
single_point.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_water.shp: 201
san_andres_y_providencia_natural.shp: 201

```

1.7456605294117646 seconds per Dataset

```

Output data: {
 "success": [
 "san_andres_y_providencia_poi.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_location.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_administrative.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_coastline.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_highway.shp",
 "single_point.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_water.shp",
 "san_andres_y_providencia_natural.shp"
]
}

```

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```

],
"errors": []
}

```

As output the command will print:

The status code, is the response coming from GeoNode. For example 201 means that the Dataset has been correctly uploaded

If you encounter errors while running this command, please check the GeoNode logs for more information.

## Management Command `updatelayers`

While it is possible to import Datasets directly from your servers filesystem into your GeoNode, you may have an existing GeoServer that already has data in it, or you may want to configure data from a GeoServer which is not directly supported by uploading data.

GeoServer supports a wide range of data formats and connections to database, some of them may not be supported as GeoNode upload formats. You can add them to your GeoNode by following the procedure described below.

GeoServer supports 4 types of data: *Raster*, *Vector*, *Databases* and *Cascaded*.

For a list of the supported formats for each type of data, consult the following pages:

- <https://docs.geoserver.org/latest/en/user/data/vector/index.html>
- <https://docs.geoserver.org/latest/en/user/data/raster/index.html>
- <https://docs.geoserver.org/latest/en/user/data/database/index.html>
- <https://docs.geoserver.org/latest/en/user/data/cascaded/index.html>

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**Note:** Some of these raster or vector formats or database types require that you install specific plugins in your GeoServer in order to use the. Please consult the GeoServer documentation for more information.

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## Data from a PostGIS database

Lets walk through an example of configuring a new PostGIS database in GeoServer and then configuring those Datasets in your GeoNode.

First visit the GeoServer administration interface on your server. This is usually on port 8080 and is available at <http://localhost:8080/geoserver/web/>

1. You should login with the superuser credentials you setup when you first configured your GeoNode instance.

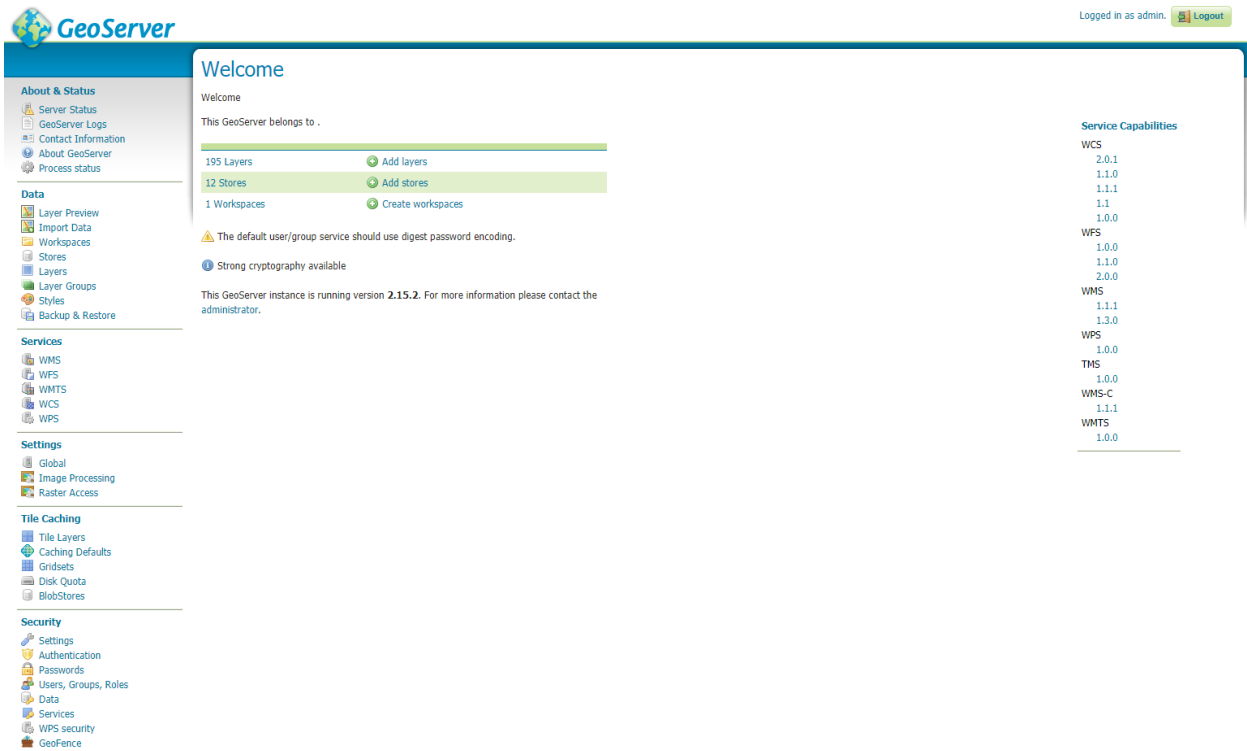
Once you are logged in to the GeoServer Admin interface, you should see the following.

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**Note:** The number of stores, Datasets and workspaces may be different depending on what you already have configured in your GeoServer.

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2. Next you want to select the “Stores” option in the left hand menu, and then the “Add new Store” option. The following screen will be displayed.



**GeoServer**

Logged in as admin. [Logout](#)

## Welcome

Welcome

This GeoServer belongs to .

195 Layers	<a href="#">Add layers</a>
12 Stores	<a href="#">Add stores</a>
1 Workspaces	<a href="#">Create workspaces</a>

⚠ The default user/group service should use digest password encoding.

🔒 Strong cryptography available

This GeoServer instance is running version **2.15.2**. For more information please contact the administrator.

### Service Capabilities

WCS	2.0.1
	1.1.0
	1.1.1
	1.1
	1.0.0
WFS	1.0.0
	1.1.0
	2.0.0
WMS	1.1.1
	1.3.0
WPS	1.0.0
	1.0.0
TMS	1.0.0
WMS-C	1.1.1
WMTS	1.0.0

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### Services

- WMS
- WFS
- WMTS
- WCS
- WPS

### Settings

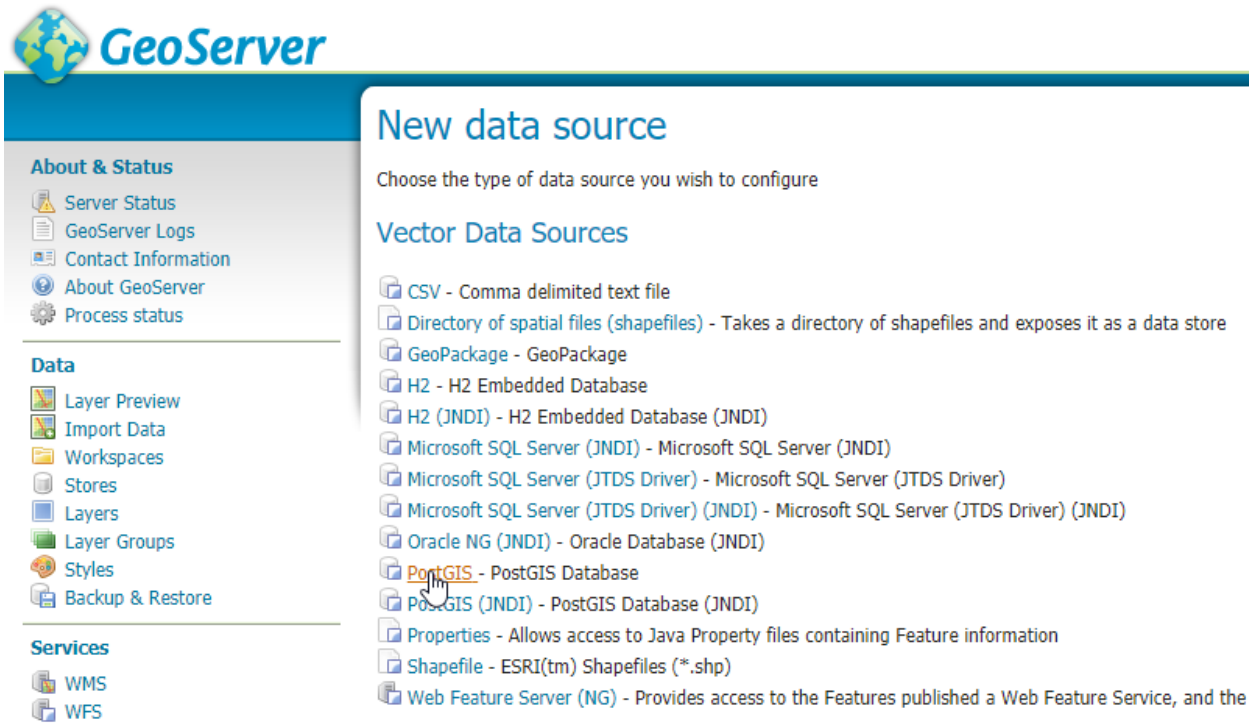
- Global
- Image Processing
- Raster Access

### Tile Caching

- Tile Layers
- Caching Defaults
- Gridsets
- Disk Quota
- BlobStores

### Security

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- Authentication
- Passwords
- Users, Groups, Roles
- Data
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- WFS security
- GeoFence



**GeoServer**

## New data source

Choose the type of data source you wish to configure

### Vector Data Sources

- CSV - Comma delimited text file
- Directory of spatial files (shapefiles) - Takes a directory of shapefiles and exposes it as a data store
- GeoPackage - GeoPackage
- H2 - H2 Embedded Database
- H2 (JNDI) - H2 Embedded Database (JNDI)
- Microsoft SQL Server (JNDI) - Microsoft SQL Server (JNDI)
- Microsoft SQL Server (JTDS Driver) - Microsoft SQL Server (JTDS Driver)
- Microsoft SQL Server (JTDS Driver) (JNDI) - Microsoft SQL Server (JTDS Driver) (JNDI)
- Oracle NG (JNDI) - Oracle Database (JNDI)
- PostGIS - PostGIS Database
- PostGIS (JNDI) - PostGIS Database (JNDI)
- Properties - Allows access to Java Property files containing Feature information
- Shapefile - ESRI(tm) Shapefiles (\*.shp)
- Web Feature Server (NG) - Provides access to the Features published a Web Feature Service, and the

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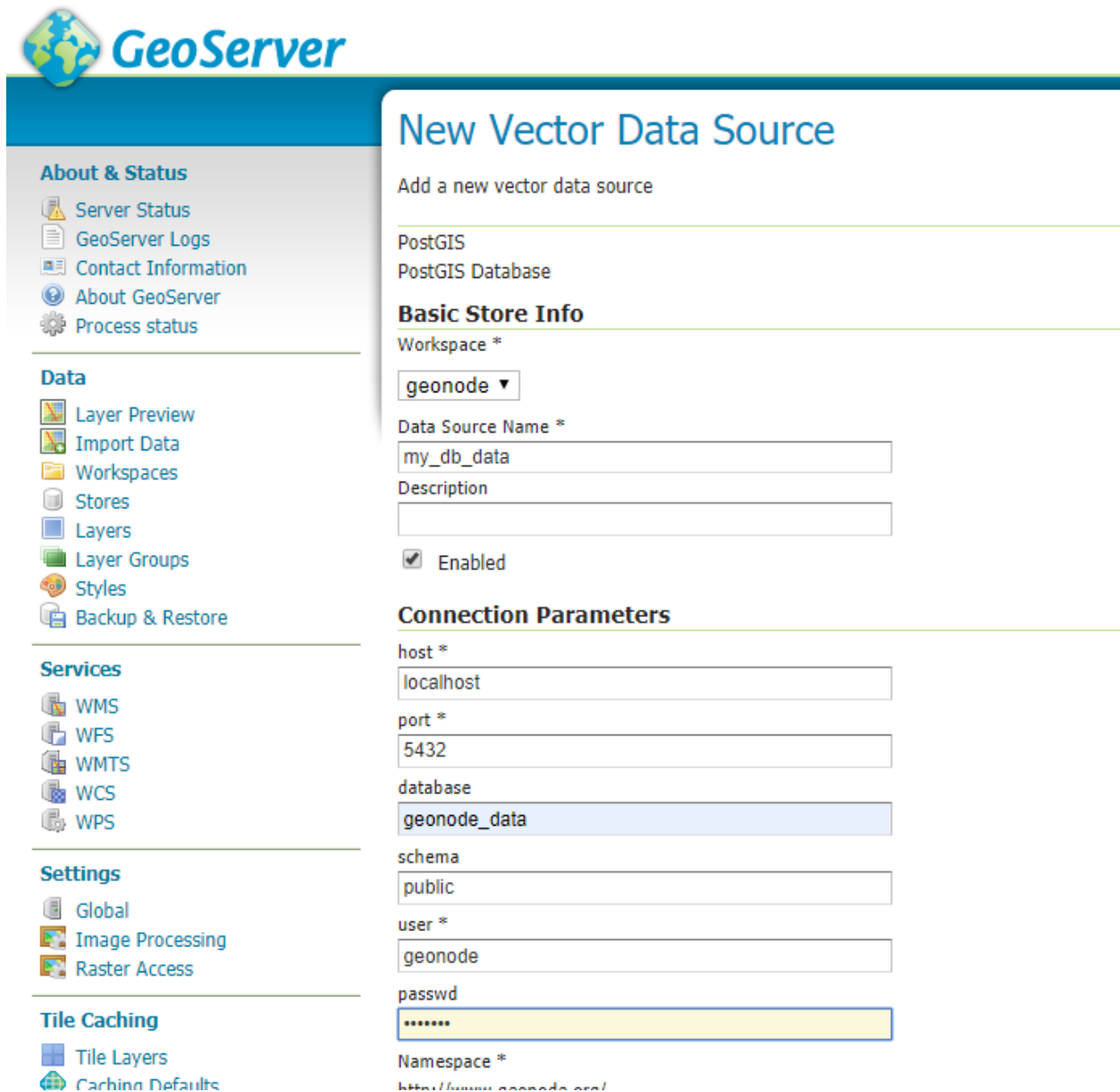
### Data

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### Services

- WMS
- WFS

3. In this case, we want to select the PostGIS store type to create a connection to our existing database. On the next screen you will need to enter the parameters to connect to your PostGIS database (alter as necessary for your own database).



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**Settings**

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**Tile Caching**

- Tile Layers
- Caching Defaults

## New Vector Data Source

Add a new vector data source

PostGIS  
PostGIS Database

### Basic Store Info

Workspace \*

geonode ▼

Data Source Name \*

my\_db\_data

Description

☒ Enabled

### Connection Parameters

host \*

localhost

port \*

5432

database

geonode\_data

schema

public

user \*

geonode

passwd

\*\*\*\*\*

Namespace \*

http://www.geonode.org/

**Note:** If you are unsure about any of the settings, leave them as the default.

4. The next screen lets you configure the Datasets in your database. This will of course be different depending on the Datasets in your database.
5. Select the “Publish” button for one of the Datasets and the next screen will be displayed where you can enter metadata for this Dataset. Since we will be managing this metadata in GeoNode, we can leave these alone for now.



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## New Layer

Add a new layer

Add layer from

Choose One

Choose One

geonode:DBH\_Namibia\_2018\_Clippped\_Smaller  
 geonode:PED\_AnnualAverage\_1972\_2014  
 geonode:\_20160403\_NDWI  
 geonode:\_20160403\_tangxunhu  
 geonode:geonode\_data  
 geonode:httpsenvironmentdatagovukspatialdatalidar-composite-digital-surface-model-dsm-1mwms  
 geonode:httpsenvironmentdatagovukspatialdatalidar-composite-digital-surface-model-dsm-2mwms  
 geonode:httpsgisabacospaitgeoserverows  
 geonode:httpsgisabacospaitgeoserverwms  
 geonode:httpsidt2-geoserverregionevenetoitgeoserverows  
 geonode:httpsmapservicesprorailnlarcgisservicesreferentiesysteem\_003mapserverwmsserver  
 geonode:orthophoto

## New Layer

Add a new layer

Add layer from

You can create a new feature type by manually configuring the attribute names and types. [Create new feature type...](#)

On databases you can also create a new feature type by configuring a native SQL statement. [Configure new SQL view...](#)

Here is a list of resources contained in the store 'geonode\_data'. Click on the layer you wish to configure

<< < 3 4 5 6 7 > >> Results 151 to 169 (out of 169 items)

Search

Published	Layer name	Action
✓	testspnc	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	trial_7thsept_29Records	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	trial_7thsept_30Records	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	ua_test	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	verger	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	verger0	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	voirie_gen	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	waterways	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
✓	waterways0	<a href="#">Publish again</a>
	_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	cambodia_oilfields	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	kagaa	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	map4utm2	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study001_ins00_Sept6_Buffer	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study_as_geojson_7thSep	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study_as_logitude_latitude	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study_as_logitude_latitude0	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study_as_logitude_latitude1	<a href="#">Publish</a>
	study_as_logitude_latitude2	<a href="#">Publish</a>

<< < 3 4 5 6 7 > >> Results 151 to 169 (out of 169 items)

6. The things that *must* be specified are the Declared SRS and you must select the “Compute from Data” and “Compute from native bounds” links after the SRS is specified.

**Keywords**

Current Keywords

features

\_1\_SARMIENTO\_ENERO\_2018

Remove selected

New Keyword

Vocabulary

Add Keyword

**Metadata links**

No metadata links so far

Add link *Note only FGDC and TC211 metadata links show up in WMS 1.1.1 capabilities*

**Data links**

No data links so far

Add link

**Coordinate Reference Systems**

Native SRS

EPSG:4326

Declared SRS

EPSG:4326

Find... EPSG:WGS 84...

SRS handling

Force declared

**Bounding Boxes**

Native Bounding Box

Min X	Min Y	Max X	Max Y
-69.078485273	-45.60003889	-69.057928671999	-45.579602872

Compute from data

Compute from native bounds

Lat/Lon Bounding Box

Min X	Min Y	Max X	Max Y

Compute from native bounds

**Curved geometries control**

7. Click save and this Dataset will now be configured for use in your GeoServer.

8. The next step is to configure these Datasets in GeoNode. The `updatelayers` management command can be used for this purpose. As with `importlayers`, it's useful to look at the command line options for this command by passing the `-help` option

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py updatelayers --
↪help
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py
↪updatelayers --help
```

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Activity  
Reports

## Tools

Current Keywords  
features  
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No metadata links so far

## Data links

No data links so far

Add link

Native SRS  
 [EPSG:WGS 84...](#)

Declared SRS  
  [EPSG:WGS 84...](#)

SRS handling

Native Bounding Box			
Min X	Min Y	Max X	Max Y
-69.078485273	-45.60003889	-69.057928671999	-45.579602872

Compute from data

Compute from SRS bounds

### Lat/Lon Bounding Box

Min X	Min Y	Max X	Max Y
-69.078485273	-45.60003889	-69.057928671999	-45.579602872

### Compute from native bounds

### Curved geometries control



Logged in as admin. [Logout](#)

### Layer Preview

List of all layers configured in GeoServer and provides previews in various formats for each.

<< < 1 > >> Results 1 to 1 (out of 1 matches from 196 items)

Type	Title	Name	Common Formats	All Formats
<a href="#">&lt;&lt;</a> <a href="#">&lt;</a> <a href="#">1</a> <a href="#">&gt;</a> <a href="#">&gt;&gt;</a> Results 1 to 1 (out of 1 matches from 196 items)	_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018	geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018	<a href="#">OpenLayers</a> <a href="#">KML</a> <a href="#">GML</a>	Select one ▼

This will produce output that looks like the following

```
usage: manage.py updatelayers [-h] [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS] [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH]
 [--traceback] [--no-color] [-i]
 [--skip-unadvertised]
 [--skip-geonode-registered] [--remove-deleted]
 [-u USER] [-f FILTER] [-s STORE] [-w WORKSPACE]
 [-p PERMISSIONS]
```

Update the GeoNode application with data from GeoServer

optional arguments:

```
-h, --help show this help message and exit
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
 Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output,
 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS The Python path to a settings module, e.g.
 "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided,
→ the
 DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be
 used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH
 A directory to add to the Python path, e.g.
 "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color Don't colorize the command output.
-i, --ignore-errors Stop after any errors are encountered.
--skip-unadvertised Skip processing unadvertised Datasets from GeoSever.
--skip-geonode-registered
 Just processing GeoServer Datasets still not
→ registered
 in GeoNode.
--remove-deleted Remove GeoNode Datasets that have been deleted from
 GeoSever.
-u USER, --user USER Name of the user account which should own the
→ imported
 Datasets
-f FILTER, --filter FILTER
 Only update data the Datasets that match the given
 filter
-s STORE, --store STORE
 Only update data the Datasets for the given
→ geoserver
 store name
-w WORKSPACE, --workspace WORKSPACE
 Only update data on specified workspace
-p PERMISSIONS, --permissions PERMISSIONS
 Permissions to apply to each Dataset
```

The update procedure includes the following steps:

- The process fetches from GeoServer the relevant WMS layers (all, by store or by workspace)
- If a filter is defined, the GeoServer layers are filtered
- For each of the layers, a GeoNode dataset is created based on the metadata registered on GeoServer (title, abstract, bounds)
- New layers are added, existing layers are replaced, unless the `--skip-geonode-registered` option is used
- The GeoNode layers, added in previous runs of the update process, which are no longer available in GeoServer are removed, if the `--remove-delete` option is set

**Warning:** One of the `--workspace` or `--store` must be always specified if you want to ingest Datasets belonging to a specific Workspace. As an instance, in order to ingest the Datasets present into the geonode workspace, you will need to specify the option `-w geonode`.

9. Let's ingest the Dataset `geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018` from the `geonode` workspace.

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py updatelayers -w
↳geonode -f _1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018
```

```
Inspecting the available Datasets in GeoServer ...
Found 1 Datasets, starting processing
/usr/local/lib/python2.7/site-packages/owslib/iso.py:117: FutureWarning:
↳the .identification and .serviceidentification properties will merge
↳into .identification being a list of properties. This is currently
↳implemented in .identificationinfo. Please see https://github.com/
↳geopython/OWSLib/issues/38 for more information
FutureWarning)
/usr/local/lib/python2.7/site-packages/owslib/iso.py:495: FutureWarning:
↳The .keywords and .keywords2 properties will merge into the .keywords
↳property in the future, with .keywords becoming a list of MD_Keywords
↳instances. This is currently implemented in .keywords2. Please see
↳https://github.com/geopython/OWSLib/issues/301 for more information
FutureWarning)
Content-Type: text/html; charset="utf-8"
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Subject: [master.demo.geonode.org] A new Dataset has been uploaded
From: webmaster@localhost
To: mapadeldelito@chubut.gov.ar
Reply-To: webmaster@localhost
Date: Tue, 08 Oct 2019 12:26:17 -0000
Message-ID: <20191008122617.28801.94967@d3cf85425231>

<body>
You have received the following notice from master.demo.geonode.org:
<p>

The user <i>
↳admin</i> uploaded the following Dataset:

_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

You can visit the Dataset's detail page here: http://master.demo.geonode.
↳org/Datasets/geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018
```

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```

</p>
<p>
To change how you receive notifications, please go to http://master.demo.
→geonode.org
</p>
</body>

→-----
Content-Type: text/html; charset="utf-8"
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Subject: [master.demo.geonode.org] A new Dataset has been uploaded
From: webmaster@localhost
To: giacomovinci@gmail.com
Reply-To: webmaster@localhost
Date: Tue, 08 Oct 2019 12:26:17 -0000
Message-ID: <20191008122617.28801.53784@d3cf85425231>

<body>
You have received the following notice from master.demo.geonode.org:
<p>

The user <i>
→admin</i> uploaded the following Dataset:

_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

You can visit the Dataset's detail page here: http://master.demo.geonode.
→org/Datasets/geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

</p>
<p>
To change how you receive notifications, please go to http://master.demo.
→geonode.org
</p>
</body>

→-----
Content-Type: text/html; charset="utf-8"
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Subject: [master.demo.geonode.org] A new Dataset has been uploaded
From: webmaster@localhost
To: fmgagliano@gmail.com
Reply-To: webmaster@localhost
Date: Tue, 08 Oct 2019 12:26:17 -0000
Message-ID: <20191008122617.28801.26265@d3cf85425231>

<body>

```

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```

You have received the following notice from master.demo.geonode.org:
<p>

The user <i>
→admin</i> uploaded the following Dataset:

_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

You can visit the Dataset's detail page here: http://master.demo.geonode.
→org/Datasets/geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

</p>
<p>
To change how you receive notifications, please go to http://master.demo.
→geonode.org
</p>
</body>

→-----
Found geoserver resource for this Dataset: _1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018
... Creating Default Resource Links for Layer [geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_
→2018]
-- Resource Links[Prune old links]...
-- Resource Links[Prune old links]...done!
-- Resource Links[Compute parameters for the new links]...
-- Resource Links[Create Raw Data download link]...
-- Resource Links[Create Raw Data download link]...done!
-- Resource Links[Set download links for WMS, WCS or WFS and KML]...
-- Resource Links[Set download links for WMS, WCS or WFS and KML]...done!
-- Resource Links[Legend link]...
-- Resource Links[Legend link]...done!
-- Resource Links[Thumbnail link]...
-- Resource Links[Thumbnail link]...done!
-- Resource Links[OWS Links]...
-- Resource Links[OWS Links]...done!
Content-Type: text/html; charset="utf-8"
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Subject: [master.demo.geonode.org] A Dataset has been updated
From: webmaster@localhost
To: mapadeldelito@chubut.gov.ar
Reply-To: webmaster@localhost
Date: Tue, 08 Oct 2019 12:26:20 -0000
Message-ID: <20191008122620.28801.81598@d3cf85425231>

<body>
You have received the following notice from master.demo.geonode.org:
<p>

The following Dataset was updated:

_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018, owned by <i><a href="http://
→master.demo.geonode.org/people/profile/admin">admin</i>


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Message-ID: &lt;20191008122620.28801.58585@d3cf85425231&gt;

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→org/Datasets/geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018

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→geonode.org
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→-----
Found geoserver resource for this Dataset: _1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018
/usr/local/lib/python2.7/site-packages/geoserver/style.py:80:
→FutureWarning: The behavior of this method will change in future.
→versions. Use specific 'len(elem)' or 'elem is not None' test instead.
if not user_style:
/usr/local/lib/python2.7/site-packages/geoserver/style.py:84:
→FutureWarning: The behavior of this method will change in future.
→versions. Use specific 'len(elem)' or 'elem is not None' test instead.
if user_style:
... Creating Default Resource Links for Layer [geonode:_1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_
→2018]
-- Resource Links[Prune old links]...
-- Resource Links[Prune old links]...done!
-- Resource Links[Compute parameters for the new links]...
-- Resource Links[Create Raw Data download link]...
-- Resource Links[Create Raw Data download link]...done!
-- Resource Links[Set download links for WMS, WCS or WFS and KML]...
-- Resource Links[Set download links for WMS, WCS or WFS and KML]...done!
-- Resource Links[Legend link]...
-- Resource Links[Legend link]...done!
-- Resource Links[Thumbnail link]...
-- Resource Links[Thumbnail link]...done!
-- Resource Links[OWS Links]...
-- Resource Links[OWS Links]...done!
[created] Layer _1_SARMIENTO_ENERO_2018 (1/1)

Finished processing 1 Datasets in 5.0 seconds.

1 Created Datasets
0 Updated Datasets
0 Failed Datasets

```

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```
5.000000 seconds per Dataset
```

**Note:** In case you don't specify the *-f* option, the Datasets that already exists in your GeoNode will be just updated and the configuration synchronized between GeoServer and GeoNode.

**Warning:** When updating **from** GeoServer, the configuration on GeoNode will be changed!

## Using GDAL and OGR to convert your Data for use in GeoNode

GeoNode supports uploading data in *ESRI shapefiles*, *GeoTIFF*, *CSV*, *GeoJSON*, *ASCII-GRID* and *KML/KMZ* formats (for the last three formats only if you are using the `geonode.importer` backend).

- If your data is in other formats, you will need to convert it into one of these formats for use in GeoNode.
- If your *Raster* data is not correctly processed, it might be almost unusable with GeoServer and GeoNode. You will need to process it using *GDAL*.

You need to make sure that you have the GDAL library installed on your system. On Ubuntu you can install this package with the following command:

```
sudo apt-get install gdal-bin
```

## OGR (Vector Data)

OGR is used to manipulate vector data. In this example, we will use MapInfo .tab files and convert them to shapefiles with the `ogr2ogr` command. We will use sample MapInfo files from the website linked below.

<http://services.land.vic.gov.au/landchannel/content/help?name=sampladata>

You can download the Admin;(Postcode) Dataset by issuing the following command:

```
$ wget http://services.land.vic.gov.au/sampladata/shape/admin_postcode_vm.zip
```

You will need to unzip this dataset by issuing the following command:

```
$ unzip admin_postcode_vm.zip
```

This will leave you with the following files in the directory where you executed the above commands:

```
|-- ANZVI0803003025.htm
|-- DSE_Data_Access_Licence.pdf
|-- VMADMIN.POSTCODE_POLYGON.xml
|-- admin_postcode_vm.zip
--- vicgrid94
 --- mif
 --- lga_polygon
 --- macedon\ ranges
 |-- EXTRACT_POLYGON.mid
 |-- EXTRACT_POLYGON.mif
 --- VMADMIN
```

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```
|-- POSTCODE_POLYGON.mid
--- POSTCODE_POLYGON.mif
```

First, lets inspect this file set using the following command:

```
$ ogrinfo -so vicgrid94/mif/lga_polygon/macedon\ ranges/VMADMIN/POSTCODE_POLYGON.mid \
↳ POSTCODE_POLYGON
```

The output will look like the following:

```
Had to open data source read-only.
INFO: Open of `vicgrid94/mif/lga_polygon/macedon ranges/VMADMIN/POSTCODE_POLYGON.mid'
 using driver `MapInfo File' successful.

Layer name: POSTCODE_POLYGON
Geometry: 3D Unknown (any)
Feature Count: 26
Extent: (2413931.249367, 2400162.366186) - (2508952.174431, 2512183.046927)
Layer SRS WKT:
PROJCS["unnamed",
 GEOGCS["unnamed",
 DATUM["GDA94",
 SPHEROID["GRS 80",6378137,298.257222101],
 TOWGS84[0,0,0,-0,-0,-0,0]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433]],
 PROJECTION["Lambert_Conformal_Conic_2SP"],
 PARAMETER["standard_parallel_1",-36],
 PARAMETER["standard_parallel_2",-38],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",-37],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",145],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",2500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",2500000],
 UNIT["Meter",1]]
PFI: String (10.0)
POSTCODE: String (4.0)
FEATURE_TYPE: String (6.0)
FEATURE_QUALITY_ID: String (20.0)
PFI_CREATED: Date (10.0)
UFI: Real (12.0)
UFI_CREATED: Date (10.0)
UFI_OLD: Real (12.0)
```

This gives you information about the number of features, the extent, the projection and the attributes of this Dataset.

Next, lets go ahead and convert this Dataset into a shapefile by issuing the following command:

```
$ ogr2ogr -t_srs EPSG:4326 postcode_polygon.shp vicgrid94/mif/lga_polygon/macedon\
↳ ranges/VMADMIN/POSTCODE_POLYGON.mid POSTCODE_POLYGON
```

Note that we have also reprojected the Dataset to the WGS84 spatial reference system with the `-t_srs ogr2ogr` option.

The output of this command will look like the following:

```
Warning 6: Normalized/launched field name: 'FEATURE_TYPE' to 'FEATURE_TY'
Warning 6: Normalized/launched field name: 'FEATURE_QUALITY_ID' to 'FEATURE_QU'
Warning 6: Normalized/launched field name: 'PFI_CREATED' to 'PFI_CREATE'
Warning 6: Normalized/launched field name: 'UFI_CREATED' to 'UFI_CREATE'
```

This output indicates that some of the field names were truncated to fit into the constraint that attributes in shapefiles are only 10 characters long.

You will now have a set of files that make up the postcode\_polygon.shp shapefile set. We can inspect them by issuing the following command:

```
$ ogrinfo -so postcode_polygon.shp postcode_polygon
```

The output will look similar to the output we saw above when we inspected the MapInfo file we converted from:

```
INFO: Open of `postcode_polygon.shp'
 using driver `ESRI Shapefile' successful.

Layer name: postcode_polygon
Geometry: Polygon
Feature Count: 26
Extent: (144.030296, -37.898156) - (145.101137, -36.888878)
Layer SRS WKT:
GEOGCS["GCS_WGS_1984",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS_84",6378137,298.257223563]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0],
 UNIT["Degree",0.017453292519943295]]
PFI: String (10.0)
POSTCODE: String (4.0)
FEATURE_TY: String (6.0)
FEATURE_QU: String (20.0)
PFI_CREATE: Date (10.0)
UFI: Real (12.0)
UFI_CREATE: Date (10.0)
UFI_OLD: Real (12.0)
```

These files can now be loaded into your GeoNode instance via the normal uploader.

Visit the upload page in your GeoNode, drag and drop the files that composes the shapefile that you have generated using the GDAL ogr2ogr command (postcode\_polygon.dbf, postcode\_polygon.prj, postcode\_polygon.shp, postcode\_polygon.shx). Give the permissions as needed and then click the “Upload files” button.

As soon as the import process completes, you will have the possibility to go straight to the Dataset info page (“Layer Info” button), or to edit the metadata for that Dataset (“Edit Metadata” button), or to manage the styles for that Dataset (“Manage Styles”).

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- postcode\_polygon.shp [Remove](#)
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## GDAL (Raster Data)

Let's see several examples on how to either convert raster data into different formats and/or process it to get the best performances.

References:

- a) [https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster\\_data/processing.html](https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster_data/processing.html)
- b) [https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster\\_data/advanced\\_gdal/](https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster_data/advanced_gdal/)

### Raster Data Conversion: Arc/Info Binary and ASCII Grid data into GeoTIFF format.

Let's assume we have a sample ASCII Grid file compressed as an archive.

```
Un-tar the files
tar -xvf sample_asc.tar
```

You will be left with the following files on your filesystem:

```
|-- batemans_ele
| |-- dblbnd.adf
| |-- hdr.adf
| |-- metadata.xml
| |-- prj.adf
| |-- sta.adf
| |-- w001001.adf
| |-- w001001x.adf
|-- batemans_elevation.asc
```

The file `batemans_elevation.asc` is an Arc/Info ASCII Grid file and the files in the `batemans_ele` directory are an Arc/Info Binary Grid file.

You can use the `gdalinfo` command to inspect both of these files by executing the following command:

```
gdalinfo batemans_elevation.asc
```

The output should look like the following:

```
Driver: AAIGrid/Arc/Info ASCII Grid
Files: batemans_elevation.asc
Size is 155, 142
Coordinate System is ``
Origin = (239681.0000000000000000,6050551.0000000000000000)
Pixel Size = (100.0000000000000000,-100.0000000000000000)
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (239681.000, 6050551.000)
Lower Left (239681.000, 6036351.000)
Upper Right (255181.000, 6050551.000)
Lower Right (255181.000, 6036351.000)
Center (247431.000, 6043451.000)
Band 1 Block=155x1 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Undefined
NoData Value=-9999
```

You can then inspect the `batemans_ele` files by executing the following command:

```
gdalinfo batemans_ele
```

And this should be the corresponding output:

```
Driver: AIG/Arc/Info Binary Grid
Files: batemans_ele
 batemans_ele/dblbnf.adf
 batemans_ele/hdr.adf
 batemans_ele/metadata.xml
 batemans_ele/prj.adf
 batemans_ele/sta.adf
 batemans_ele/w001001.adf
 batemans_ele/w001001x.adf
Size is 155, 142
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["unnamed",
 GEOGCS["GDA94",
 DATUM["Geocentric_Datum_of_Australia_1994",
 SPHEROID["GRS 1980",6378137,298.257222101,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7019"]],
 TOWGS84[0,0,0,0,0,0,0],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6283"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4283"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",153],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",1000000],
 UNIT["METERS",1]]
Origin = (239681.0000000000000000,6050551.0000000000000000)
Pixel Size = (100.0000000000000000,-100.0000000000000000)
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (239681.000, 6050551.000) (150d 7'28.35"E, 35d39'16.56"S)
Lower Left (239681.000, 6036351.000) (150d 7'11.78"E, 35d46'56.89"S)
Upper Right (255181.000, 6050551.000) (150d17'44.07"E, 35d39'30.83"S)
Lower Right (255181.000, 6036351.000) (150d17'28.49"E, 35d47'11.23"S)
Center (247431.000, 6043451.000) (150d12'28.17"E, 35d43'13.99"S)
Band 1 Block=256x4 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Undefined
 Min=-62.102 Max=142.917
NoData Value=-3.4028234663852886e+38
```

You will notice that the `batemans_elevation.asc` file does *not* contain projection information while the `batemans_ele` file does. Because of this, let's use the `batemans_ele` files for this exercise and convert them to a GeoTiff for use in GeoNode. We will also reproject this file into WGS84 in the process. This can be accomplished with the following command.

```
gdalwarp -t_srs EPSG:4326 batemans_ele batemans_ele.tif
```

The output will show you the progress of the conversion and when it is complete, you will be left with a `batemans_ele`.

tif file that you can upload to your GeoNode.

You can inspect this file with the gdalinfo command:

```
gdalinfo batemans_ele.tif
```

Which will produce the following output:

```
Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: batemans_ele.tif
Size is 174, 130
Coordinate System is:
GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]]
Origin = (150.119938943722502,-35.654598806259330)
Pixel Size = (0.001011114155919,-0.001011114155919)
Metadata:
 AREA_OR_POINT=Area
Image Structure Metadata:
 INTERLEAVE=BAND
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (150.1199389, -35.6545988) (150d 7'11.78"E, 35d39'16.56"S)
Lower Left (150.1199389, -35.7860436) (150d 7'11.78"E, 35d47' 9.76"S)
Upper Right (150.2958728, -35.6545988) (150d17'45.14"E, 35d39'16.56"S)
Lower Right (150.2958728, -35.7860436) (150d17'45.14"E, 35d47' 9.76"S)
Center (150.2079059, -35.7203212) (150d12'28.46"E, 35d43'13.16"S)
Band 1 Block=174x11 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Gray
```

## Raster Data Optimization: Optimizing and serving big raster data

(ref: [https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster\\_data/advanced\\_gdal/example5.html](https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster_data/advanced_gdal/example5.html))

When dealing with big raster datasets it could be very useful to use tiles.

Tiling allows large raster datasets to be broken-up into manageable pieces and are fundamental in defining and implementing a higher level raster I/O interface.

In this example we will use the original dataset of the `chiangMai_ortho_optimized` public raster Dataset which is currently available on the Thai [CHIANG MAI Urban Flooding GeoNode platform](#).

This dataset contains an orthorectified image stored as RGBa GeoTiff with 4 bands, three bands for the RGB and one for transparency (the alpha channel).

Calling the gdalinfo command to see detailed information:

```
gdalinfo chiangMai_ortho.tif
```

It will produce the following results:

```

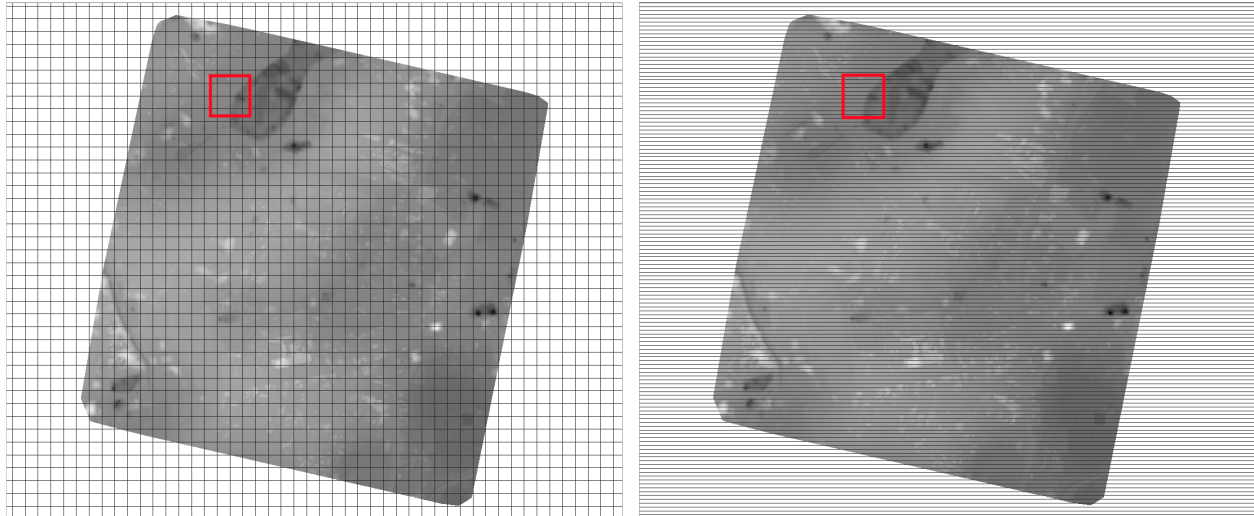
Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: ChiangMai_ortho.tif
Size is 63203, 66211
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",
 GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]]
Origin = (487068.7747500000040513,2057413.8898100000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.028850000000000,-0.028850000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=LZW
INTERLEAVE=PIXEL
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
Lower Left (487068.775, 2055503.702) (98d52'38.77"E, 18d35'25.19"N)
Upper Right (488892.181, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.38"N)
Lower Right (488892.181, 2055503.702) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.478, 2056458.796) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=63203x1 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Red
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET ALPHA
Band 2 Block=63203x1 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Green
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET ALPHA
Band 3 Block=63203x1 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Blue
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET ALPHA
Band 4 Block=63203x1 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Alpha
NoData Value=-10000

```

As you can see, this GeoTiff has not been tiled. For accessing subsets though, tiling can make a difference. With tiling,

data are stored and compressed in blocks (tiled) rather than line by line (stripped).

In the command output above it is visible that each band has blocks with the same width of the image (63203) and a unit length. The grids in the picture below show an image with equally sized tiles (left) and the same number of strips (right). To read data from the red subset, the intersected area will have to be decompressed.



In the tiled image we will have to decompress only 16 tiles, whereas in the stripped image on the right we'll have to decompress many more strips.

Drone images data usually have a stripped structure so, in most cases, they need to be optimized to increase performances.

Let's take a look at the `gdal_translate` command used to optimize our GeoTiff:

```
gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co COMPRESS=JPEG -co PHOTOMETRIC=YCBCR
 --config GDAL_TIFF_INTERNAL_MASK YES -b 1 -b 2 -b 3 -mask 4
 ChiangMai_ortho.tif
 ChiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif
```

**Note:** For the details about the command parameters see [https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster\\_data/advanced\\_gdal/example5.html](https://geoserver.geo-solutions.it/edu/en/raster_data/advanced_gdal/example5.html)

Once the process ended, call the `gdalinfo` command on the resulting tif file:

```
gdalinfo ChiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif
```

The following should be the results:

```
Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: ChiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif
Size is 63203, 66211
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",
 GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
```

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```

 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]]]
Origin = (487068.7747500000040513,2057413.8898100000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.0288500000000000,-0.0288500000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=YCbCr JPEG
INTERLEAVE=PIXEL
SOURCE_COLOR_SPACE=YCbCr
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
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Upper Right (488892.181, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.38"N)
Lower Right (488892.181, 2055503.702) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.478, 2056458.796) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Red
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET
Band 2 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Green
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET
Band 3 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Blue
NoData Value=-10000
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET

```

Our GeoTiff is now tiled with 256x256 tiles, has 3 bands and a 1-bit mask for nodata.

We can also add internal overviews to the file using the gdaladdo command:

```
gdaladdo -r average ChiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif 2 4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512
```

Overviews are duplicate versions of your original data, but resampled to a lower resolution, they can also be compressed with various algorithms, much in the same way as the original dataset.

By default, overviews take the same compression type and transparency masks of the input dataset (applied through

the `gdal_translate` command), so the parameters to be specified are:

- `-r average`: computes the average of all non-NODATA contributing pixels
- `2 4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512`: the list of integral overview levels to build (from `gdal` version 2.3 levels are no longer required to build overviews)

Calling the `gdalinfo` command again:

```
gdalinfo chiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif
```

It results in:

```
Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: chiangMai_ortho_optimized.tif
Size is 63203, 66211
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",
 GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]],
Origin = (487068.7747500000040513,2057413.8898100000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.028850000000000,-0.028850000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=YCbCr JPEG
INTERLEAVE=PIXEL
SOURCE_COLOR_SPACE=YCbCr
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
Lower Left (487068.775, 2055503.702) (98d52'38.77"E, 18d35'25.19"N)
Upper Right (488892.181, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.38"N)
Lower Right (488892.181, 2055503.702) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.478, 2056458.796) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Red
```

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```

NoData Value=-10000
Overviews: 31602x33106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, 1976x2070, 988x1035, 494x518, ↵
↵ 247x259, 124x130
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET
Overviews of mask band: 31602x33106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, 1976x2070, ↵
↵ 988x1035, 494x518, 247x259, 124x130
Band 2 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Green
NoData Value=-10000
Overviews: 31602x33106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, 1976x2070, 988x1035, 494x518, ↵
↵ 247x259, 124x130
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET
Overviews of mask band: 31602x3Results in:3106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, ↵
↵ 1976x2070, 988x1035, 494x518, 247x259, 124x130
Band 3 Block=256x256 Type=Byte, ColorInterp=Blue
NoData Value=-10000
Overviews: 31602x33106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, 1976x2070, 988x1035, 494x518, ↵
↵ 247x259, 124x130
Mask Flags: PER_DATASET
Overviews of mask band: 31602x33106, 15801x16553, 7901x8277, 3951x4139, 1976x2070, ↵
↵ 988x1035, 494x518, 247x259, 124x130

```

Notice that the transparency masks of internal overviews have been applied (their compression does not show up in the file metadata).

UAVs usually provide also two other types of data: DTM (Digital Terrain Model) and DSM (Digital Surface Model).

Those data require different processes to be optimized. Let's look at some examples to better understand how to use gdal to accomplish that task.

From the [CHIANG MAI Urban Flooding GeoNode platform](#) platform it is currently available the `chiangMai_dtm_optimized` Dataset, let's download its original dataset.

This dataset should contain the DTM file `chiangMai_dtm.tif`.

Calling the `gdalinfo` command on it:

```
gdalinfo chiangMai_dtm.tif
```

The following information will be displayed:

```

Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: chiangMai_dtm.tif
Size is 12638, 13240
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",
 GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],

```

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```

 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]]]
Origin = (487068.774750000040513,2057413.889810000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.144270000000000,-0.144270000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=LZW
INTERLEAVE=BAND
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
Lower Left (487068.775, 2055503.755) (98d52'38.77"E, 18d35'25.19"N)
Upper Right (488892.059, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.37"N)
Lower Right (488892.059, 2055503.755) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.417, 2056458.822) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=12638x1 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Gray
NoData Value=-10000

```

Reading this image could be very slow because it has not been tiled yet. So, as discussed above, its data need to be stored and compressed in tiles to increase performances.

The following `gdal_translate` command should be appropriate for that purpose:

```
gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co COMPRESS=DEFLATE chiangMai_dtm.tif chiangMai_dtm_
↳ optimized.tif
```

When the data to compress consists of imagery (es. aerial photographs, true-color satellite images, or colored maps) you can use lossy algorithms such as JPEG. We are now compressing data where the precision is important, the band data type is Float32 and elevation values should not be altered, so a lossy algorithm such as JPEG is not suitable. JPEG should generally only be used with Byte data (8 bit per channel) so we have chosen the lossless DEFLATE compression through the `COMPRESS=DEFLATE` creation option.

Calling the `gdalinfo` command again:

```
gdalinfo chiangMai_dtm_optimized.tif
```

We can observe the following results:

```

Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: chiangMai_dtm_optimized.tif
Size is 12638, 13240
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",

```

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```
GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]]]
Origin = (487068.7747500000040513,2057413.8898100000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.1442700000000000,-0.1442700000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=DEFLATE
INTERLEAVE=BAND
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
Lower Left (487068.775, 2055503.755) (98d52'38.77"E, 18d35'25.19"N)
Upper Right (488892.059, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.37"N)
Lower Right (488892.059, 2055503.755) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.417, 2056458.822) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=256x256 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Gray
NoData Value=-10000
```

We need also to create overviews through the `gdaladdo` command:

```
gdaladdo -r nearest chiangMai_dtm_optimized.tif 2 4 8 16 32 64
```

Unlike the previous example, overviews will be created with the **nearest resampling algorithm**. That is due to the nature of the data we are representing: we should not consider the average between two elevation values but simply the closer one, it is more reliable regarding the conservation of the original data.

Calling the `gdalinfo` command again:

```
gdalinfo chiangMai_dtm_optimized.tif
```

We can see the following information:

```

Driver: GTiff/GeoTIFF
Files: ChiangMai_dtm_optimized.tif
Size is 12638, 13240
Coordinate System is:
PROJCS["WGS 84 / UTM zone 47N",
 GEOGCS["WGS 84",
 DATUM["WGS_1984",
 SPHEROID["WGS 84",6378137,298.257223563,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","7030"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","6326"]],
 PRIMEM["Greenwich",0,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","8901"]],
 UNIT["degree",0.0174532925199433,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9122"]],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","4326"]],
 PROJECTION["Transverse_Mercator"],
 PARAMETER["latitude_of_origin",0],
 PARAMETER["central_meridian",99],
 PARAMETER["scale_factor",0.9996],
 PARAMETER["false_easting",500000],
 PARAMETER["false_northing",0],
 UNIT["metre",1,
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","9001"]],
 AXIS["Easting",EAST],
 AXIS["Northing",NORTH],
 AUTHORITY["EPSG","32647"]]
Origin = (487068.774750000040513,2057413.889810000080615)
Pixel Size = (0.144270000000000,-0.144270000000000)
Metadata:
AREA_OR_POINT=Area
TIFFTAG_SOFTWARE=pix4dmapper
Image Structure Metadata:
COMPRESSION=DEFLATE
INTERLEAVE=BAND
Corner Coordinates:
Upper Left (487068.775, 2057413.890) (98d52'38.72"E, 18d36'27.34"N)
Lower Left (487068.775, 2055503.755) (98d52'38.77"E, 18d35'25.19"N)
Upper Right (488892.059, 2057413.890) (98d53'40.94"E, 18d36'27.37"N)
Lower Right (488892.059, 2055503.755) (98d53'40.98"E, 18d35'25.22"N)
Center (487980.417, 2056458.822) (98d53' 9.85"E, 18d35'56.28"N)
Band 1 Block=256x256 Type=Float32, ColorInterp=Gray
NoData Value=-10000
Overviews: 6319x6620, 3160x3310, 1580x1655, 790x828, 395x414, 198x207

```

Overviews have been created. By default, they inherit the same compression type of the original dataset (there is no evidence of it in the gdalinfo output).

## Other Raster Data Use Cases

- Serving a large number of GrayScale GeoTiff with Palette
- Serving a large number of DTM ASCII Grid Files
- Serving a large number of Cartographic Black/White GeoTiff with Palette
- Serving a large number of satellite/aerial RGB GeoTiff with compression
- Optimizing and serving UAV data
- Optimizing and serving 16-bits satellite/aerial RGB GeoTiff

## Process Raster Datasets Programmatically

In this section we will provide a set of *shell* scripts which might be very useful to batch process a lot of raster datasets programmatically.

### 1. process\_gray.sh

```
for filename in *.tif*; do echo gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co_
→COMPRESS=DEFLATE $filename ${filename}/*.tif/optimized.tif}; done > gdal_
→translate.sh
chmod +x gdal_translate.sh
./gdal_translate.sh
```

```
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo gdaladdo -r nearest $filename 2_
→4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512; done > gdaladdo.sh
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo mv \"$filename\" \"$${filename}/*.
→optimized.tif/optimized.tif}; done > rename.sh
chmod +x *.sh
./gdaladdo.sh
./rename.sh
```

### 2. process\_rgb.sh

```
for filename in *.tif*; do echo gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co_
→COMPRESS=JPEG -co PHOTOMETRIC=YCBCR -b 1 -b 2 -b 3 $filename ${filename}/*
→.tif/optimized.tif}; done > gdal_translate.sh
chmod +x gdal_translate.sh
./gdal_translate.sh
```

```
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo gdaladdo -r average $filename 2_
→4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512; done > gdaladdo.sh
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo mv \"$filename\" \"$${filename}/*
→optimized.tif/optimized.tif}; done > rename.sh
chmod +x *.sh
./gdaladdo.sh
./rename.sh
```

### 3. process\_rgb\_alpha.sh

```

for filename in *.tif*; do echo gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co
→COMPRESS=JPEG -co PHOTOMETRIC=YCBCR --config GDAL_TIFF_INTERNAL_MASK YES
→-b 1 -b 2 -b 3 -mask 4 $filename ${filename}/*.tif/optimized.tif; done >
→ gdal_translate.sh
chmod +x gdal_translate.sh
./gdal_translate.sh

```

```

for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo gdaladdo -r average $filename 2
→4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512; done > gdaladdo.sh
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo mv \"$filename\" \"$filename//.
→optimized.tif/.tif\"; done > rename.sh
chmod +x *.sh
./gdaladdo.sh
./rename.sh

```

#### 4. process\_rgb\_palette.sh

```

for filename in *.tif*; do echo gdal_translate -co TILED=YES -co
→COMPRESS=DEFLATE $filename ${filename}/*.tif/optimized.tif; done > gdal_
→translate.sh
chmod +x gdal_translate.sh
./gdal_translate.sh

```

```

for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo gdaladdo -r average $filename 2
→4 8 16 32 64 128 256 512; done > gdaladdo.sh
for filename in *.optimized.tif*; do echo mv \"$filename\" \"$filename//.
→optimized.tif/.tif\"; done > rename.sh
chmod +x *.sh
./gdaladdo.sh
./rename.sh

```

### 1.24.4 Thesaurus Import and Export

See *Import via the load\_thesaurus command* and *Exporting a thesaurus as RDF via the dump\_thesaurus command*.

### 1.24.5 Create Users and Super Users

Your first step will be to create a user. There are three options to do so, depending on which kind of user you want to create you may choose a different option. We will start with creating a *superuser*, because this user is the most important. A superuser has all the permissions without explicitly assigning them.

The easiest way to create a superuser (in linux) is to open your terminal and type:

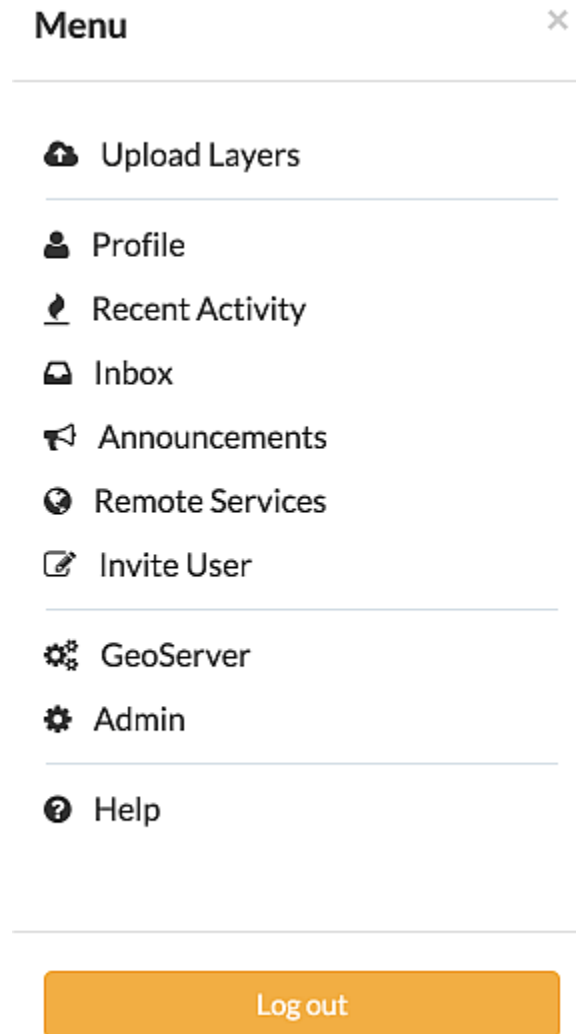
```
$ DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py createsuperuser
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

```
$ DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py
→createsuperuser
```

You will be asked a username (in this tutorial we will call the superuser you now create *your\_superuser*), an email address and a password.

Now you've created a superuser you should become familiar with the *Django Admin Interface*. As a superuser you are having access to this interface, where you can manage users, Datasets, permission and more. To learn more detailed about this interface check this [LINK](#). For now it will be enough to just follow the steps. To attend the *Django Admin Interface*, go to your geonode website and *sign in* with *your\_superuser*. Once you've logged in, the name of your user will appear on the top right. Click on it and the following menu will show up:





























Clicking on *Admin* causes the interface to show up.

Go to *Auth -> Users* and you will see all the users that exist at the moment. In your case it will only be *your\_superuser*. Click on it, and you will see a section on *Personal Info*, one on *Permissions* and one on *Important dates*. For the moment, the section on *Permissions* is the most important.

As you can see, there are three boxes that can be checked and unchecked. Because you've created a superuser, all three boxes are checked as default. If only the box *active* would have been checked, the user would not be a superuser

## Django administration

### Site administration

Account		
Account deletions	 Add	 Change
Accounts	 Add	 Change
Signup codes	 Add	 Change
Actstream		
Actions	 Add	 Change
Follows	 Add	 Change
Announcements		
Announcements	 Add	 Change
Dismissals	 Add	 Change
Auth		
Groups	 Add	 Change
Users	 Add	 Change
Avatar		
Avatars	 Add	 Change
Base		
Contact roles	 Add	 Change
Links	 Add	 Change
Metadata Regions	 Add	 Change

#### Permissions

☒ Active

Designates whether this user should be treated as active. Unselect this instead of deleting accounts.

☒ Staff status

Designates whether the user can log into this admin site.

☒ Superuser status

Designates that this user has all permissions without explicitly assigning them.

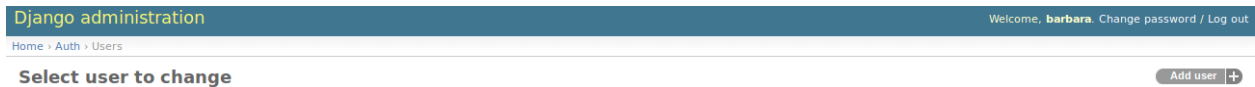
and would not be able to access the *Django Admin Interface* (which is only available for users with the *staff* status). Therefore keep the following two things in mind:

- a superuser is able to access the *Django Admin Interface* and he has all permissions on the data uploaded to GeoNode.
- an ordinary user (created from the GeoNode interface) only has *active* permissions by default. The user will not have the ability to access the *Django Admin Interface* and certain permissions have to be added for him.

Until now we've only created superusers. So how do you create an ordinary user? You have two options:

### 1. Django Admin Interface

First we will create a user via the *Django Admin Interface* because we've still got it open. Therefore go back to *Auth -> Users* and you should find a button on the right that says *Add user*.



Click on it and a form to fill out will appear. Name the new user `test_user`, choose a password and click *save* at the right bottom of the site.

Now you should be directed to the site where you could change the permissions on the user `test_user`. As default only *active* is checked. If you want this user also to be able to attend this admin interface you could also check *staff status*. But for now we leave the settings as they are!

To test whether the new user was successfully created, go back to the GeoNode web page and try to sign in.

### 2. GeoNode website

**To create an ordinary user you could also just use the GeoNode website. If you installed GeoNode using a release, you should see a *Register* button on the top, beside the *Sign in* button (you might have to log out before).**



Hit the button and again a form will appear for you to fill out. This user will be named `geonode_user`

By hitting *Sign up* the user will be signed up, as default only with the status *active*.

## SIGN UP

Username	<input type="text" value="test_user"/>
Password	<input type="password" value="....."/>
Password (again)	<input type="password" value="....."/>
Email	<input type="text" value="test_user@gmail.com"/>

[Sign up](#)

## 1.24.6 Batch Sync Permissions

GeoNode provides a very useful management command `set_layers_permissions` allowing an administrator to easily add / remove permissions to groups and users on one or more Datasets.

The `set_layers_permissions` command arguments are:

- **permissions** to set/unset → read, download, edit, manage

```

READ_PERMISSIONS = [
 'view_resourcebase'
]
DOWNLOAD_PERMISSIONS = [
 'view_resourcebase',
 'download_resourcebase'
]
EDIT_PERMISSIONS = [
 'view_resourcebase',
 'change_dataset_style',
 'download_resourcebase',
 'change_resourcebase_metadata',
 'change_dataset_data',
 'change_resourcebase'
]
MANAGE_PERMISSIONS = [
 'delete_resourcebase',
 'change_resourcebase',
 'view_resourcebase',
 'change_resourcebase_permissions',
 'change_dataset_style',
 'change_resourcebase_metadata',
 'publish_resourcebase',

```

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```
'change_dataset_data',
'download_resourcebase'
]
```

NB: the above permissions list may change with the `ADVANCED_WORKFLOW` enabled. For additional info: [https://docs.geonode.org/en/master/admin/admin\\_panel/index.html#how-to-enable-the-advanced-workflow](https://docs.geonode.org/en/master/admin/admin_panel/index.html#how-to-enable-the-advanced-workflow)

- **resources** (Datasets) which permissions will be assigned on → type the Dataset id, multiple choices can be typed with comma separator, if no ids are provided all the Datasets will be considered
- **users** who permissions will be assigned to, multiple choices can be typed with a comma separator
- **groups** who permissions will be assigned to, multiple choices can be typed with a comma separator
- **delete** flag (optional) which means the permissions will be unset

### Usage examples:

1. Assign **edit** permissions on the Datasets with id **1** and **2** to the users **username1** and **username2** and to the group **group\_name1**.

```
python manage.py set_layers-permissions -p edit -u username1,username2 -g ↵
↵group_name1 -r 1,2
```

2. Assign **manage** permissions on all the Datasets to the group **group\_name1**.

```
python manage.py set_layers-permissions -p manage -g group_C
```

3. Unset **download** permissions on the Dataset with id **1** for the user **username1**.

```
python manage.py set_layers-permissions -p download -u username1 -r 1 -d
```

The same functionalities, with some limitations, are available also from the *Admin Dashboard >> Users* or *Admin Dashboard >> Groups >> Group profiles*.

An action named *Set layer permissions* is available from the list, redirecting the administrator to a form to set / unset read, edit, download permissions on the selected Users/group profile.

Is enough to select the dataset and press “Submit”. If the async mode is activated, the permission assign is asynchronous

### 1.24.7 Delete Certain GeoNode Resources

The `delete_resources Management Command` allows to remove resources meeting a certain condition, specified in a form of a serialized django Q() expression.

First of all let's take a look at the `--help` option of the `delete_resources` management command in order to inspect all the command options and features.

Run

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py delete_resources --help
```

**Note:** If you enabled `local_settings.py` the command will change as following:

**GeoNode**

[Home](#) > [People](#) > [Users](#)

## Users


5 total

<input type="checkbox"/>	ID	Username	Organization Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	-1	AnonymousUser	-
<input type="checkbox"/>	1000	admin	-
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1010	new.user	-
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1004	username1	-
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1009	username2	-

5 total

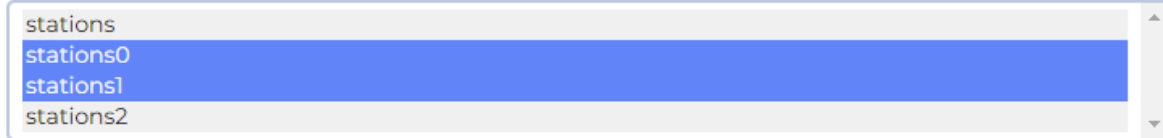
Set layer permissions ▾

94d7ef36d54e81afde607d



# Batch Edit

## Layers



## Permission type

- ☒ Read  
☐ Edit  
☐ Download

## Mode

- ☒ Set  
☐ Unset

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.local_settings python manage.py delete_resources --help
```

This will produce output the following output:

```
usage: manage.py delete_resources [-h] [-c CONFIG_PATH]
 [-l LAYER_FILTERS [LAYER_FILTERS ...]]
 [-m MAP_FILTERS [MAP_FILTERS ...]]
 [-d DOCUMENT_FILTERS [DOCUMENT_FILTERS ...]]
 [--version] [-v {0,1,2,3}]
 [--settings SETTINGS]
 [--pythonpath PYTHONPATH] [--traceback]
 [--no-color] [--force-color]
```

Delete resources meeting a certain condition

optional arguments:

```

-h, --help show this help message and exit
-c CONFIG_PATH, --config CONFIG_PATH
 Configuration file path. Default is:
 delete_resources.json
-l LAYER_FILTERS [LAYER_FILTERS ...], --layer_filters LAYER_FILTERS [LAYER_FILTERS ...]
-m MAP_FILTERS [MAP_FILTERS ...], --map_filters MAP_FILTERS [MAP_FILTERS ...]
-d DOCUMENT_FILTERS [DOCUMENT_FILTERS ...], --document_filters DOCUMENT_FILTERS_
↪ [DOCUMENT_FILTERS ...]
--version show program's version number and exit
-v {0,1,2,3}, --verbosity {0,1,2,3}
```

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	Verbosity level; 0=minimal output, 1=normal output, 2=verbose output, 3=very verbose output
--settings SETTINGS	The Python path to a settings module, e.g. "myproject.settings.main". If this isn't provided, the DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE environment variable will be used.
--pythonpath PYTHONPATH	A directory to add to the Python path, e.g. "/home/djangoprojects/myproject".
--traceback	Raise on CommandError exceptions
--no-color	Don't colorize the command output.
--force-color	Force colorization of the command output.

There are two ways to declare Q() expressions filtering which resources should be deleted:

1. With a JSON configuration file: passing -c argument specifying the path to the JSON configuration file.

- **Example 1:** Relative path to the config file (to manage.py)

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py delete_resources -
→c geonode/base/management/commands/delete_resources.json
```

- **Example 2:** Absolute path to the config file

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py delete_resources -
→c /home/User/Geonode/configs/delete_resources.json
```

2. With CLI: passing -l -d -m list arguments for each of resources (Datasets, documents, maps)

- **Example 3:** Delete resources without configuration file

```
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py delete_resources -
→l 'Q(pk__in: [1, 2]) | Q(title__icontains:"italy")' 'Q(owner__name=admin)'
→' -d '*' -m "Q(pk__in=[1, 2])"
```

## Configuration File

The JSON configuration file should contain a single *filters* object, which consists of *Dataset*, *map* and *document* lists. Each list specifies the filter conditions applied to a corresponding queryset, defining which items will be deleted. The filters are evaluated and directly inserted into Django .filter() method, which means the filters occurring as separated list items are treated as AND condition. To create OR query | operator should be used. For more info please check Django [documentation](<https://docs.djangoproject.com/en/3.2/topics/db/queries/#complex-lookups-with-q-objects>). The only exception is passing a list with '\*' which will cause deleting all the queryset of the resource.

- **Example 4:** Example content of the configuration file, which will delete Datasets with ID's 1, 2, and 3, those owned by *admin* user, along with all defined maps.

```
{
 "filters": {
 "Dataset": [
 "Q(pk__in=[1, 2, 3]) | Q(title__icontains='italy')",
 "Q(user__name=admin)"
],
 },
}
```

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```

"map": ["*"],
"document": []
}
}

```

## CLI

The CLI configuration can be specified with `-l -d -m` list arguments, which in fact are a translation of the configuration JSON file. `-l -d -m` arguments are evaluated in the same manner as `filters.Dataset`, `filters.map` and `filter.document` accordingly from the Example 4. The following example's result will be equivalent to Example 4:

- **Example 5:** Example CLI configuration, which will delete Datasets with ID's 1, 2, and 3, along with all maps.

```

DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python manage.py delete_resources -
→l 'Q(pk__in: [1, 2, 3]) | Q(title__icontains:"italy")' 'Q(owner__
→name=admin)' -m '*'

```

### 1.24.8 Async execution over http

It is possible to expose and run management commands over http.

To run [custom django management commands](#) usually we make use of the command line:

```

python manage.py ping_mngmt_commands_http
$> pong

```

The `management_commands_http` app allows us to run commands when we have no access to the command line. It's possible to run a command using the API or the django admin GUI.

For security reasons, only admin users can access the feature and the desired command needs to be explicitly exposed. By default the following commands are exposed: `ping_mngmt_commands_http`, `updatelayers`, `sync_geonode_datasets`, `sync_geonode_maps`, `importlayers` and `set_all_datasets_metadata`.

To expose more command you can change the environment variable `MANAGEMENT_COMMANDS_EXPOSED_OVER_HTTP` and the added commands will be exposed in your application.

The list of exposed commands is available by the endpoint `list_management_commands` and also presented by the form in the admin page `create management command job`.

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**Note:** To use the commands in an asynchronous approach `ASYNC_SIGNALS` needs to be set to `True` and celery should be running.

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## Manage using django admin interface

### Creating a job

Access the admin panel: [http://<your\\_geonode\\_host>/admin](http://<your_geonode_host>/admin) and go to “Management command jobs”.



Fig. 281: *Management command admin section*

You will arrive at [http://<your\\_geonode\\_host>/en/admin/management\\_commands\\_http/managementcommandjob/](http://<your_geonode_host>/en/admin/management_commands_http/managementcommandjob/), then click on the button + Add management command job ([http://<your\\_geonode\\_host>/en/admin/management\\_commands\\_http/managementcommandjob/add/](http://<your_geonode_host>/en/admin/management_commands_http/managementcommandjob/add/)).

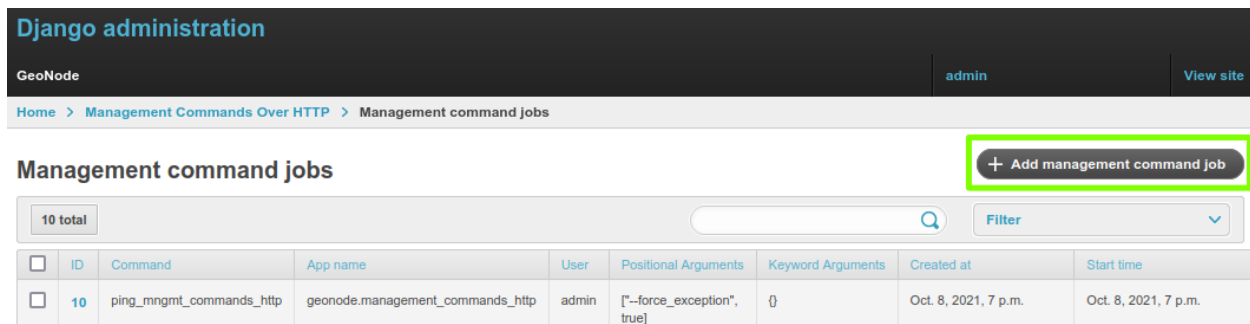


Fig. 282: *Add management command job*

Select the command and fill the form, with the arguments and/or key-arguments if needed. Save you job and in the list select the **start** action, alteratively you can mark the **autostart** option and the command will be automatic started when created.

### Starting a job

To start a job:

1. Select the job to be started.
2. Select the start action.
3. Click in Go.

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## Add management command job

Command:

Positional Arguments: 
JSON encoded positional arguments (Example: ["arg1", "arg2"])

Keyword Arguments: 
JSON encoded keyword arguments (Example: {"argument": "value"})

☐ Autostart

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Fig. 283: Creating a management command job form

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<input type="checkbox"/>	ID	Command	App name
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8	ping_mngmt_commands_http	geonode.management_commands_http
<input type="checkbox"/>	7	ping_mngmt_commands_http	geonode.management_commands_http
<input type="checkbox"/>	6	ping_mngmt_commands_http	geonode.management_commands_http
<input type="checkbox"/>	5	ping_mngmt_commands_http	geonode.management_commands_http
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	ping_mngmt_commands_http	geonode.management_commands_http

Start  [Go](#)

Fig. 284: Starting a job

4. The page will refresh and the job status will have changed. If it takes a long to run, refresh the page to see the updated the status.
5. A stop option is also available.

**Note:** If it takes too long to load the page, `ASYNC_SIGNALS` may not be activated. If its status gets stuck at `QUEUED`, verify if celery is running and properly configured.

## Job status

Clicking at the link in the ID of a job, we can see the details of this job. For the job we just created, we can verify the output message and celery job status.

Status	Finished
Output message	Sleeping for 10.0 seconds... pong
Celery state	SUCCESS
Celery traceback	None

Fig. 285: Example job status

When we have an error during execution the traceback message will be available in the Celery traceback. In the next image a `ping_mngmt_commands_http` job was created with the arguments `["--force_exception", true]`. Checking the text in this field can be useful when troubleshooting errors.

Status	Finished
Output message	As requested, an exception will be raised.
Celery state	FAILURE
Celery traceback	<pre> Traceback (most recent call last):   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/site-packages/celery/app/trace.py", line 450, in trace_task     R = retval = fun(*args, **kwargs)   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/site-packages/celery/app/trace.py", line 731, in __protected_call__     return self.run(*args, **kwargs)   File "/usr/src/geonode/geonode/management_commands_http/tasks.py", line 37, in run_management_command_async     run_management_command(job_id, async_result_id=self.request.id)   File "/usr/src/geonode/geonode/management_commands_http/utlis/job_runner.py", line 85, in run_management_command     call_command(job.command, *job.args, **job.kwargs, stdout=output)   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/site-packages/django/core/management/__init__.py", line 181, in call_command     return command.execute(*args, **defaults)   File "/usr/local/lib/python3.8/site-packages/django/core/management/base.py", line 398, in execute     output = self.handle(*args, **options)   File "/usr/src/geonode/geonode/management_commands_http/management/commands/ping_mngmt_commands_http.py", line 39, in handle     raise RuntimeError("User Requested Exception") RuntimeError: User Requested Exception </pre>

Fig. 286: Example job traceback message

## Manage using API endpoints

The execution of the management commands can be handled by http requests to an API: `http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/`.

All the requests need to be authenticated with administrative permissions (*superuser*).

You can find here a postman collection with all the exemples listed here and other available endpoints:

`geonode_mngmt_commands.postman_collection.json`

## List exposed commands

Getting a list of the exposed commands:

```
curl --location --request GET 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/commands/' --
 -H 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='
```

Response:

```
{
 "success": true,
 "error": null,
 "data": [
 "ping_mngmt_commands_http",
 "updatelayers",
 "set_all_datasets_metadata",
 "sync_geonode_maps",
 "importlayers",
 "sync_geonode_datasets"
]
}
```

**Note:** You should change the header `Authorization (Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4=)` to your Auth token, in this example I am using a token for admin as username and admin as password.

## Creating a job

Optionally, before creating the job you can get its *help message* with the following call:

```
curl --location --request GET 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/commands/
 ping_mngmt_commands_http/' --header 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='
```

Creating a job for running `ping_mngmt_commands_http` with 30 seconds of sleep time:

```
curl --location --request POST 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/commands/
 ping_mngmt_commands_http/jobs/' \
 --header 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4=' \
 --header 'Content-Type: application/json' \
 --data-raw '{
 "args": ["--sleep", 30],
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```
"kwargs": {},
"autostart": false
}'
```

Response:

```
{
 "success": true,
 "error": null,
 "data": {
 "id": 8,
 "command": "ping_mngmt_commands_http",
 "app_name": "geonode.management_commands_http",
 "user": 1000,
 "status": "CREATED",
 "created_at": "2021-10-08T18:17:25.045752Z",
 "start_time": null,
 "end_time": null,
 "args": [
 "--sleep",
 30
],
 "kwargs": {},
 "celery_result_id": null,
 "output_message": null
 }
}
```

**Note:** Alternatively you can omit the jobs part of the url to create a job. (Using `http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/commands/ping_mngmt_commands_http/` as url)

## Start/Stop actions

To start the created job:

```
curl --location --request PATCH 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/jobs/8/
↳start/' --header 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='
```

Response:

```
{
 "success": true,
 "error": null,
 "data": {
 "id": 8,
 "command": "ping_mngmt_commands_http",
 "app_name": "geonode.management_commands_http",
 "user": 1000,
 "status": "QUEUED",
 "created_at": "2021-10-08T18:17:25.045752Z",
```

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```

 "start_time": null,
 "end_time": null,
 "args": [
 "--sleep",
 30
],
 "kwargs": {},
 "celery_result_id": null,
 "output_message": null
}

```

**Note:** During execution the job can be interrupted using the following call:

```

curl --location --request PATCH 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/jobs/8/
↳stop/' --header 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='

```

Note that the status changed from **CREATED** to **QUEUED**, during execution it will be **STARTED** and at the end **FINISHED**.

## Jobs list and status

You can verify your job status and details with the following call:

```

curl --location --request GET 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/jobs/8/
↳status/' --header 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='

```

Response:

```

{
 "id": 8,
 "command": "ping_mngmt_commands_http",
 "app_name": "geonode.management_commands_http",
 "user": 1000,
 "status": "FINISHED",
 "created_at": "2021-10-08T18:17:25.045752Z",
 "start_time": "2021-10-08T18:20:02.761475Z",
 "end_time": "2021-10-08T18:20:32.802007Z",
 "args": [
 "--sleep",
 30
],
 "kwargs": {},
 "celery_result_id": "fe7359a6-5f8c-47bf-859a-84351b5ed80c",
 "output_message": "Sleeping for 30.0 seconds...\npong\n",
 "celery_task_meta": {
 "date_done": "2021-10-08T18:20:32.810649Z",
 "status": "SUCCESS",
 "traceback": null,
 "worker": "worker1@4f641ffa9c0b"
 }
}

```

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```
}
}
```

When running multiple jobs and to audit already ran jobs. A list of jobs can be retrieved using the following call:

```
curl --location --request GET 'http://<your_geonode_host>/api/v2/management/jobs/' --
 -H 'Authorization: Basic YWRtaW46YWRtaW4='
```

Response:

```
{
 "links": {
 "next": null,
 "previous": null
 },
 "total": 1,
 "page": 1,
 "page_size": 10,
 "data": [
 {
 "id": 1,
 "command": "ping_mngmt_commands_http",
 "app_name": "geonode.management_commands_http",
 "user": 1000,
 "status": "FINISHED",
 "created_at": "2021-10-08T18:17:25.045752Z"
 }
]
}
```

**Note:** This list can be filtered by the fields “celery\_result\_id”, “command”, “app\_name”, “status”, “user” and “user\_\_username”.

## 1.25 Changing the default Languages

### 1.25.1 Changing the Default Language

GeoNode’s default language is English, but GeoNode users can change the interface language with the pulldown menu at the top-right of most GeoNode pages. Once a user selects a language GeoNode remembers that language for subsequent pages.

## 1.25.2 GeoNode Configuration

As root edit the geonode config file `/home/geonode/geonode/geonode/settings.py` (or `/etc/geonode/settings.py` if GeoNode has been installed using **apt-get**) and change `LANGUAGE_CODE` to the desired default language.

**Note:** A list of language codes can be found in the global django config file `/usr/local/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/django/conf/global_settings.py` (or `/var/lib/geonode/lib/python2.7/site-packages/django/conf/global_settings.py` if GeoNode has been installed using **apt-get**).

For example, to make French the default language use:

```
LANGUAGE_CODE = 'fr'
```

Unfortunately Django overrides this setting, giving the language setting of a user's browser priority. For example, if `LANGUAGE_CODE` is set to French, but the user has configured their operating system for Spanish they may see the Spanish version when they first visit GeoNode.

## 1.25.3 Additional Steps

If this is not the desired behaviour, and all users should initially see the default `LANGUAGE_CODE`, regardless of their browser's settings, do the following steps to ensure Django ignores the browser language settings. (Users can always use the pulldown language menu to change the language at any time.)

As **root** create a new directory within GeoNode's site packages

```
mkdir /usr/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/setmydefaultlanguage
```

or

```
mkdir /var/lib/geonode/lib/python2.7/site-packages/setmydefaultlanguage
```

if GeoNode has been installed using **apt-get**.

As root create and edit a new file `/usr/lib/python2.7/dist-packages/setmydefaultlanguage/__init__.py` and add the following lines

```
class ForceDefaultLanguageMiddleware(object):
 """
 Ignore Accept-Language HTTP headers

 This will force the I18N machinery to always choose settings.LANGUAGE_CODE
 as the default initial language, unless another one is set via sessions or cookies

 Should be installed *before* any middleware that checks request.META['HTTP_ACCEPT_
 →LANGUAGE'],
 namely django.middleware.locale.LocaleMiddleware
 """
 def process_request(self, request):
 if request.META.has_key('HTTP_ACCEPT_LANGUAGE'):
 del request.META['HTTP_ACCEPT_LANGUAGE']
```

At the end of the GeoNode configuration file `/home/geonode/geonode/geonode/settings.py` (or `/etc/geonode/settings.py` if GeoNode has been installed using **apt-get**) add the following lines to ensure the above class is executed

```
MIDDLEWARE_CLASSES += (
 'setmydefaultlanguage.ForceDefaultLanguageMiddleware',
)
```

### 1.25.4 Restart

You will need to restart GeoNode accordingly to the installation method you have choosen.

As an instance in case you are using *NGINX* with *UWSGI*, as root you will need to run the following commands

```
service uwsgi restart
service nginx restart
```

Please refer to Translating GeoNode for information on editing GeoNode pages in different languages and create new GeoNode Translations.

## 1.26 GeoNode Upgrade from older versions

### 1.26.1 Upgrade from 3.2.x / 3.3.x

1. Upgrade the dependencies
2. Perform the migrations management command; in case some attribute is conflicting, remove it manually from the DB
3. Proform the `collectstatic` management command

#### Upgrade the instance dependencies

Check the *1. Install the dependencies* and *2. GeoNode Installation* sections in order to upgrade your Python environment.

Also, make sure the code is Python 3.8 compatible and that you switched and aligned the **source code** and the **requirements.txt** to the master branch.

This must be done manually and with particular attention.

```
workon <project environment>
cd <project_name>
pip install -r requirements.txt

cd /<full_path_to_geonode>

pip install pip --upgrade
pip install -r requirements.txt --upgrade
pip install -e . --upgrade
pip install pygdal=="`gdal-config --version`.*"

./manage.sh collectstatic --noinput
```

## Run GeoNode migrations

Activate your GeoNode virtualenv and set the env vars:

```
. env/bin/Activate
export vars_210
```

Here are the variables to export - update them to your environment settings:

```
export DATABASE_URL=postgres://user:***@localhost:5432/dbname
export DEFAULT_BACKEND_DATASTORE=data
export GEODATABASE_URL=postgres://user:***@localhost:5432/geonode_data
export ALLOWED_HOSTS="['localhost', '192.168.100.10']"
export STATIC_ROOT=~/.www/geonode/static/
export GEOSERVER_LOCATION=http://localhost:8080/geoserver/
export GEOSERVER_PUBLIC_LOCATION=http://localhost:8080/geoserver/
export GEOSERVER_ADMIN_PASSWORD=geoserver
export SESSION_EXPIRED_CONTROL_ENABLED=False
```

Apply migrations and apply basic fixtures:

```
./manage.py migrate --fake-initial
paver sync
```

**Note:** In case of an error of `django.db.utils.ProgrammingError: column "column-name" of relation "table-name" already exists` on running migrations, you can backup the field data with the following steps.

```
./manage.sh dbshell
```

```
ALTER TABLE <table> ADD COLUMN <column-name>_bkp varchar;
UPDATE <table> SET <column-name>_bkp = column-name;
ALTER TABLE <table> DROP COLUMN <column-name>;

\q
```

Run migration then:

```
./manage.sh dbshell
```

```
UPDATE <table> SET <column-name> = <column-name>_bkp;
ALTER TABLE <table> DROP COLUMN <column-name>_bkp;

\q
```

## Create superuser

To create a superuser you should drop the following constraints (they can be re-enabled if needed):

```
alter table people_profile alter column last_login drop not null;
```

```
./manage createsuperuser
```

## Update Templates

Update available templates to use {% load static %} instead of {% load staticfiles %}

## 1.27 GeoNode Async Signals

### 1.27.1 Supervisord and Systemd

### 1.27.2 Celery

### 1.27.3 Rabbitmq and Redis

### 1.27.4 How to: Async Upload via API

In geonode is possible to upload resources via API in async/sync way.

Here is available a full example of upload via API <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode/blob/582d6efda74adb8042d1d897004bbf764e6e0285/geonode/upload/api/tests.py#L416>

#### Step 1

Create a common client session, this is fundamental due the fact that geonode will check the request session. For example with requests we will do something like:

```
import requests
client = requests.session()
```

Note: in Django this part is already managed

#### Step 2

Call the `api/v2/uploads/upload` endpoint in PUT (is a form-data endpoint) by specifying in files a dictionary with the names and the files that we want to uploads and a data payload with the required informations. For example:

```
params = {
 "permissions": '{ "users": {"AnonymousUser": ["view_resourcebase"]} , "groups":{}}',
 ↪ # layer permissions
 "time": "false",
 "layer_title": "layer_title",
 "time": "false",
 "charset": "UTF-8",
```

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```

}

files = {
 "filename": <_io.BufferedReader name="filename">
}

client.put(
 "http://localhost:8000/api/v2/uploads/upload/",
 auth=HTTPBasicAuth(username, password),
 data=params,
 files=files,
)

```

Returns:

- dict with import id of the resource

### Step 3

Call in the final upload page in order to trigger the actual import. If correctly set, Geoserver will manage the upload asynchronously.

```
client.get("http://localhost:8000/upload/final?id={import_id}")
```

The `import\_id` is returned from the previous step

### Step 4

The upload as been completed on GeoNode, we should check until Geoserver has complete his part. To do so, is enough to call the detailed information about the upload that we are performing

```
client.get(f"http://localhost:8000/api/v2/uploads/{upload_id}")
```

When the status is *PROCESSED* and the completion is *100%* we are able to see the resource in geonode and geoserver

## 1.28 GeoNode Add a thesaurus

### 1.28.1 Introduction

GeoNode can import a thesaurus (or multiple thesauri) in order to index resources against subject terms or keywords. Thesauri can be managed manually in the admin panel, or imported as [SKOS RDF](#) using either the admin panel or the command-line:

### 1.28.2 Upload via the Admin panel

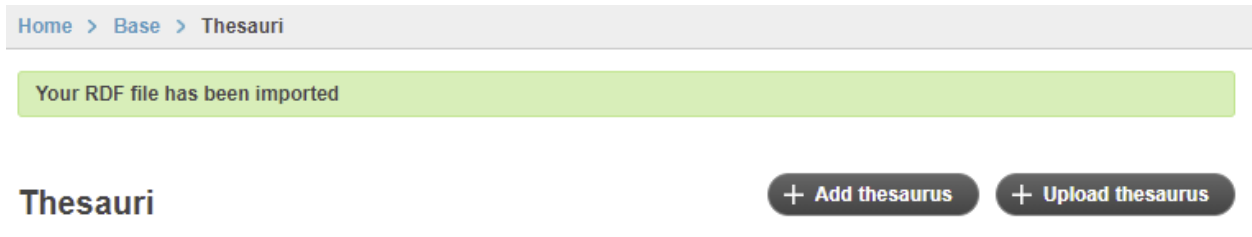
Navigate to the thesaurus page in the admin panel `http://<your_geonode_host>/admin/base/thesaurus`. On the top-right of the page a button named *Upload thesaurus* will be available:



After clicking on it, a simple form for the upload will be shown which will allow you to select your desired RDF file:

By clicking on *Upload RDF*, the system will load the thesaurus and assign it a “slugified” name based on the file name. The name can be easily change later in the edit page.

If everything goes fine, a success message will be shown:



Otherwise the UI will show the error message:

### 1.28.3 Import via the `load_thesaurus` command

A thesaurus can also be loaded into GeoNode by using the `load_thesaurus` management command:

```
python manage.py load_thesaurus --help

-d, --dry-run Only parse and print the thesaurus file, without perform insertion_
 ↪ in the DB.
--name=NAME Identifier name for the thesaurus in this GeoNode instance.
--file=FILE Full path to a thesaurus in RDF format.
```

For example, in order add the [INSPIRE Spatial Data Themes](#) thesaurus into a GeoNode instance, download it as file `inspire-theme.rdf` with the command:

[Home](#) > [Base](#) > [Thesauri](#)

duplicate key value violates unique constraint "base\_thesaurus\_identifier\_key" DETAIL: Key (identifier)=(myrdf-rdf) already exists.

## Thesauri

+ Add thesaurus

+ Upload thesaurus

```
wget -O inspire-theme.rdf https://raw.githubusercontent.com/geonetwork/core-geonetwork/
master/web/src/test/resources/thesaurus/external/thesauri/theme/
httpinspireeceuropaeutheme-theme.rdf
```

and then issue the command:

```
python manage.py load_thesaurus --file inspire-theme.rdf --name inspire_themes
```

The name is the identifier you'll use to refer to this thesaurus in your GeoNode instance.

If you only want to make sure that a thesaurus file will be properly parsed, give the `--dry-run` parameter, so that nothing will be added to the DB.

*Note:* if the name starts with the string `fake`, the file will not be accessed at all, and some test keywords will be added to a fake new thesaurus. In this case the `dry-run` param will not be used.

### 1.28.4 Configure a thesaurus in GeoNode

#### Configuration from *Admin*

After you loaded a thesaurus into GeoNode, it should be configured in the *Admin* panel.

The panel can be reached from *Admin* link of the *User Menu* in the navigation bar or through this URL: `http://<your_geonode_host>/admin/base/thesaurus`.

Once you are on the Thesaurus lists, select one thesaurus to open the Edit page

- **identifier:** (mandatory string) the identifier you used in the `load_thesaurus` commands.
- **title:** (mandatory string) The title of the thesaurus, set initially by the `load_thesaurus` command.
- **date:** (mandatory date) The Date of the thesaurus, set initially by the `load_thesaurus` command.
- **description:** (mandatory string) The description of the thesaurus, set initially by the `load_thesaurus` command.
- **slug:** (mandatory string) The slug of the thesaurus, set initially by the `load_thesaurus` command.
- **about:** (optional string) The about of the thesaurus, set initially by the `load_thesaurus` command.
- **card min:** (optional integer) The minimum cardinality, default = 0
- **card max:** (optional integer) The maximum cardinality, default = -1
- **facet:** (boolean) Decide if the thesaurus will be shown in the facet list, default: True
- **order:** (integer) Decide the listing order of the thesaurus in the facet list and in the metadata editor, default: 0, asc order from 0 to N

Cardinality:

## Change thesaurus


Identifier	<input type="text" value="thesaurus_unique_identifier"/>
Title	<input type="text" value="Thesaurus Title"/>
Date	<input type="text" value="2018-05-23T10:25:56"/>
Description	<div><input type="text" value="Thesaurus description"/></div> 
Slug	<input type="text" value="slug"/>
About	<input type="text" value="http://about-thesaurus.com"/>
Card min	<input type="text" value="1"/>
Card max	<input type="text" value="0"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Facet	

Fig. 287: The GeoNode Thesaurus edit Interface

- $card\_max=0$  → Disabled, The Thesaurus will not appear in the GUI
- $card\_max=1$  &  $card\_min=0$  → Single choice, optional.
- $card\_max=1$  &  $card\_min=1$  → Single choice, required
- $card\_max=-1$  &  $card\_min=0$  → [0..N] Multiple choices, optional
- $card\_max=-1$  &  $card\_min=1$  → [1..N] Multiple choices, required

After the setup, in *Editing Tools* → *Metadata* → *Wizard* the thesaurus block will be shown like the following image:

### Thesaurus with multiple choices

### Thesaurus with single choice



Fig. 288: The metadata interface with the Thesaurus enabled

## Configuration via *settings.py*

**Warning:** *Deprecated* The Thesaurus configuration via settings is deprecated, will be removed in the future.

After you loaded a thesaurus into GeoNode, it should be configured in the `settings.py` file (or in the `local_settings`) in this way:

```
THESAURUS = {'name': 'THESAURUS NAME', 'required': True|False, 'filter': True|False,}
```

- **name:** (mandatory string) the identifier you used in the `load_thesaurus` commands.
- **required:** (optional boolean) if `True`, a keyword of this thesaurus is mandatory to complete the metadata. *Currently not implemented.*
- **filter:** (optional boolean) if `True`, a faceted list of keywords of this thesaurus will be presented on the search page.

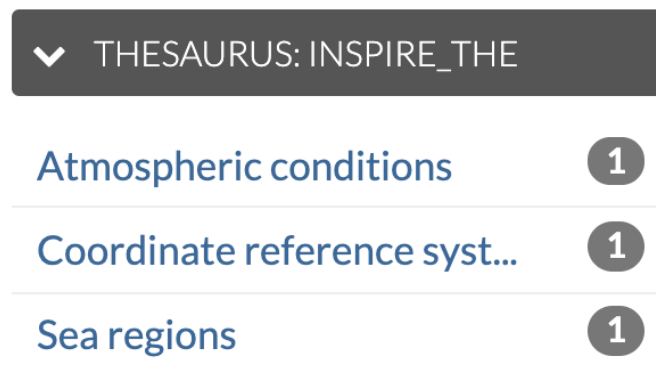
So, in order to set up the INSPIRE themes thesaurus you may set the `THESAURUS` value as:

```
THESAURUS = {'name': 'inspire_themes', 'required': True, 'filter': True}
```

### 1.28.5 Apply a thesaurus to a resource

After you've finished the setup you should find a new input widget in each resource metadata wizard allowing you to choose a thesaurus for your resource.

After applying a thesaurus to resources those should be listed in the filter section in GeoNode's resource list views:



### 1.28.6 Exporting a thesaurus as RDF via the `dump_thesaurus` command

GeoNode thesauri can be exported as RDF using the `dump_thesaurus` command:

```
python manage.py dump_thesaurus --help

-n NAME, --name NAME Dump the thesaurus with the given name
-f FORMAT, --format FORMAT
 Format string supported by rdflib, e.g.: pretty-xml (default),
 ↪ json-ld, n3, nt, pretty-xml, trig, ttl, xml
```

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<code>--default-lang LANG</code>	Default language code <b>for</b> untagged string literals
<code>-l, --list</code>	List available thesauri

The `-n|--name` argument refers, like the `load_thesaurus` command, to the thesaurus's identifier in GeoNode, as opposed to its title. If uploaded via the admin interface this is derived automatically from its file name. Information about thesauri can be shown on the command-line using `dump_thesaurus` with just the `-l|--list` option.

## 1.29 Participate in the Discussion

### 1.29.1 Join the community, ask for help or report bugs

In case of general questions the GeoNode Community is present at following *channels*

- User Mailing List: <https://lists.osgeo.org/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/geonode-users>
- Developer Mailing List: <https://lists.osgeo.org/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/geonode-devel>
- Gitter Chat: <https://gitter.im/GeoNode/general>

For reporting bugs please open a ticket at Github issues:

- <https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode/issues>

## 1.30 Write Documentation

### 1.30.1 How to contribute to GeoNode's Documentation

If you feel like adding or changing something in the GeoNode documentation you are very welcome to do so. The documentation always needs improvement as the development of the software is going quite fast.

To contribute to the GeoNode documentation you should:

- Read the GeoServer Style Guidelines
- Create an account on GitHub
- Fork the GeoNode repository
- Edit the files
- Submit pull requests

All these things can generally be done within your browser, you won't need to download anything. However, if you need to add images or planning bigger changes working locally is recommended.

## Style Guidelines

While we do not have strict rules for writing docs, we encourage you to read GeoServer Style Guidelines before you start writing: <https://docs.geoserver.org/latest/en/docguide/style.html>

## Create an account on GitHub

The first step is to create an account on GitHub. Just go to [Github](#), find a username that suits you, enter your email and a password and hit *Sign up for GitHub*. After you've signed in, visit the geonode\_documentation repository <https://github.com/geonode/documentation>.

## Fork the documentation repository

In order to make changes, you first have to fork the repository. On the top right of the website, you will find a button named "fork" to do so.

If you want to read more about forking please visit the official GitHub docs: <https://help.github.com/articles/fork-a-repo>.

## Edit files on Github

For smaller changes you can use the GitHub website. Navigate your Browser to your forked repository. To make changes to files, navigate to the file in question and hit the *edit* button on the right top.

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**Note:** The documentation is written in *reStructuredText*, a lightweight markup language. To learn how to use it see: <https://docutils.sourceforge.net/docs/user/rst/quickref.html>.

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By hitting the *preview* button you will be able to see how your changes will look like. To save your changes, click on *Commit Changes* at the bottom of the site.

To ask the documentation maintainers to integrate your changes the creation of a *Pull Request* is needed. Therefore use the *new pull request* button to start the process. Find more about Pull requests at the official GitHub documentation: <https://help.github.com/en/github/collaborating-with-issues-and-pull-requests/about-pull-requests> .

## Edit files locally

If you're planning bigger changes on the structure of the documentation, it is advisable to make your changes locally. Further, while you can work on your master branch, it is recommended to create a dedicated branch for your changes.

Start by navigating to a folder where you like to keep your repository locally and install the needed dependencies

```
$ cd /opt
$ git clone https://github.com/your_documentation_repository
$ git remote add upstream https://github.com/geonode/documentation
add the GeoNode documentation repository as "upstream" source

$ cd your_documentation_repository
$ git fetch upstream;
get last commits from upstream

$ git merge upstream/master master
```

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```
merge the upstream with your fork
if you like, you can also use 'git pull', which is nothing else than fetching and
↪merging in one step

$ git push
update your repository at GitHub (origin)
```

Your repository should now be up to date! For more information on those commands go to <https://git-scm.com/docs>. Let's install the dependencies

```
$ pip install virtualenv
$ virtualenv docs_env
$ source docs_env/bin/activate
$ pip install sphinx sphinx_rtd_theme sphinx-autobuild
```

You can now start the sphinx development server which will serve and live-reload your docs at <https://localhost:8000>

```
$ sphinx-autobuild . _build
```

When finished create a build with following command

```
$ make html
for a last check you can open the index.html in _build subdirectory
```

## Create a pull request

As with directly editing files in your browser, you will need to create a Pull request to ask for integrating your changes into the main repository.

```
$ git status
will list all changed files

$ git add ...
add the files of interest

$ git commit -m 'Fixes #1234 Updated docs for ...'
choose a meaningful commit message

$ git push <branch>
```

After running these commands, navigate your browser to your GitHub repository and create a pull request as explained above.

## 1.31 Provide Translations

### 1.31.1 Contribute to Translations

Behind the scenes, GeoNode is using a software called GNU gettext further text-based translation files (django.po and djangojs.po) for translating content. If you'd like to know more about how all of this works you'll find a full description at the [Django Docs](#). Following will concentrate on what is needed for edit existing or contribute a new translation.

#### Download the translation File

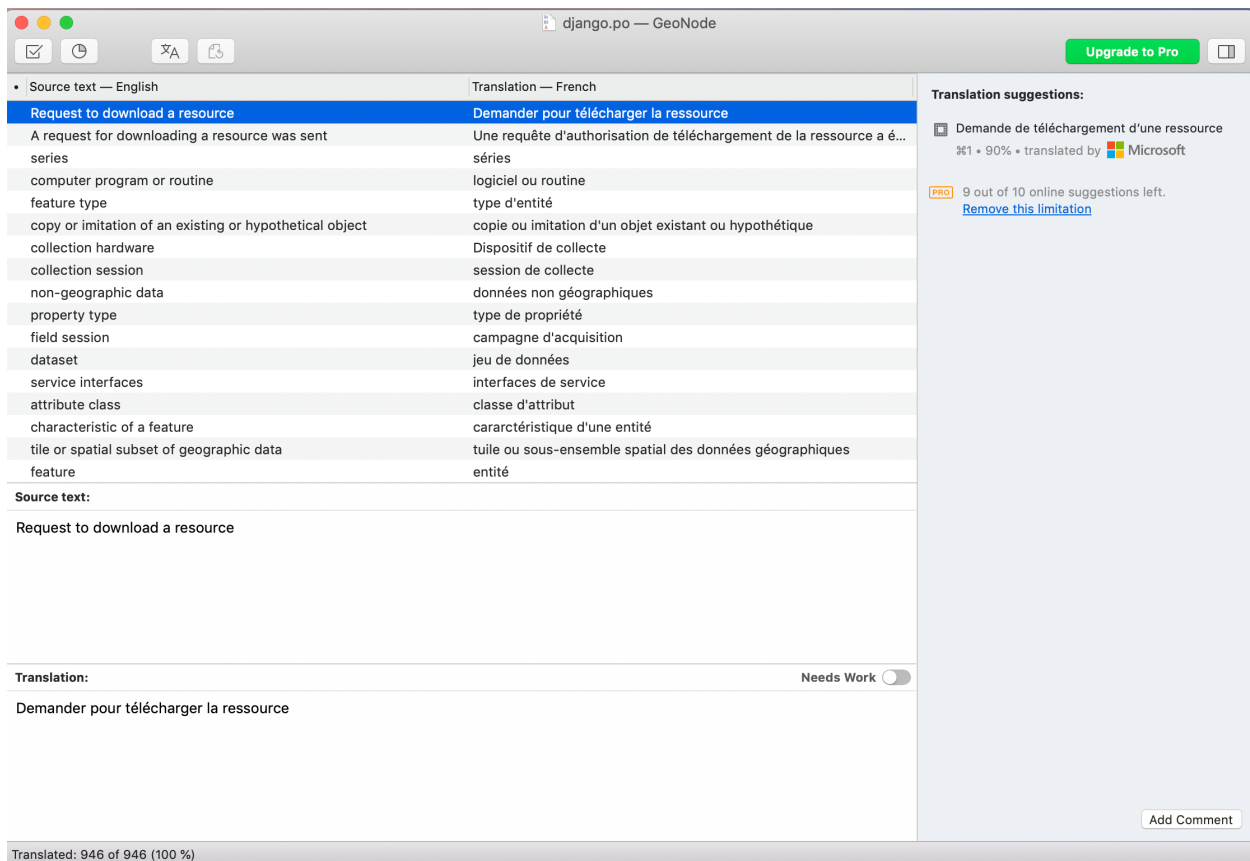
All language files live in a specific subfolder called after their [iso code](#) within the [locale folder](#). For example, for French, the main translation file called django.po can be downloaded from [here](#).

Next, to download the language file, we need to install an OpenSource Editor called “poedit” for editing from: <https://poedit.net/download>

#### Translation process

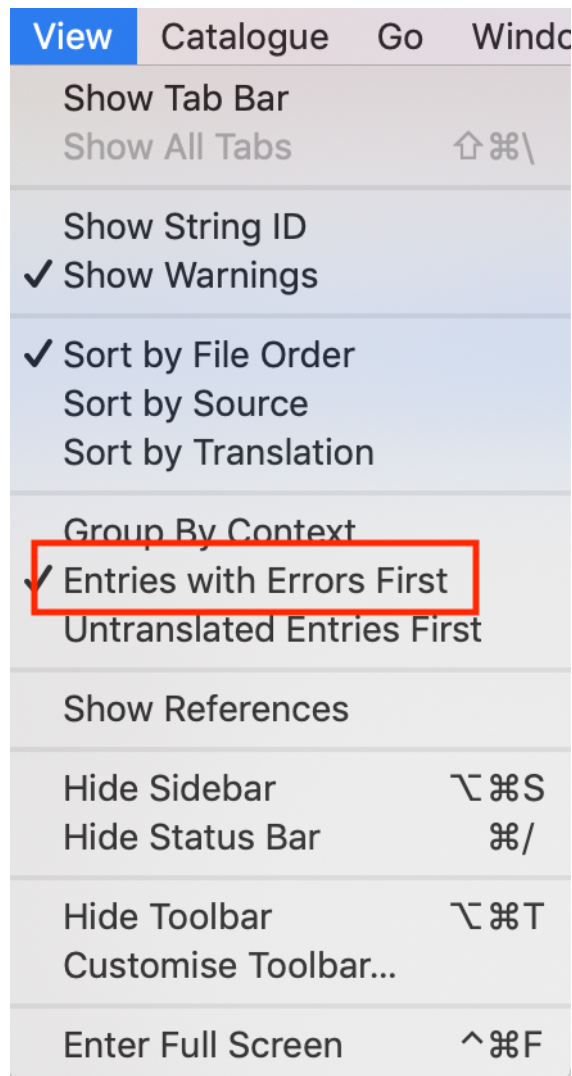
Make a copy of the file before starting the translation so that you can revert in case of errors.

After installing ‘poedit’, you should be able to double click on the ‘.po’ file to open it. Poedit’s interface should look similar to the one shown in the picture below:



## Identifying translation issues

From the ‘poedit’ menu ‘View’, make sure that ‘Entries with Errors first’ is checked:

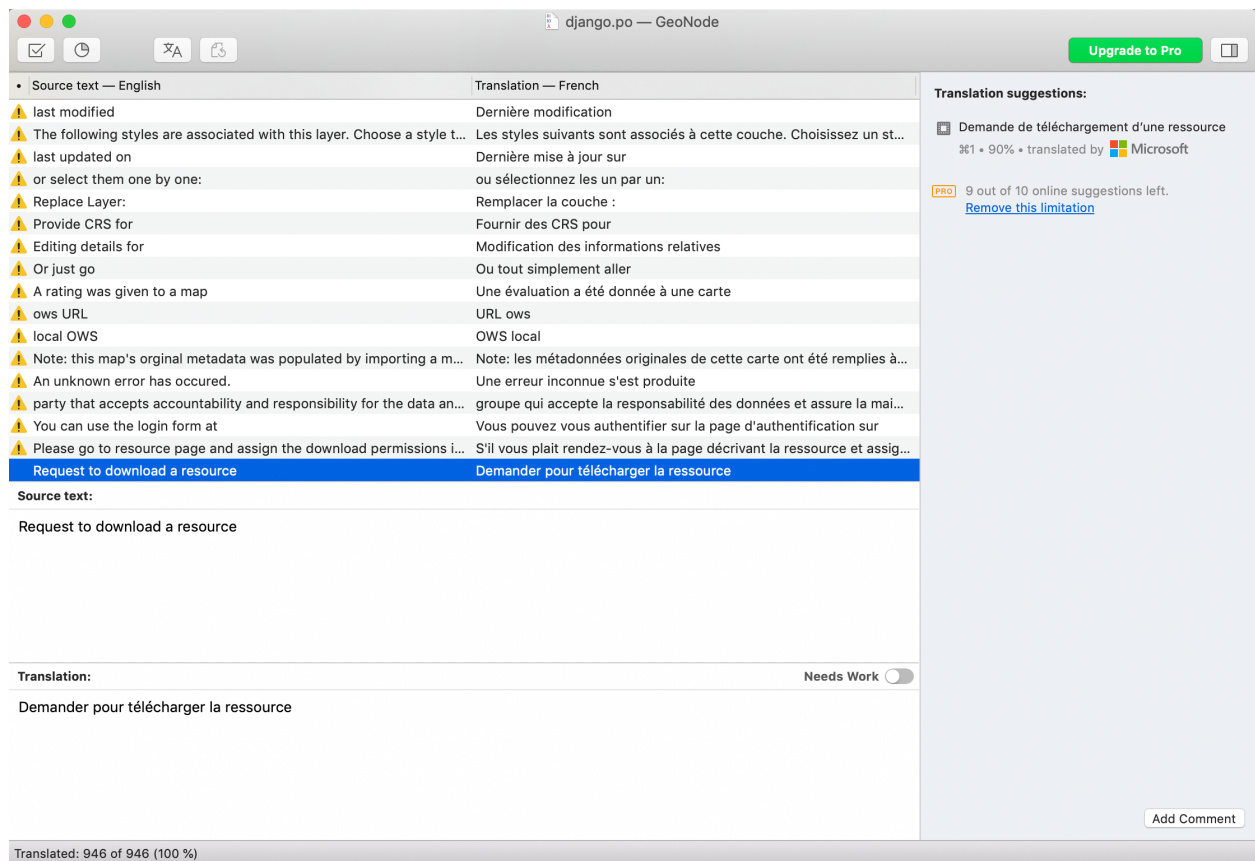
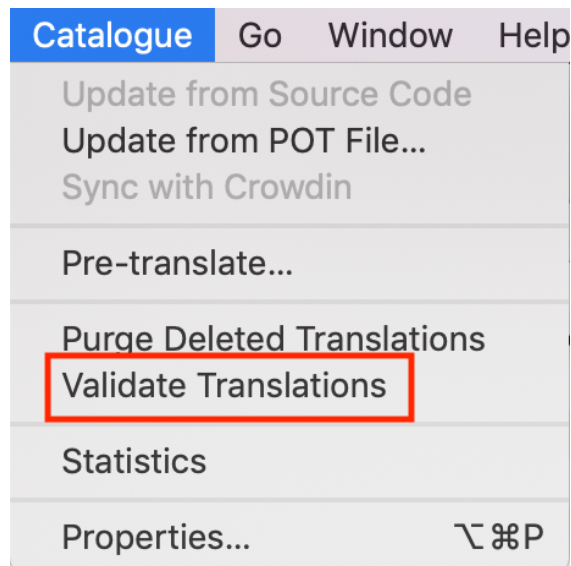


Next click on ‘Validate Translations’ from the ‘Catalogue’ menu:

‘Poedit’ will place translations which may require additional consideration on top of the list. A warning mark means that the interpretation might be not entirely consistent with the original phrase. This is not necessarily an error, just a warning asking the user to double check.

Following to marked phrases, ‘Poedit’ will show untranslated sentences. When clicking on one, it can be translated through the bottom panel.

During translation pay special attention to the button saying ‘needs work’. In case this button is checked, the phrase will be marked as ‘fuzzy’ and ignored in GeoNode.

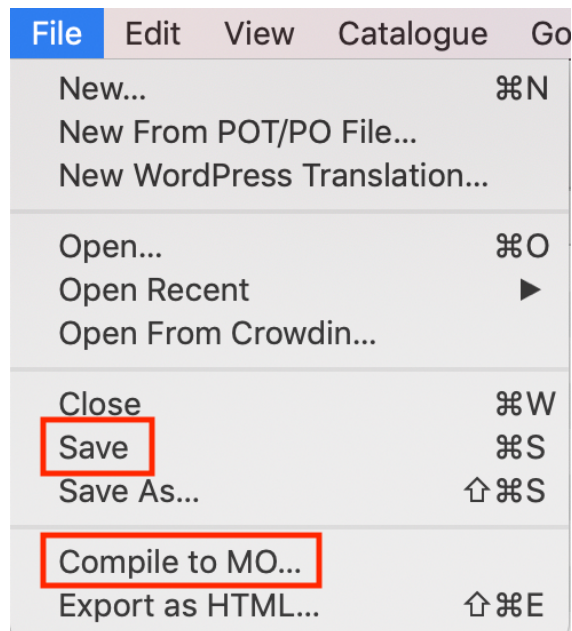


Source text:	
Request to download a resource	
Translation:	Needs Work <input type="checkbox"/>
Demander pour télécharger la ressource	

## Saving translations

As soon as the translation is complete, it must be saved and compiled. Saving is straightforward. All you have to do is clicking the ‘Save’ button from the top menu.

As a last step we compile the file. Compiling the translation means to create a binary “.mo” file out of the edited “.po” file. To do so, click on “Compile to MO”

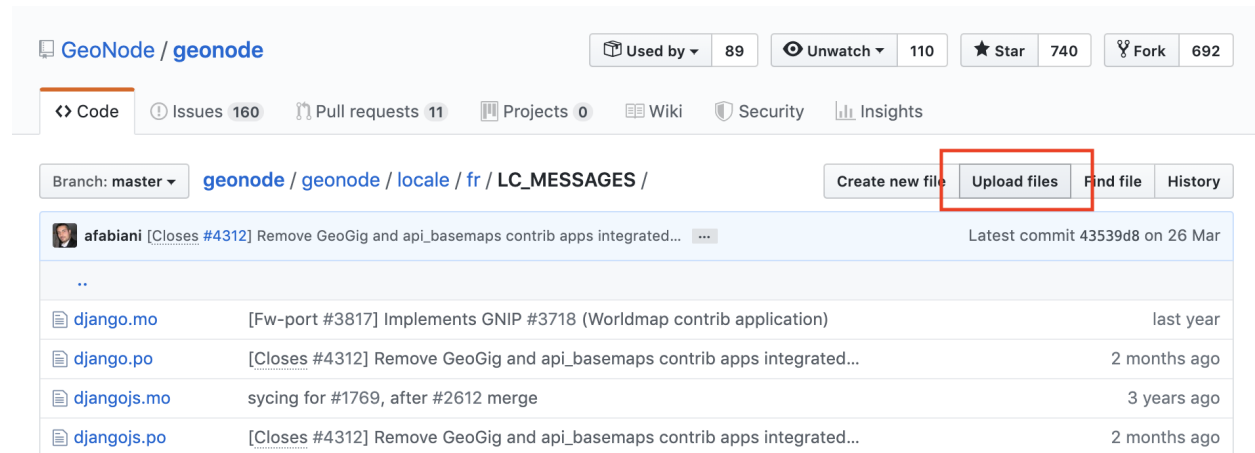


Poedit will ask where to write the “.mo” file to, by default, this is the same folder as the edited ‘.po’ resides in. The ‘.mo’ file can be overwritten if necessary.

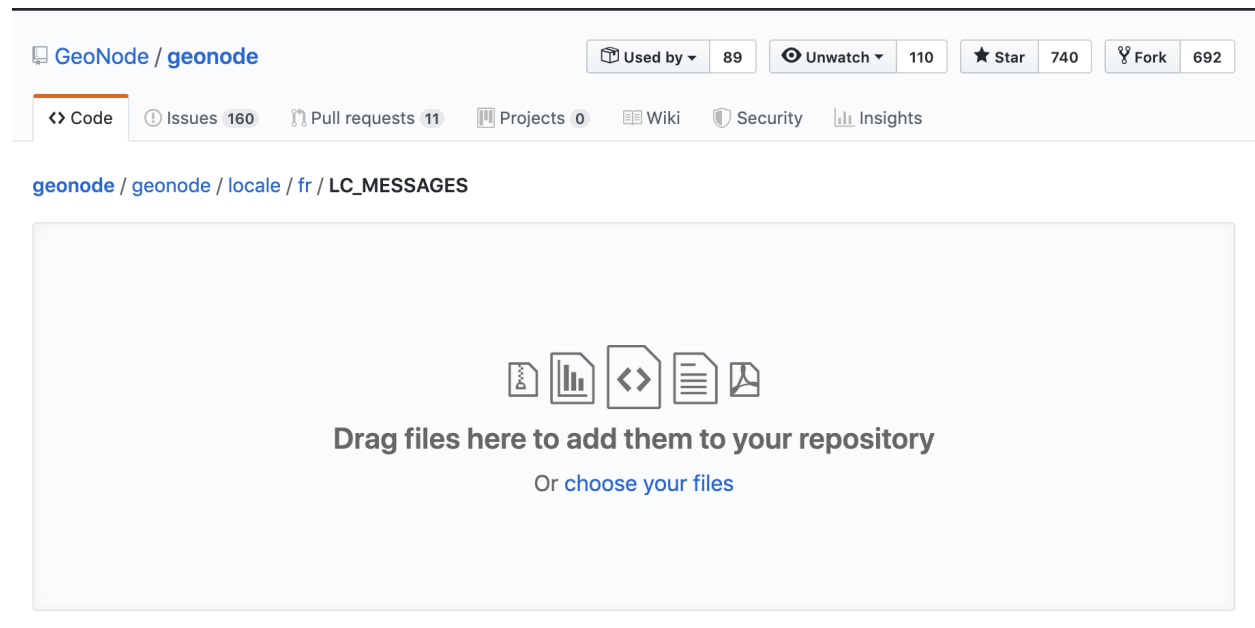
## Push translations to the repository

For sharing our updates, we must upload the files to GeoNode’s GitHub repository. Go to the correct file position which, in case for French is: [https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode/tree/master/geonode/locale/fr/LC\\_MESSAGES](https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode/tree/master/geonode/locale/fr/LC_MESSAGES)

Click on “Upload Files”



Drag the updated files into the Upload form, and write a title/description of the changes



Click on “Create a new branch for this commit...” and then click on the green button.

The last step will create a *PULL REQUEST* which can be reviewed and then approved by a developer.

### Commit changes

Add files via upload

Add an optional extended description...

☐ You can't commit to `master` because it is a [protected branch](#).
 ☒ Create a new branch for this commit and start a pull request. [Learn more about pull requests](#).

Commit changes

Cancel

## Activate updated translation at your server

Once the files have been pushed to GitHub, it will be necessary to update your server to respect changed files.

At this time, this can be done only by an administrator. From the server 'shell' following commands need to be executed:

```
workon geonode
cd /opt/geonode
DJANGO_SETTINGS_MODULE=geonode.settings python -W ignore manage.py collectstatic --
noinput
sudo service uwsgi restart
```

## Texts not listed in .po files

In case you find a template output without corresponding translation you can add it as follows:

Identify the corresponding template file which is responsible for outputting the text. Add a `{% trans "TEXT" %}` tag. Save the template file and run the following:

```
django-admin makemessages --no-location -l en -d django -e "html,txt,py" -i docs
django-admin makemessages --no-location -l en -d djangojs -e "js" -i docs -i node_
modules -i lib
```

This will update the english .po file. also to update the language which should be edited by settings the `-l fr` parameter. Continue with updating the .po file as described above.

## 1.32 Write Code

## 1.33 Frontend Development

### 1.33.1 Frontend development

Knowledge of handling node/npm is required.

The GeoNode frontend dependencies can be found in `./geonode/static`. To manage dependencies, we recommend the use of yarn package manager (<https://yarnpkg.com/lang/en>).

#### First steps:

```
yarn install
```

Installs the required libraries to `./node_modules`

```
yarn install <package>@version [--dev]
```

Installs a package with a defined version. Using `-dev` installs a dependency that is only available for the build process (see: `package.json devDependencies`).

```
yarn remove <package>
```

Removes a package.

```
yarn outdated
```

Shows version information.

```
yarn why <package>
```

Get information on why this package was installed.

**For further information on how to install or use please visit the official yarn documentation.**

#### File/Folder overview:

```
./static_dependencies.json
```

includes all dependencies associated with each file. For example all files which should be minified to `assets.min.js` are named as values. All files that should be copied to `lib` folder (for `DEBUG_STATIC`) are values of key *other\_dependencies* and so on. Before you can use a dependency it has to be added to `package.json` by use of yarn.

```
./Gruntfile.js
```

reads the dependencies from `static_dependencies.json` and contains all workflows.

### geonode/static/geonode

The `./geonode` folder contains GeoNode's stylesheets and javascript files. The CSS files are generated via less. CSS files should therefore never be changed directly but it's corresponding less file. Further this folder should never be deleted!

### geonode/static/lib

The `./lib` folder contains all the third-party files. This folder can be deleted as it will be fully generated by use of `grunt development|production`

#### Example 1 – Change styling:

1. In your settings set `DEBU_STATIC=True`. This will load unminified assets in your template.
2. Start the development server with `paver start`.
3. Use `grunt watch` to watch all less files for change.
4. Change styling in `./geonode/static/geonode/less`
5. If our changes are as expected create a new build with `grunt development` (files are not minimized) or `grunt production` (files are minimized)

#### Example 2 – add/update a new library:

1. In your settings set `DEBU_STATIC=True`. This will load unminified assets in your template.
2. `yarn add angular@1.7`
3. `vim static_dependencies.json` Edit the file and add your dependency to its fitting destination. For example, `assets.min.js`
4. Check if some Django template (for example, `base.html`) includes the file and add it or adjust the version
5. use `grunt production` to build the package

**For further tasks have a look at `gruntfile.js` or ask for help in the development mailing list**

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**Note:** Please make maintainers work easier and add a message to your commit why a library has been added. (For example, `commit -m 'select2 added for permissions form on layer detail page'`)

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## 1.34 GeoNode API

### 1.34.1 API v2 - Schema

OpenAPI 3.0 Schema

**GET** `/api/v2/`

#### Status Codes

- **200 OK** – No response body

**GET** `/api/v2/categories/`

API endpoint that lists categories.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** `/api/v2/categories/{id}/`

API endpoint that lists categories.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this topic category.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** `/api/v2/datasets/`

API endpoint that allows layers to be viewed or edited.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH** `/api/v2/datasets/`

API endpoint that allows layers to be viewed or edited.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** `/api/v2/datasets/{id}/`

API endpoint that allows layers to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT** `/api/v2/datasets/{id}/`

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single `PATCH` call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

**true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

**query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

### Status Codes

- **200 OK** –

### **PATCH /api/v2/datasets/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows layers to be viewed or edited.

Example:

Update the metadata (e.g. ‘title’, ‘abstract’,...) of a dataset:

```
PATCH /dataset/{id}/ {
 '{metadata_1_name}': '{metadata_1_value}', '{metadata_n_name}': '{meta-
data_n_value}'
}
```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/datasets/{id}/{field\_name}/

Fetch related object(s), as if sideloaded (used to support link objects).

This method gets mapped to /<resource>/<pk>/<field\_name>/ by DynamicRouter for all DynamicRelation-Field fields. Generally, this method probably shouldn't be overridden.

An alternative implementation would be to generate reverse queries. For an exploration of that approach, see:

<https://gist.github.com/ryochiji/54687d675978c7d96503>

**Parameters**

- **field\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/datasets/{id}/maplayers/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the MapLayers list.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/datasets/{id}/maps/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve maps using the dataset.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/datasets/{id}/metadata/**

API endpoint allowing to upload ISO-19115 compliant XML metadata for the dataset.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this dataset.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/documents/**

API endpoint that allows documents to be viewed or edited.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/documents/**

API endpoint that allows documents to be viewed or edited.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/documents/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows documents to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this document.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/documents/{id}/**

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

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This parameter can have one of the following values:

#### **true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

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The server's successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a "meta" object with an "updated" count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this document.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/documents/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows documents to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this document.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/documents/{id}/linked\_resources/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the DocumentResourceLink(s).

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this document.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.

- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/geoapps/

API endpoint that allows geoapps to be viewed or edited.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/geoapps/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

    }

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dogs": [ { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

    ]

}

POST /dogs/ [

    { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

]

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

#### PATCH /api/v2/geoapps/

API endpoint that allows geoapps to be viewed or edited.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** `/api/v2/geoapps/{id}/`

API endpoint that allows geoapps to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this geo app.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT** `/api/v2/geoapps/{id}/`

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

**true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

**query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this geo app.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### PATCH /api/v2/geoapps/{id}/

API endpoint that allows geoapps to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this geo app.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/geoapps/{id}/{field\_name}/

Fetch related object(s), as if sideloaded (used to support link objects).

This method gets mapped to `/<resource>/<pk>/<field_name>/` by `DynamicRouter` for all `DynamicRelationField` fields. Generally, this method probably shouldn't be overridden.

An alternative implementation would be to generate reverse queries. For an exploration of that approach, see:

<https://gist.github.com/ryochiji/54687d675978c7d96503>

#### Parameters

- **field\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this geo app.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/groups/

API endpoint that allows groups to be viewed or edited.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/groups/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's `many=True` ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

```
POST /dogs/ {
 "name": "Fido", "age": 2
}
POST /dogs/ {
 "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3
}
}
POST /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }
]
}
POST /dogs/ [
 { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }
]
```

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

#### PATCH /api/v2/groups/

API endpoint that allows groups to be viewed or edited.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### DELETE /api/v2/groups/

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
}
DELETE /dogs/ [
 { "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
```

#### Status Codes

- 204 No Content – No response body

#### GET /api/v2/groups/{id}/

API endpoint that allows groups to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### PUT /api/v2/groups/{id}/

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

##### **true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

##### **query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 {'id': 1, 'fur': 'white'}, {'id': 2, 'fur': 'black'}, {'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow'}
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

#### **Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

#### **Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/groups/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows groups to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

**Status Codes**

- **200 OK** –

**DELETE /api/v2/groups/{id}/**

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
}
DELETE /dogs/ [
 { "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

**Status Codes**

- **204 No Content** – No response body

**GET /api/v2/groups/{id}/managers/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the Group managers.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- **200 OK** –

**GET /api/v2/groups/{id}/members/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the Group members.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.

- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/groups/{id}/resources/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the Group specific resources.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this group profile.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/harvesters/

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/harvesters/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

}

```

}
POST /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }
]
}
POST /dogs/ [
 { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }
]

```

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

**GET /api/v2/harvesters/{harvester\_id}/harvestable-resources/**

Adds the *update\_list* method to a viewset

*update\_list* is used by *api.routers.ListPatchRouter* in order to allow performing PATCH requests against a viewset's *list* endpoint

#### Parameters

- **harvester\_id** (*integer*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK – No response body

**PATCH /api/v2/harvesters/{harvester\_id}/harvestable-resources/**

Adds the *update\_list* method to a viewset

*update\_list* is used by *api.routers.ListPatchRouter* in order to allow performing PATCH requests against a viewset's *list* endpoint

#### Parameters

- **harvester\_id** (*integer*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK – No response body

**GET /api/v2/harvesters/{id}/**

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** *features*: A list of features supported by the viewset. *meta*: Extra data that is added to the response by the *DynamicRenderer*.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this harvester.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/harvesters/{id}/**

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

**true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

**query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this harvester.

#### Status Codes

- **200 OK** –

#### PATCH /api/v2/harvesters/{id}/

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this harvester.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/harvesters/{id}/**

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{"id": 1}, {"id": 2}
]
}
DELETE /dogs/ [
 {"id": 1}, {"id": 2}
]
```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this harvester.

**Status Codes**

- 204 No Content – No response body

**GET /api/v2/harvesting-sessions/**

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/harvesting-sessions/{id}/**

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this asynchronous harvesting session.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/keywords/**

API endpoint that lists hierarchical keywords.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/keywords/{id}/**

API endpoint that lists hierarchical keywords.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this hierarchical keyword.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/management/commands/**

Handle the exposed management commands usage:

- GET: List of exposed commands
- GET detail: Help for a specific command
- POST: Create a job (and automatic runs) for a specific command.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/management/commands/**

Creates and runs a management command job. Expects application/json content type in a following shape: {

“args”: [<arg1>, <arg2>], “kwargs”: {<key1>: <val1>, <key2>: <val2>}, “autostart”: bool

} By default, autostart is set to true.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/**

Handle the exposed management commands usage:

- GET: List of exposed commands
- GET detail: Help for a specific command
- POST: Create a job (and automatic runs) for a specific command.

**Parameters**

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST** /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/

Creates and runs a management command job. Expects application/json content type in a following shape: {

“args”: [<arg1>, <arg2>], “kwargs”: {<key1>: <val1>, <key2>: <val2>}, “autostart”: bool

} By default, autostart is set to true.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –

#### Query Parameters

- **app\_name** (*string*) –
- **celery\_result\_id** (*string*) –
- **command** (*string*) –
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **status** (*string*) –
- **user** (*integer*) –
- **user\_\_username** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**POST** /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

**GET** /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/{id}/

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/{id}/start/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/{id}/status/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/management/commands/{cmd\_name}/jobs/{id}/stop/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Parameters

- **cmd\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/management/jobs/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Query Parameters

- **app\_name** (*string*) –
- **celery\_result\_id** (*string*) –
- **command** (*string*) –
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **status** (*string*) –
- **user** (*integer*) –
- **user\_\_username** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/management/jobs/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

**GET /api/v2/management/jobs/{id}/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/management/jobs/{id}/start/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/management/jobs/{id}/status/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/management/jobs/{id}/stop/**

Create, List, Retrieve, Start, Stop and Get Status of a Management Command Job.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this management command job.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/maps/**

API endpoint that allows maps to be viewed or edited.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/maps/**

Changes in the m2m *maplayers* are committed before object changes. To protect the db, this action is done within an atomic transaction.

**Status Codes**

- 201 Created –

**PATCH /api/v2/maps/**

API endpoint that allows maps to be viewed or edited.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/maps/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows maps to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/maps/{id}/**

Changes in the m2m *maplayers* are committed before object changes. To protect the db, this action is done within an atomic transaction.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PATCH /api/v2/maps/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows maps to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/maps/{id}/{field\_name}/**

Fetch related object(s), as if sideloaded (used to support link objects).

This method gets mapped to `/<resource>/<pk>/<field_name>/` by `DynamicRouter` for all `DynamicRelationField` fields. Generally, this method probably shouldn't be overridden.

An alternative implementation would be to generate reverse queries. For an exploration of that approach, see:

<https://gist.github.com/ryochiji/54687d675978c7d96503>

**Parameters**

- **field\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/maps/{id}/datasets/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the local MapLayers.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/maps/{id}/maplayers/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the MapLayers list.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this map.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/owners/

API endpoint that lists all possible owners.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/owners/{id}/

API endpoint that lists all possible owners.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/regions/

API endpoint that lists regions.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.

- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/regions/{id}/

API endpoint that lists regions.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this region.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**GET** /api/v2/resource-service/execution-status/{execution\_id}

Main dispatcher endpoint to follow an API request status progress

- GET input: <str: execution id>
- output: <ExecutionRequest>

#### Parameters

- **execution\_id** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK – No response body

**GET** /api/v2/resources/

API endpoint that allows base resources to be viewed or edited.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**POST** /api/v2/resources/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

```

 "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3
 }
}
POST /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "name": "Fido", "age": 2}, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3}
]
}
POST /dogs/ [
 { "name": "Fido", "age": 2}, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3}
]

```

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

#### PATCH /api/v2/resources/

API endpoint that allows base resources to be viewed or edited.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### DELETE /api/v2/resources/

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```

DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "id": 1}, { "id": 2}
]
}
DELETE /dogs/ [
 { "id": 1}, { "id": 2}
]

```

#### Status Codes

- 204 No Content – No response body

#### GET /api/v2/resources/{id}/

API endpoint that allows base resources to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

**true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

**query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### PATCH /api/v2/resources/{id}/

API endpoint that allows base resources to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/resources/{id}/**

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{"id": 1}, {"id": 2}
]
}

DELETE /dogs/ [
 {"id": 1}, {"id": 2}
]
```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 204 No Content – No response body

**GET /api/v2/resources/{id}/{field\_name}/**

Fetch related object(s), as if sideloaded (used to support link objects).

This method gets mapped to `/<resource>/<pk>/<field_name>/` by `DynamicRouter` for all `DynamicRelationField` fields. Generally, this method probably shouldn't be overridden.

An alternative implementation would be to generate reverse queries. For an exploration of that approach, see:

<https://gist.github.com/ryochiji/54687d675978c7d96503>

**Parameters**

- **field\_name** (*string*) –
- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/copy/**

Instructs the Async dispatcher to execute a 'COPY' operation over a valid 'uuid'.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/resources/{id}/delete/**

Instructs the Async dispatcher to execute a 'DELETE' operation over a valid 'uuid'.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/resources/{id}/extra\_metadata/**  
Get/Update/Delete/Add extra metadata for resource

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/resources/{id}/extra\_metadata/**  
Get/Update/Delete/Add extra metadata for resource

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/extra\_metadata/**  
Get/Update/Delete/Add extra metadata for resource

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/resources/{id}/extra\_metadata/**  
Get/Update/Delete/Add extra metadata for resource

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 204 No Content – No response body

**POST /api/v2/resources/{id}/favorite/**  
API endpoint allowing to retrieve the favorite Resources.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/resources/{id}/favorite/**  
API endpoint allowing to retrieve the favorite Resources.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/resources/{id}/permissions/**

Sets an object's the permission levels based on the perm\_spec JSON.

the mapping looks like: `{`

```

 'users': { 'AnonymousUser': ['view'], <username>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'],
 <username2>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'] ...
 }, 'groups': {
 <groupname>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], <groupname2>:
 ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], ...
 }

```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK – No response body

**PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/permissions/**

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the mapping looks like: `{`

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 'users': { 'AnonymousUser': ['view'], <username>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'],
 <username2>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'] ...
 }, 'groups': {
 <groupname>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], <groupname2>:
 ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], ...
 }

```

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK – No response body

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 <username2>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'] ...
 }, 'groups': {
 <groupname>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], <groupname2>:
 ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], ...
 }

```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK – No response body

### DELETE /api/v2/resources/{id}/permissions/

Sets an object's the permission levels based on the perm\_spec JSON.

the mapping looks like: ```` {`

```

 'users': { 'AnonymousUser': ['view'], <username>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'],
 <username2>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'] ...
 }, 'groups': {
 <groupname>: ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], <groupname2>:
 ['perm1','perm2','perm3'], ...
 }

```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK – No response body

### GET /api/v2/resources/{id}/ratings/

API endpoint allowing to rate and get overall rating of the Resource.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

### POST /api/v2/resources/{id}/ratings/

API endpoint allowing to rate and get overall rating of the Resource.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/set\_thumbnail/**

API endpoint allowing to set thumbnail of the Resource.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/resources/{id}/update/**

Instructs the Async dispatcher to execute a 'UPDATE' operation over a valid 'uuid'.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this resource base.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/resources/{resource\_id}/set\_thumbnail\_from\_bbox/**

API endpoint allowing to set the thumbnail url for an existing dataset.

**Parameters**

- **resource\_id** (*string*) –

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/resources/approved/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the approved Resources.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/resources/create/{resource\_type}/**

Instructs the Async dispatcher to execute a 'CREATE' operation.

**Parameters**

- **resource\_type** (*string*) –

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/resources/favorites/**

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the favorite Resources.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.

- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/resources/featured/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the featured Resources.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/resources/ingest/{resource\_type}/

Instructs the Async dispatcher to execute a ‘INGEST’ operation.

#### Parameters

- **resource\_type** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/resources/published/

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the published Resources.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/resources/resource\_types/

Returns the list of available ResourceBase polymorphic\_ctypes.

the mapping looks like: `{`

```

“resource_types”:[
 { “name”: “layer”, “count”: <number of layers>
 }, {
 “name”: “map”, “count”: <number of maps>
 }, {
 “name”: “document”, “count”: <number of documents>
 }
]

```

```

 }, {
 "name": "geostory", "count": <number of geostories>
 }
]

```

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/schema/

OpenApi3 schema for this API. Format can be selected via content negotiation.

- YAML: application/vnd.oai.openapi
- JSON: application/vnd.oai.openapi+json

#### Query Parameters

- **format** (*string*) –
- **lang** (*string*) –

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/tkeywords/

API endpoint that lists Thesaurus keywords.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/tkeywords/{id}/

API endpoint that lists Thesaurus keywords.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this thesaurus keyword.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/upload-parallelism-limits/

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

#### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.

- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/upload-parallelism-limits/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

    }

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dogs": [ { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

    ]

}

POST /dogs/ [

    { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

]

#### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

#### GET /api/v2/upload-parallelism-limits/{slug}/

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

#### Parameters

- **slug** (*string*) – A unique value identifying this upload parallelism limit.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### GET /api/v2/upload-size-limits/

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**POST /api/v2/upload-size-limits/**

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

    }

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dogs": [ { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

    ]

}

POST /dogs/ [

    { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

]

**Status Codes**

- 201 Created –

**GET /api/v2/upload-size-limits/{slug}/**

A viewset that can support dynamic API features.

**Attributes:** features: A list of features supported by the viewset. meta: Extra data that is added to the response by the DynamicRenderer.

**Parameters**

- **slug** (*string*) – A unique value identifying this upload size limit.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**GET /api/v2/uploads/**

API endpoint that allows uploads to be viewed or edited.

### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/uploads/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

    }

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dogs": [ { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

    ]

}

POST /dogs/ [

    { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

]

### Status Codes

- 201 Created –

#### GET /api/v2/uploads/{id}/

API endpoint that allows uploads to be viewed or edited.

### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this upload.

### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

#### POST /api/v2/uploads/upload/

Starts an upload session based on the Dataset Upload Form.

the form params look like: `***`

```

'csrfmiddlewaretoken': self.csrf_token, 'permissions': '{ "users": {"AnonymousUser":
[["view_resourcebase"]]} , "groups":{}}', 'time': 'false', 'charset': 'UTF-8', 'base_file':
base_file, 'dbf_file': dbf_file, 'shx_file': shx_file, 'prj_file': prj_file, 'tif_file': tif_file

```

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### Status Codes

- **201 Created** – No response body

### GET /api/v2/users/

API endpoint that allows users to be viewed or edited.

### Query Parameters

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

### Status Codes

- **200 OK** –

### POST /api/v2/users/

Either create a single or many model instances in bulk using the Serializer's many=True ability from Django REST >= 2.2.5.

The data can be represented by the serializer name (single or plural forms), dict or list.

Examples:

POST /dogs/ {

    "name": "Fido", "age": 2

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dog": { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3

    }

}

POST /dogs/ {

    "dogs": [ { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

    ]

}

POST /dogs/ [

    { "name": "Fido", "age": 2 }, { "name": "Lucky", "age": 3 }

]

### Status Codes

- **201 Created** –

**PATCH /api/v2/users/**

API endpoint that allows users to be viewed or edited.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**DELETE /api/v2/users/**

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
}

DELETE /dogs/ [
 { "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
```

**Status Codes**

- 204 No Content – No response body

**GET /api/v2/users/{id}/**

API endpoint that allows users to be viewed or edited.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

**Status Codes**

- 200 OK –

**PUT /api/v2/users/{id}/**

Update one or more model instances.

If `ENABLE_BULK_UPDATE` is set, multiple previously-fetched records may be updated in a single call, provided their IDs.

If `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` is set, multiple records may be updated in a single PATCH call, even without knowing their IDs.

**WARNING:** `ENABLE_PATCH_ALL` should be considered an advanced feature and used with caution. This feature must be enabled at the viewset level and must also be requested explicitly by the client via the “patch-all” query parameter.

This parameter can have one of the following values:

**true (or 1): records will be fetched and then updated in a transaction loop**

- The *Model.save* method will be called and model signals will run
- This can be slow if there are too many signals or many records in the query
- This is considered the more safe and default behavior

**query: records will be updated in a single query**

- The *QuerySet.update* method will be called and model signals will not run
- This will be fast, but may break data constraints that are controlled by signals
- This is considered unsafe but useful in certain situations

The server’s successful response to a patch-all request will NOT include any individual records. Instead, the response content will contain a “meta” object with an “updated” count of updated records.

Examples:

Update one dog:

```
PATCH /dogs/1/ {
 'fur': 'white'
}
```

Update many dogs by ID:

```
PATCH /dogs/ [
 { 'id': 1, 'fur': 'white' }, { 'id': 2, 'fur': 'black' }, { 'id': 3, 'fur': 'yellow' }
]
```

Update all dogs in a query:

```
PATCH /dogs/?filter{fur.contains}=brown&patch-all=true {
 'fur': 'gold'
}
```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

### PATCH /api/v2/users/{id}/

API endpoint that allows users to be viewed or edited.

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

#### Status Codes

- 200 OK –

### DELETE /api/v2/users/{id}/

Either delete a single or many model instances in bulk

```
DELETE /dogs/ {
 "dogs": [{ "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
}

DELETE /dogs/ [
 { "id": 1 }, { "id": 2 }
]
```

#### Parameters

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

**Status Codes**

- **204 No Content** – No response body

**GET** `/api/v2/users/{id}/groups/`

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the Groups the user is member of.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- **200 OK** –

**GET** `/api/v2/users/{id}/resources/`

API endpoint allowing to retrieve the Resources visible to the user.

**Parameters**

- **id** (*integer*) – A unique integer value identifying this user.

**Query Parameters**

- **ordering** (*string*) – Which field to use when ordering the results.
- **page** (*integer*) – A page number within the paginated result set.
- **page\_size** (*integer*) – Number of results to return per page.
- **search** (*string*) – A search term.

**Status Codes**

- **200 OK** –

## 1.34.2 API usage examples

In this section, we are going to demonstrate how GeoNode API can be utilized/integrated with other applications using Python.

### Resource Listing and Details

As mentioned in previous chapters, GeoNode resources are categorized in different types e.g. datasets, maps, documents. Etc. All available resources can be listed with API `GET /api/v2/resources`.

To obtain a single resource, a primary key is provided in the url. Eg `GET /api/v2/resources/{resource.pk}`.

## Example Requests:

### 1. Listing

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources"
response = requests.request("GET", url)
```

### 2. Detail

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/1797"
response = requests.request("GET", url)
```

---

**Note:** The above requests work for publicly visible resources. If a resource is private either the Basic Auth or the Bearer token must be included inside the headers.

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### 3. Listing with basic auth:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

A token can be used in place of Basic Auth by setting 'Authorization': 'Bearer <token>'.

## Resource Download

The download URL for a resource can be obtained from `resource.download_url`. This URL executes the synchronous download of a resource in its default download format (ESRI Shapefile for vector, Geotiff for rasters and the original format for documents). Additional export formats for datasets are available through the UI. At the moment the API doesn't expose them.

## Resource Links

From the resource detail response, URLs and links to services can be obtained from the `resource.links[]` array value. The purpose of each link is defined by its `link_type`. The "name" also can specify additional information about the linked resource.

## 1. Metadata

Links to each metadata format can be obtained from links with `link_type = "metadata"`

## 2. OGC services

OGC requests can be built by taking: the OGC base url from links from `resource.links[]` with `"link_type"= ("OGC:WMS | OGC:WFS | OGC:WCS)` the OGC service layername obtained from the `resource.alternate` property

## 1. Embedding

A resource can be embedded inside a third party website. The “embed view” of a resource is suitable to be placed inside an iframe. The URL for the embedded view can be obtained from the `resource.embed_url` property.

## Resource Searching and Filtering

GeoNode resources can be filtered with the following query parameters:

Parameters	URL
title and abstract (paginated free text search)	/api/v2/resources?page=1&search=text-to-search&search_fields=title&search_fields=abstract
resource_type (dataset, map, document, service, geostory, dashboard)	/api/v2/resources?filter{resource_type}=map
subtype (raster, vector, vector_time, remote)	/api/v2/resources?filter{resource_type}=vector
favorite (Boolean True)	/api/v2/resources?favorite=true
featured (Boolean True or False)	/api/v2/resources?filter{featured}=true
published (Boolean True or False)	/api/v2/resources?filter{is_published}=true
approved (Boolean True or False)	/api/v2/resources?filter{is_approved}=true
category	api/v2/resources?filter{category.identifier}=example
keywords	/api/v2/resources?filter{keywords.name}=example
regions	/api/v2/resources?filter{regions.name}=global
owner	/api/v2/resources?filter{owner.username}=test_user
extent (Four comer separated coordinates)	/api/v2/resources?extent=-180,-90,180,90

**Examples:**

1. Filter with a single value

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/?filter{resource_type}=map"
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers, data=payload)
```

2. Filter with multiple values

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/?filter{resource_type.in}=map&
↪filter{resource_type.in}=dataset"
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers, data=payload)
```

**Note:** With filter APIs of format `/api/v2/resources?filter{filter_key}=value`, additional methods (in and icontains) can be used on them to provide extensively filtered results. Eg `/api/v2/resources?filter{regions.name.icontains}=global` `/api/v2/resources?filter{regions.name.in}=global`.

It's important to note that other methods are case sensitive except the icontains.

**Obtaining Available Resource Types**

The list of available resource types can be obtained from API GET `/api/v2/resources/resource_types`

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/resource_types"
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers, data=payload)
```

**Dataset Get standardized Metadata**

Get the metadata of uploaded datasets with:

- API: GET `/api/v2/datasets/{id}`
- Status Code: 200

**Note:** This is very similar to `GET /api/v2/resources` but provides additional metadata specifically for datasets like `featureinfo_custom_template` or `attribute_set`

Example:

```
import requests

DATASET_ID = "the dataset id"
```

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```
url = f"https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/datasets/{DATASET_ID}"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

## Resource Upload

GeoNode allows upload of datasets and documents.

### 1. Datasets

The dataset upload form accepts file formats of ESRI Shapefile, GeoTIFF, Comma Separated Value (CSV), Zip Archive, XML Metadata File, and Styled Layer Descriptor (SLD). For a successful upload, the form requires base\_file, dbf\_file, shx\_file, and prj\_file. The xml\_file, and Sld\_file are optional.

- API: POST /api/v2/uploads/upload
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/uploads/upload"
files= [
 ('sld_file', ('BoulderCityLimits.sld', open('/home/myuser/BoulderCityLimits.sld', 'rb'),
 ↪ 'application/octet-stream')), ('base_file', ('BoulderCityLimits.shp', open('/home/
 ↪ BoulderCityLimits.shp', 'rb'), 'application/octet-stream')), ('dbf_file', (
 ↪ 'BoulderCityLimits.dbf', open('/home/BoulderCityLimits.dbf', 'rb'), 'application/octet-
 ↪ stream')), ('shx_file', ('BoulderCityLimits.shx', open('/home/BoulderCityLimits.shx', 'rb
 ↪ '), 'application/octet-stream')),
 ('prj_file', ('BoulderCityLimits.prj', open('/home/myuser/BoulderCityLimits.prj', 'rb'),
 ↪ 'application/octet-stream'))
]
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("POST", url, headers=headers, files=files)
```

### 2. Documents

Documents can be uploaded as form data.

- API: POST /api/v2/documents
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "http://localhost:8000/api/v2/documents"
payload={
 'title': 'An example image'
}
```

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```

files=[
 ('doc_file',('image.jpg',open('/home/myuser/image.jpg','rb'),'image/jpeg'))
]
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("POST", url, headers=headers, data=payload, files=files)

```

Documents can also be created to reference remote resources. In this case the `doc_url` parameter must be used to set the URL of the remote document.

- API: POST `/api/v2/documents`
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```

import requests

url = "http://localhost:8000/api/v2/documents"
payload={
 'title': 'An example image',
 'doc_url',('http://examples.com/image.jpg'
}
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("POST", url, headers=headers, data=payload, files=files)

```

Notice that if the URL doesn't end with a valid doc extension, the `extension` parameter must be used (e.g. `extension: 'jpeg'`).

### 3. Metadata

A complete metadata file conforming to ISO-19115 can be uploaded for a dataset.

- API: PUT `/api/v2/datasets/{dataset_id}/metadata`
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```

import requests

url = "http://localhost:8000/api/v2/datasets/1/metadata"
files=[
 ('metadata_file',('metadata.xml',open('/home/user/metadata.xml','rb'),'text/xml
 ↪'))
]
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("PUT", url, headers=headers, data={}, files=files)

```

## Tracking dataset upload progress

When an upload request is executed, GeoNode creates an “upload object” and keeps updating its state and progress (it’s a property attribute, calculated on getting the response) attributes as the resource is being created and configured in Geoserver. The states used include:

- READY
- RUNNING
- PENDING
- WAITING
- INCOMPLETE
- COMPLETE
- INVALID
- PROCESSED

When the dataset is successfully uploaded, the final state of the upload is set to PROCESSED and progress is calculated as 100.0.

In order to view ongoing uploads, and their states, you can use the API GET /api/v2/uploads or GET /api/v2/uploads/{id} if the upload id is known. You can also filter uploads with state. Eg GET /api/v2/uploads?filter{state}=PROCESSED

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/uploads"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

## Overwrite dataset

Uploading a resource will create by default a new dataset. This behaviour can be changed by setting the `overwrite_existing_layer` parameter to True. In this case the upload procedure will overwrite a resource whose name matches with the new one.

## Skip dataset

If the parameter `skip_existing_layers` is set to true True the uplad procedure will ignore files whose name matched with already existing resources.

## Dataset Update Metadata

### Update individual metadata:

- API: PATCH /api/v2/datasets/{id}
- Status Code: 200

Example:

This example changes the title and the license of a dataset.

```
import requests

url = ROOT + "api/v2/datasets/" + DATASET_ID
auth = (LOGIN_NAME, LOGIN_PASSWORD)

data = {
 "title": "a new title",
 "license": 4,
}

response = requests.patch(url, auth=auth, json=data)
```

---

**Note:** *bbox\_polygon* and *ll\_bbox\_polygon* are derived values which cannot be changed.

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## Resource Delete

- API: DELETE /api/v2/resources/{pk}/delete
- Status Code: 204

Example:

## Resource Download

GeoNode offers a download option to resources of resource\_type dataset and document. For datasets, the download option is available for only datasets with uploaded files.

### 1. Datasets

- API: GET /datasets/{resource.alternate}/dataset\_download
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/datasets/geonode:BoulderCityLimits3/dataset_
↪download"
response = requests.request("GET", url)
```

### 2. Documents

- API: GET /documents/{resource.pk}/download
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/documents/1781/download"
response = requests.request("GET", url)
```

## Users, Groups and Permissions

### Users

#### 1. Listing

- API: POST /api/v2/users
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/users"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

#### 1. Detail

- API: POST /api/v2/users/{pk}
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/users/1000"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

#### 3. List user groups

- API: POST /api/v2/users/{pk}/groups
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/users/1000/groups"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
```

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```
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

## Groups

In GeoNode, On listing groups, the api returns groups which have group profiles. Therefore for django groups which are not related to a group profile are not included in the response. However these can be accessed in the Django Administration panel.

- API: POST /api/v2/groups
- Status Code: 200

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/groups"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

## Permissions

Permissions in GeoNode are set per resource and per user or group. The following are general permissions that can be assigned:

- *View*: allows to view the resource. [view\_resourcebase]
- *Download*: allows to download the resource specifically datasets and documents. [ view\_resourcebase, download\_resourcebase]
- *Edit*: allows to change attributes, properties of the datasets features, styles and metadata for the specified resource. [view\_resourcebase, download\_resourcebase, change\_resourcebase, change\_dataset\_style, change\_dataset\_data, change\_resourcebase\_metadata]
- *Manage*: allows to update, delete, change permissions, publish and unpublish the resource. [view\_resourcebase, download\_resourcebase, change\_resourcebase, change\_dataset\_style, change\_dataset\_data, publish\_resourcebase, delete\_resourcebase, change\_resourcebase\_metadata, change\_resourcebase\_permissions]

## Obtaining permissions on a resource

On listing the resources or on resource detail API, GeoNode includes perms attribute to each resource with a list of permissions a user making the request has on the respective resource.

GeoNode also provides an API to get an overview of permissions set on a resource. The response contains users and groups with permissions set on them. However this API returns 200 if a requesting user has manage permissions on the resource otherwise it will return 403 (Forbidden).

- API: GET /api/v2/resources/1791/permissions

Example:

```
import requests

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/1791/permissions"
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA=='
}
response = requests.request("GET", url, headers=headers)
```

## Changing permissions on a resource

Permissions are configured with a so called `perms spec`, which is a JSON structured where permissions for single users and groups can be specified.

The example below shows a perm specification for following rules:

- user1 can edit
- user2 can manage
- group1 can edit
- anonymous users (public) can view
- registered members can download

NOTE: The id of the “anonymous” and “registered members” groups can be obtained from the permissions of the resource. They are not listed inside the groups API, since these are special internal groups

```
{
 "users": [
 {
 "id": <id_of_user1>,
 "permissions": "edit"
 },
 {
 "id": <id_of_user2>,
 "permissions": "manage"
 }
],
 "organizations": [
 {
 "id": <id_of_group1>,
 "permissions": "edit"
 },
],
 "groups": [
 {
 "id": <id_of_anonymous_group>,
 "permissions": "view"
 },
 {
 "id": <id_of_registered-members_group>,
 "permissions": "download"
 }
]
}
```

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```
]
}
```

The perm spec is sent as JSON, with `application/json` Content-Type, inside a PUT request.

```
import requests
import json

url = "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resources/1791/permissions"
payload = json.dumps({
 "users": [
 {
 "id": 1001,
 "permissions": "edit"
 },
 {
 "id": 1002,
 "permissions": "manage"
 }
],
 "organizations": [
 {
 "id": 1,
 "permissions": "edit"
 }
],
 "groups": [
 {
 "id": 2,
 "permissions": "view"
 },
 {
 "id": 3,
 "permissions": "download"
 }
]
})
headers = {
 'Authorization': 'Basic dXNlcjpwYXNzd29yZA==',
 'Content-Type': 'application/json',
}

response = requests.request("PUT", url, headers=headers, data=payload)
```

This is an asynchronous operation which returns a response similar to the following:

```
{
 "status": "ready",
 "execution_id": "7ed578c2-7db8-47fe-a3f5-6ed3ca545b67",
 "status_url": "https://master.demo.geonode.org/api/v2/resource-service/execution-
↪status/7ed578c2-7db8-47fe-a3f5-6ed3ca545b67"
}
```

The `status_url` property returns the URL to track the progress of the request. Querying the URL a result similar to the following will be returned:

```
{
 "user": "admin",
 "status": "running",
 "func_name": "set_permissions",
 "created": "2022-07-08T11:16:32.240453Z",
 "finished": null,
 "last_updated": "2022-07-08T11:16:32.240485Z",
 "input_params": {
 ...
 }
}
```

The operation will be completed once the `status` property is updated with the value `finished`.

## 1.35 How to Develop

### 1.35.1 Start to develop with Docker

#### How to run the instance for development

There are two options to develop using Docker containers:

- **Alternative A:** Running by command line and editing the code using your preferred editor (usually harder).
- **Alternative B:** Using the vscode [remote containers](#) extension (easier).

#### Alternative A: Building and running Docker for development

Build (first time only):

```
docker-compose --project-name geonode -f docker-compose.yml -f .devcontainer/docker-
↪compose.yml build
```

Running:

```
docker-compose --project-name geonode -f docker-compose.yml -f .devcontainer/docker-
↪compose.yml up
```

**Note:** If you are running `postgresql` and `tomcat9` services, you need to stop them, `docker-compose` will take care of running the database and geonode service.

Otherwise, you will get the following error:

```
ERROR: for db Cannot start service db: driver failed programming external connectivity.↵
↪on endpoint db4geonode: Error starting userland proxy: listen tcp4 0.0.0.0:5432: bind:↵
↪address already in use
ERROR: Encountered errors while bringing up the project.
```

Running the geonode application in debug mode:

```
docker exec -it django4geonode bash -c "python manage.py runserver 0.0.0.0:8000"
```

When running, you can debug the application using your preferred method. For example, you can edit a file, save it and see your modifications. You can also use `ipdb` to add breakpoints and inspect your code (Writing `import ipdb; ipdb.set_trace()` in the line you want your breakpoint).

Another option is to use `debugpy` alongside with `vscode`, for this you have to enable `debugpy` inside your `django4geonode` container:

```
docker exec -it django4geonode bash -c "pip install debugpy -t /tmp && python /tmp/
↳ debugpy --wait-for-client --listen 0.0.0.0:5678 manage.py runserver 0.0.0.0:8000 --
↳ nothreading --noreload"
```

Select **“Run and Debug”** in `vscode` and use the following launch instruction in your `.vscode/launch.json` file:

### Alternative B: Using `vscode` extension

Alternatively, you can develop using the `vscode` `remote containers` extension. In this approach you need to:

- Install the extension in your `vscode`: `ms-vscode-remote.remote-containers`
- On your command pallet, select: **“Remote-Containers: Reopen in Container”**
- If it’s the first time, `vscode` will take care of building the images. This might take some time.
- Then a new `vscode` window will open, and it’ll be connected to your docker container.
- The message **“Dev Container: Debug Docker Compose”** will appear in the bottom-left corner of that window.
- In the `vscode` terminal, you’re going to see something similar to `root@77e80acc89b8:/usr/src/geonode#`.
- To run your application, you can use the integrated terminal (`./manage.py runserver 0.0.0.0:8000`) or the `vscode` **“Run and Debug”** option. For launching with **“Run and Debug”**, use the following instruction file:

`launch.json`

For more information, take a read at `vscode` remote containers [help page](#).

## 1.35.2 How to Install GeoNode-Core for development

### Summary of installation

This section demonstrates a summarization of the steps to be followed in order to install GeoNode-Core for development using Ubuntu 18.04. The following steps will be customized to fit both GeoNode-Project and GeoNode-Core for development purpose.

**The steps to be followed are:**

- 1- Install build tools and libraries
- 2- Install dependencies and supporting tools
- 3- Setup Python virtual environment
- 4- Clone and install GeoNode from Github
- 5- Install and start Geoserver
- 6- Start GeoNode

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**Note:** The following commands/steps will be executed on your terminal

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**Warning:** If you have a running GeoNode service, you will need to stop it before starting the following steps. To stop GeoNode you will need to run:

```
service apache2 stop # or your installed server
service tomcat7 stop # or your version of tomcat
```

**Install GeoNode-Core for development**

GeoNode-Core installation is considered the most basic form of GeoNode. It doesn't require any external server to be installed and it can run locally against a file-system based Spatialite database.

**Installation steps**

- 1- Install build tools and libraries

**Warning:** Those instructions might be outdated. Please refer to [1. Install the dependencies](#)

```
$ sudo apt-get install -y build-essential libxml2-dev libxslt1-dev libpq-dev zlib1g-dev
```

- 2- Install dependencies and supporting tools
  - Install python native libraries and tools

**Warning:** Those instructions might be outdated. Please refer to [1. Install the dependencies](#)

```
$ sudo apt-get install -y python3-dev python3-pil python3-lxml python3-pyproj python3-
↳ shapely python3-nose python3-httplib2 python3-pip software-properties-common
```

Install python virtual environment

**Warning:** Those instructions might be outdated. Please refer to [2. GeoNode Installation](#)

```
$ sudo pip install virtualenvwrapper
```

Install postgresql and postgis

**Warning:** Those instructions might be outdated. Please refer to [3. Postgis database Setup](#)

```
$ sudo apt-get install postgresql-10 postgresql-10-postgis-2.4
```

Change postgres password expiry and set a password

```
$ sudo passwd -u postgres # change password expiry information
$ sudo passwd postgres # change unix password for postgres
```

Create geonode role and database

```
$ su postgres
$ createdb geonode_dev
$ createdb geonode_dev-imports
$ psql
$ postgres=#
$ postgres=# CREATE USER geonode_dev WITH PASSWORD 'geonode_dev'; # should be same as
↳ password in setting.py
$ postgres=# GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON DATABASE "geonode_dev" to geonode_dev;
$ postgres=# GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON DATABASE "geonode_dev-imports" to geonode_dev;
$ postgres=# \q
$ psql -d geonode_dev-imports -c 'CREATE EXTENSION postgis;'
$ psql -d geonode_dev-imports -c 'GRANT ALL ON geometry_columns TO PUBLIC;'
$ psql -d geonode_dev-imports -c 'GRANT ALL ON spatial_ref_sys TO PUBLIC;'
$ exit
```

Edit PostgreSQL configuration file

```
sudo gedit /etc/postgresql/10/main/pg_hba.conf
```

Scroll to the bottom of the file and edit this line

```
"local" is for Unix domain socket connections only
local all all peer
```

To be as follows

```
"local" is for Unix domain socket connections only
local all all trust
```

Then restart PostgreSQL to make the changes effective

```
sudo service postgresql restart
```

Java dependencies

```
$ sudo apt-get install -y openjdk-11-jdk --no-install-recommends
```

Install supporting tools

```
$ sudo apt-get install -y ant maven git gettext
```

3- Setup Python virtual environment (Here is where Geonode will be running)

Add the virtualenvwrapper to your new environment.

Since we are using Ubuntu, you can add the following settings to your .bashrc file. Please note that the Ubuntu account here is called “geonode”. So you will need to change it according to the name you picked.

```
$ echo export VIRTUALENVWRAPPER_PYTHON=/usr/bin/python >> ~/.bashrc
$ echo export WORKON_HOME=/home/geonode/dev/.venvs >> ~/.bashrc
$ echo source /usr/local/bin/virtualenvwrapper.sh >> ~/.bashrc
$ echo export PIP_DOWNLOAD_CACHE=$HOME/.pip-downloads >> ~/.bashrc
```

And reload the settings by running

```
$ source ~/.bashrc
```

Set up the local virtual environment for Geonode

```
$ vim ~/.bashrc
add the following line to the bottom
$ source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
```

```
$ source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
$ mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3 geonode
$ workon geonode # or $ source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/geonode/bin/activate
This creates a new directory where you want your project to be and creates a new
↳ virtualenvironment
```

Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below

```
$ python3.8 -m venv /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/geonode
$ source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/geonode/bin/activate
```

4- Download/Clone GeoNode from Github

To download the latest geonode version from github, the command “git clone” is used

**Note:** If you are following the GeoNode training, skip the following command. You can find the cloned repository in /home/geonode/dev

```
$ git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode.git -b 4.1.x
```

Install Nodejs PPA and other tools required for static development

This is required for static development

**Note:** If you are following GeoNode’s training, nodejs is already installed in the Virtual Machine skip the first three command and jump to cd geonode/geonode/static

```
$ sudo apt-get install nodejs npm
$ cd geonode/geonode/static
$ npm install --save-dev
```

**Note:** Every time you want to update the static files after making changes to the sources, go to geonode/static and run ‘grunt production’.

**Warning:** Starting from the following step, you have to make sure that you installed GDAL correctly according to the documentation page “Install GDAL for Development”

Install GeoNode in the new active local virtualenv

```
$ cd /home/geonode/dev # or to the directory containing your cloned GeoNode
$ pip install -e geonode
$ cd geonode/geonode
```

Create local\_settings.py

Copy the sample file /home/geonode/dev/geonode/geonode/local\_settings.py.geoserver.sample and rename it to be local\_settings.py

```
$ cd /home/geonode/dev/geonode
$ cp geonode/local_settings.py.geoserver.sample geonode/local_settings.py
$ gedit geonode/local_settings.py
```

In the local\_settings.py file, add the following line after the import statements:

```
SITEURL = "http://localhost:8000/"
```

In the DATABASES dictionary under the ‘default’ key, change only the values for the keys NAME, USER and PASSWORD to be as follows:

```
DATABASES = {
 'default': {
 'ENGINE': 'django.db.backends.postgresql_psycopg2',
 'NAME': 'geonode_dev',
 'USER': 'geonode_dev',
 'PASSWORD': 'geonode_dev',

 ...
 }...}
```

In the DATABASES dictionary under the ‘datastore’ key, change only the values for the keys NAME, USER and PASSWORD to be as follows:

```
vector datastore for uploads
'datastore' : {
 'ENGINE': 'django.contrib.gis.db.backends.postgis',
```

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```

'ENGINE': '', # Empty ENGINE name disables
'NAME': 'geonode_dev-imports',
'USER' : 'geonode_dev',
'PASSWORD' : 'geonode_dev',
.....
.....
.....
....
...
}

```

In the CATALOGUE dictionary under the 'default' key, uncomment the USER and PASSWORD keys to activate the credentials for GeoNetwork as follows:

```

CATALOGUE = {
'default': {
 # The underlying CSW implementation
 # default is pycsw in local mode (tied directly to GeoNode Django DB)
 'ENGINE': 'geonode.catalogue.backends.pycsw_local',
 # pycsw in non-local mode
 # 'ENGINE': 'geonode.catalogue.backends.pycsw_http',
 # GeoNetwork opensource
 # 'ENGINE': 'geonode.catalogue.backends.geonetwork',
 # deegree and others
 # 'ENGINE': 'geonode.catalogue.backends.generic',
 # The FULLY QUALIFIED base url to the CSW instance for this GeoNode
 'URL': urljoin(SITEURL, '/catalogue/csw'),
 # 'URL': 'http://localhost:8080/geonetwork/srv/en/csw',
 # 'URL': 'http://localhost:8080/deegree-csw-demo-3.0.4/services',
 # login credentials (for GeoNetwork)
 'USER': 'admin',
 'PASSWORD': 'admin',
 # 'ALTERNATES_ONLY': True,
}}

```

## 5- Install and Start Geoserver

From the virtual environment, first you need to align the database structure using the following command :

```

$ cd /home/geonode/dev/geonode
$ python manage.py migrate

```

**Warning:** If the start fails because of an import error related to osgeo or libgeos, then please consult the [Install GDAL for Development](#)

then setup GeoServer using the following command:

```

$ paver setup
$ paver sync

```

## 6- Now we can start our geonode instance

**Warning:** Don't forget to stop the GeoNode Production services if enabled

```
service apache2 stop
service tomcat7 stop
```

```
$ paver start
```

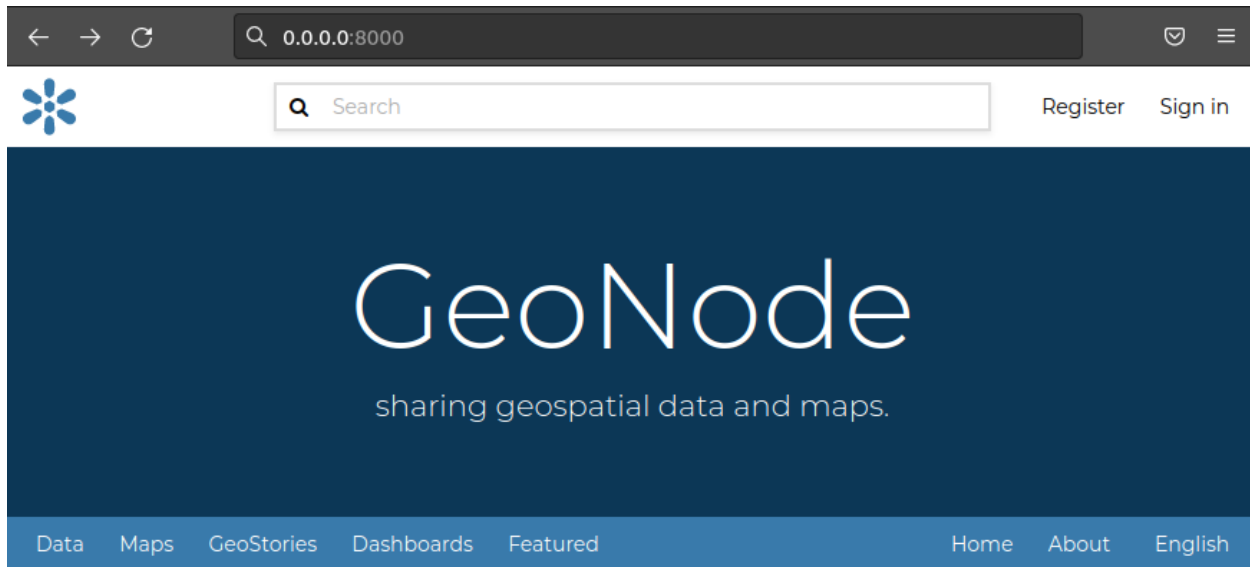
The starting process will take around 20 seconds (depends on your machine) and at the end it shows the following message:

```
[tasks]
. geonode.documents.tasks.create_document_thumbnail
. geonode.documents.tasks.delete_orphaned_document_files
. geonode.documents.tasks.delete_orphaned_thumbnails
. geonode.geoserver.tasks.geoserver_update_layers
. geonode.layers.tasks.delete_layer
. geonode.maps.tasks.delete_map
. geonode.security.tasks.synch_guardian
. geonode.services.tasks.update.harvest_resource
. geonode.tasks.email.send_mail
. geonode.tasks.notifications.send_queued_notifications
. imagekit.cachefiles.backends._generate_file

Performing system checks...

System check identified no issues (1 silenced).
January 21, 2020 - 22:49:50
Django version 1.11.27, using settings 'geonode.settings'
Starting development server at http://0.0.0.0:8000/
Quit the server with CONTROL-C.
GeoNode is now available.
```

Now you can visit the geonode site by typing <http://0.0.0.0:8000> into your browser window



## Install GeoNode-Project for development after installing GeoNode-Core

Geonode-Project gives the user flexibility to customize the installation of the GeoNode. Geonode itself will be installed as a requirement of your project. Inside the project structure it is possible to extend, replace or modify all geonode components (e.g. css and other static files, templates, models..) and even register new django apps without touching the original Geonode code. In order to install GeoNode-Project, the following steps need to be executed alongside the previous GeoNode-Core installation steps.

1- Use `django-admin.py` to create a project “my\_geonode” from a GeoNode-Project template as follows:

**Note:** Before running the following command, make sure that you are currently working on the virtual environment and just outside geonode directory. The command will create a new project called “my\_geonode” which should be located at the level of geonode-core installation directory “inside /home/geonode/dev”

```
$ django-admin.py startproject my_geonode --template=https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-
project/archive/master.zip -e py,rst,json,yml,ini,env,sample -n Dockerfile

$ ls /home/geonode/dev # should output: geonode my_geonode
```

**Note:** Although the following command might show that the majority of requirements are already satisfied “because GeoNode-Core was already installed”, it is recommended to still execute it as it might update or install any missing package.

2- Install all the required packages/tools for GeoNode-Project as follows:

```
$ pip install -e my_geonode
```

**Note:** As mentioned earlier, GeoNode will be installed as requirement for the GeoNode-Project in order to be able to extend it

## Install GeoNode-Project directly from scratch

If you didn't install GeoNode-Core earlier and you wanted to install GeoNode-Project directly, please follow these steps

1- Create a virtual environment as follows:

```
$ vim ~/.bashrc
add the following line to the bottom
$ source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
```

```
$ source /usr/share/virtualenvwrapper/virtualenvwrapper.sh
$ mkvirtualenv --python=/usr/bin/python3 my_geonode
```

Alternatively you can also create the virtual env like below

```
$ python3.8 -m venv /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode
$ source /home/geonode/dev/.venvs/my_geonode/bin/activate
```

2- Clone the geonode-project repo from Github

```
$ git clone https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-project.git -b 4.1.x
```

3- Install Django framework as follows

```
$ pip install Django==3.2.13
```

4- Use django-admin.py to create a project "my\_geonode" from a GeoNode-Project template as follows:

```
$ django-admin startproject --template=./geonode-project -e py,sh,md,rst,json,yml,ini,
→env,sample,properties -n monitoring-cron -n Dockerfile my_geonode
```

5- Install all the requirements for the GeoNode-Project and install the GeoNode-Project using pip

```
$ cd my_geonode
$ pip install -r requirements.txt --upgrade
$ pip install -e . --upgrade
```

6- Install GDAL Utilities for Python

```
$ pip install pygdal=="`gdal-config --version`.*" # or refer to the link <Install GDAL_
→for Development <https://training.geonode.geo-solutions.it/005_dev_workshop/004_devel_
→env/gdal_install.html>
```

7- Install GeoServer and Tomcat using paver

```
$ paver setup

$ paver sync

$ paver start
```

8- Visit <http://localhost:8000/>

### 1.35.3 How to run GeoNode Core for development

In order to start Geonode Core for development, you need to make sure that no Geonode instance is running first. This can be done by running the following commands:

```
$ cd /home/user/geonode
$ paver stop_geoserver
$ paver stop_django
```

Then you need to start both geoserver and django services as follows:

```
$ paver start_geoserver
$ paver start_django
```

Now you can visit your Geonode GUI by typing <http://localhost:8000> into your browser window

### 1.35.4 How to run GeoNode Project for development

In order to run a project for development, the following steps have to be followed:

1- Make sure there is no running instance of Geonode first by running the following command:

```
$ cd /home/user/my_geonode
$ paver stop
```

The above command will stop all services related to Geonode if running

2- Start the servers by running paver start as follows:

```
$ paver start
```

Now you can visit your geonode project site by typing <http://localhost:8000> into your browser window

### 1.35.5 Start MapStore2 client in development mode

#### Pre-requisites

1. You need a running instance of GeoNode somewhere; in this specific example we assume GeoNode is running on *:http://localhost:8000*

## Install needed packages

```
sudo apt install nodejs npm
```

## Prepare the source code

```
git clone --recursive https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-mapstore-client.git geonode-
mapstore-client-dev
```

## Compile MapStore2 Client

```
cd geonode-mapstore-client/geonode_mapstore_client/client/
npm update
npm install
npm run compile
```

## Edit the file env.json

```
vim env.json
```

```
{
 "DEV_SERVER_HOST": "localhost:8000",
 "DEV_SERVER_HOST_PROTOCOL": "http"
}
```

## Run MapStore2 in Development mode

```
npm run start
```

Connect to `::http://localhost:8081`

This is a proxied version of GeoNode form MapStore2 client. **To upload new layers user the original GeoNode.**

Everytime you render a map, from GeoNode layers details page or map creation, you will access to the MapStore2 dev mode runnig code.

You can now update the code on the fly.

**Example 1: Disable the PrintPlugin from the Layer Details small map**

```
vim js/previewPlugins.js
```

```
...
BurgerMenuPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/BurgerMenu'),
ScaleBoxPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/ScaleBox'),
MapFooterPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/MapFooter'),
// PrintPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Print'),
TimelinePlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Timeline'),
PlaybackPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Playback'),
...
```

**Example 2: Disable the MousePositionPlugin from the big maps**

```
vim js/plugins.js
```

```
...
SaveAsPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/SaveAs').default,
MetadataExplorerPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/MetadataExplorer'),
GridContainerPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/GridContainer'),
StyleEditorPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/StyleEditor'),
TimelinePlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Timeline'),
PlaybackPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Playback'),
// MousePositionPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/MousePosition'),
SearchPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/Search'),
SearchServicesConfigPlugin: require('../MapStore2/web/client/plugins/SearchServicesConfig
→'),
...
```

**1.35.6 Workshops**

The workshops documentation demonstrates few examples on how to utilize GeoNode-Project in order to extend/customize GeoNode's functionalities according to your business. The covered topics include the following:

- 1- Customize your GeoNode with the geonode-project
- 2- Customize the look and feel
- 3- Create your ResourceBase Metadata
- 4- Create your own django app
- 5- Add a custom model
- 6- Permissions and APIs
- 7- Deploy your GeoNode

## 1- Customize your GeoNode with the geonode-project

In this example, GeoNode-Project is cloned to create a template instance in which the rest of the examples will be building on top of it.

1- Assuming you already installed GeoNode-Core, firstly we need to create a GeoNode-Project template and this can be achieved from the following command:

```
$ django-admin.py startproject my_geonode --template=https://github.com/GeoNode/geonode-
↪project/archive/master.zip -e py,rst,json,yml,ini,env,sample -n Dockerfile
```

Here, django-admin is used with startproject option to create my\_geonode project copying the template which is passed as GeoNode-project Github repo. It also includes “py,rst,json,yml,ini,env,sample” extensions

2- Once the cloning finished, the next step is to install the GeoNode-Project we just downloaded as follows:

```
$ pip install -e my_geonode
```

3- Install geoserver using paver as follows

```
$ cd /home/geonode/my_geonode/src
$ paver setup
```

4- Note the GeoNode database connection parameters mentioned in the .env.sample.py file. Rename it to .env then use psql to create the required user and grant the required privileges as follows:

```
$ su postgres
$ createdb geonode
$ psql
postgres=# CREATE USER geonode WITH PASSWORD 'geonode';
CREATE ROLE
postgres=# GRANT ALL PRIVILEGES ON DATABASE "geonode" to geonode;
GRANT
postgres=# \q
```

**Warning:** Don’t forget to exit from postgres user before executing the following commands

5- Run GeoNode using paver

```
$ cd /home/geonode/my_geonode/src
$ paver start
```

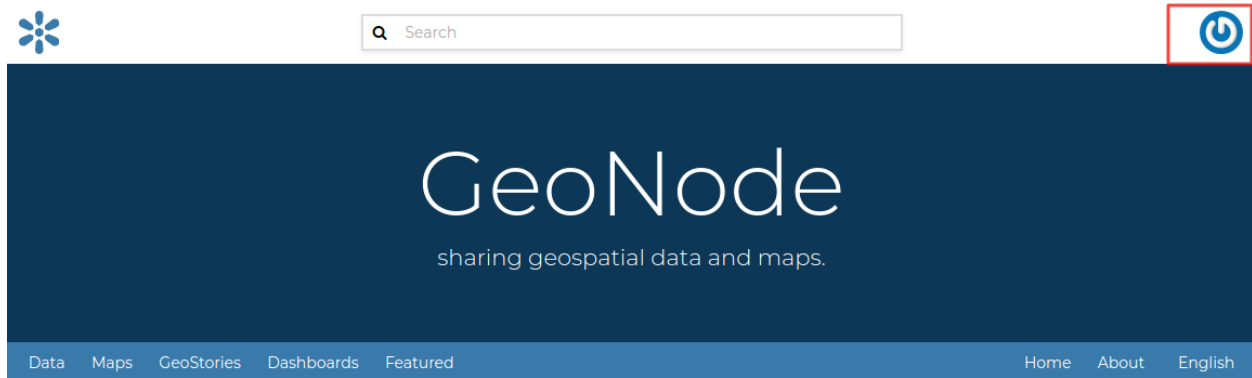
**Note:** You may find this warning message: You have 132 unapplied migration(s). Your project may not work properly until you apply the migrations for app(s): account, actstream, admin, agon\_ratings, announcements, auth, avatar, base, contenttypes, dialogos, documents, favorite, geonode\_client, geonode\_themes, groups, guardian, invitations, layers, maps, mapstore2\_adapter, monitoring, oauth2\_provider, people, pinax\_notifications, services, sessions, sites, socialaccount, taggit, tastypie, upload, user\_messages. Which means you have some sql statements not executed yet and you need to run the “migrate” to sync your database first then “paver start” again as follows:

```
$ python manage.py migrate
$ paver start
```

**Warning:** If encountered this message: (Invalid HTTP\_HOST header: '0.0.0.0:8000'. You may need to add u'0.0.0.0' to ALLOWED\_HOSTS) It can be fixed in the settings.py file. You will need to add: `ALLOWED_HOSTS = ['0.0.0.0']` in settings.py

6- Once the previous step is done, you can visit 0.0.0.0:8000 to view the GUI of GeoNode. However, we still don't have an account in order to login from the GUI. This can be done using “paver sync”. The command will create sync with latest fixtures and also creates a superuser “admin” with default password “admin”

7- Use the created account to login from the GUI through localhost:8000 or 0.0.0.0:8000



## 2- Customize the look and feel

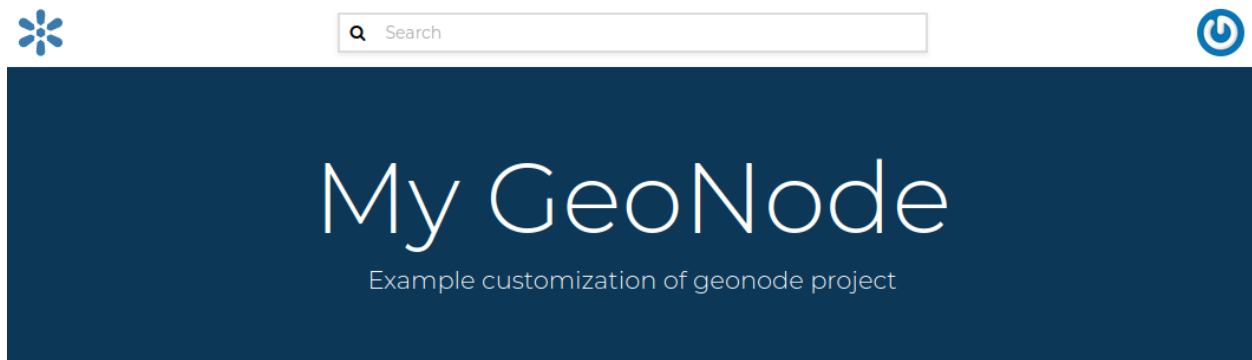
In this section we will change the look and feel of GeoNode, in particular we will do some customization to help understanding how the template inheritance works and how to add new stuff to your GeoNode. The changes will include the home page, the top menu, the footer and a generic GeoNode page.

### Homepage:

The geonode-project provides some predefined templates to change the home page and the general site content.

In the “my\_geonode/src/my\_geonode/templates/geonode-mapstore-client/snippets” directory we can find files with similar names as the geonode-mapstore-client. This way we can override the different parts of the site eg the header, menu, body content and the footer.

Create a file name hero.html and add the following.



**The theme:**

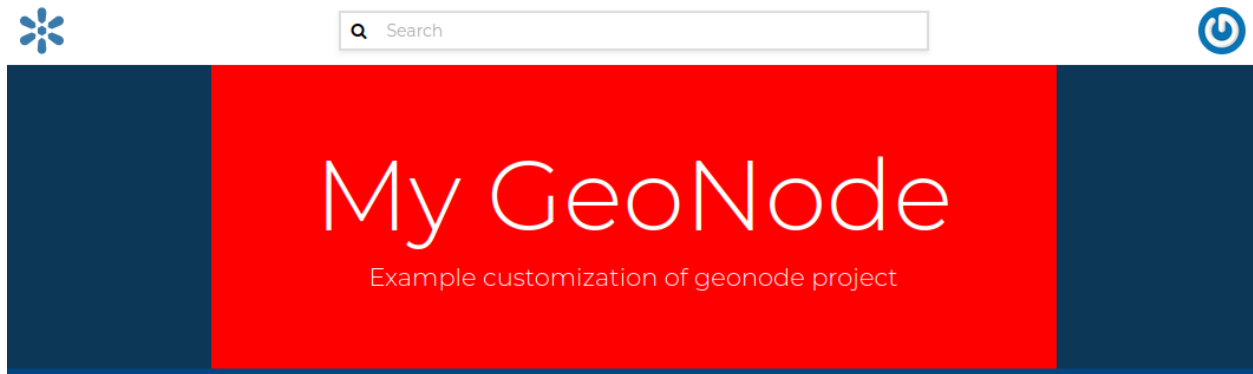
To change the theme of our geonode-project we can act on the `site_base.css` file available in the “my\_geonode/my\_geonode/static/css” folder.

The file is empty so we can inspect elements of the home page with the browser’s developer tools and define css rules in there.

For example, if we want to change the background of the jumbotron, in this file we can add

```
.msgapi .gn-hero .jumbotron { background: red }
```

Then once we refreshed the browser, we should see the change as follows:



### The top menu:

Now we can make some changes that will apply to the whole site. We can add an item to both the left and right side of the top menu bar.

This can be done by creating a `get_menu_json.py` under `templatetags` folder to override GeoNodes default menu.

```
@register.simple_tag(takes_context=True)
def get_base_right_topbar_menu(context):

 is_mobile = _is_mobile_device(context)

 if is_mobile:
 return []

 return [
 {
 "type": "link",
 "href": "/",
 "label": "Custom 3"
 },
 {
 "type": "link",
 "href": "/",
 "label": "Custom 4"
 },
]
@register.simple_tag(takes_context=True)
def get_base_left_topbar_menu(context):

 is_mobile = _is_mobile_device(context)
```

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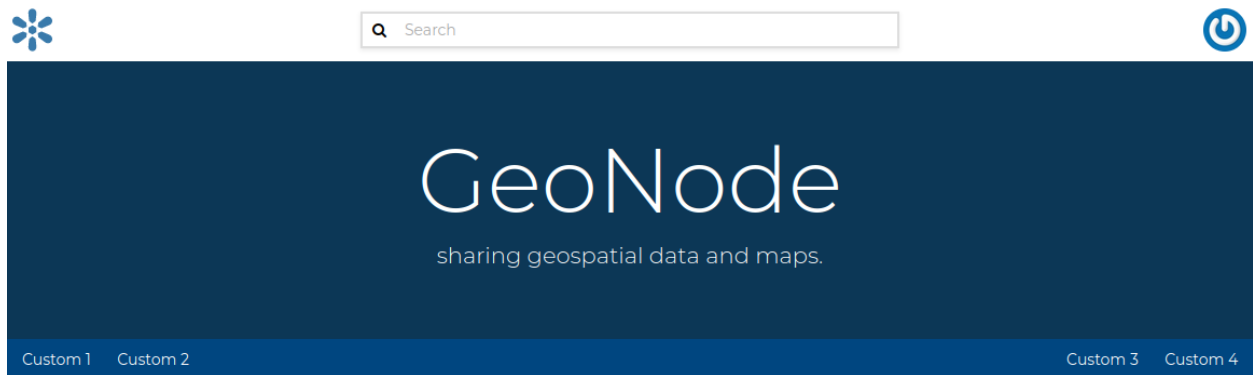
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```

return [
 {
 "type": "link",
 "href": "/",
 "label": "Custom 1"
 },
 {
 "type": "link",
 "href": "/",
 "label": "Custom 2"
 },
]

```

On browser refresh you will see a new entry in the nav bar which is persistent to the whole site.



### Modify functionality

In this section, we will patch the ResourceBase of GeoNode and update the Templates in order to add one more field to the Metadata Schema.

We will add a DOI field to the ResourceBase model and modify the Templates in order to show the new field both into the Metadata Wizard page.

---

**Note:** Make sure to be inside “my\_geonode” directory to execute the following commands

---

Customizing metadata can be achieved from the model which is defined in the core at “geonode/geonode/base/models.py” as follows:

```

internal fields
uuid = models.CharField(max_length=36)
owner = models.ForeignKey(
 settings.AUTH_USER_MODEL,
 blank=True,
 null=True,
 related_name='owned_resource',
 verbose_name=_("Owner"))
contacts = models.ManyToManyField(
 settings.AUTH_USER_MODEL,
 through='ContactRole')

```

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```

title = models.CharField(_('title'), max_length=255, help_text=_('
 'name by which the cited resource is known'))
alternate = models.CharField(max_length=128, null=True, blank=True)
date = models.DateTimeField(
 _('date'),
 default=now,
 help_text=date_help_text)
date_type = models.CharField(
 _('date type'),
 max_length=255,
 choices=VALID_DATE_TYPES,
 default='publication',
 help_text=date_type_help_text)
edition = models.CharField(
 _('edition'),
 max_length=255,
 blank=True,
 null=True,
 help_text=edition_help_text)
abstract = models.TextField(
 _('abstract'),
 max_length=2000,
 blank=True,
 help_text=abstract_help_text)
purpose = models.TextField(
 _('purpose'),
 max_length=500,
 null=True,
 blank=True,
 help_text=purpose_help_text)
maintenance_frequency = models.CharField(
 _('maintenance frequency'),
 max_length=255,
 choices=UPDATE_FREQUENCIES,
 blank=True,
 null=True,
 help_text=maintenance_frequency_help_text)

```

To add fields directly to the ResourceBase Class without actually modifying it, this can be done from “my\_geonode/src/my\_geonode/apps.py” file

The “ready” method is invoked at initialization time and can be currently used to tweak your app in several ways

```

class AppConfig(BaseAppConfig):

 name = "my_geonode"
 label = "my_geonode"

 def ready(self):
 super(AppConfig, self).ready()
 run_setup_hooks()

```

Now we will add the “patch\_resource\_base” method to the AppConfig and execute it from the ready method as follows:

```

from django.db import models
from django.utils.translation import ugettext_lazy as _

class AppConfig(BaseAppConfig):

 name = "my_geonode"
 label = "my_geonode"

 def _get_logger(self):
 import logging
 return logging.getLogger(self.__class__.__module__)

 def patch_resource_base(self, cls):
 self._get_logger().info("Patching Resource Base")
 doi_help_text = _('a DOI will be added by Admin before publication.')
 doi = models.TextField(
 _('DOI'),
 blank=True,
 null=True,
 help_text=doi_help_text)
 cls.add_to_class('doi', doi)

 def ready(self):
 super(AppConfig, self).ready()
 run_setup_hooks()

 from geonode.base.models import ResourceBase
 self.patch_resource_base(ResourceBase)

```

---

**Note:** you will need to perform migrations as follows: - Add field doi to resourcebase

---

Once you run `python manage.py migrate`:

```

Running migrations:
Applying announcements.0002_auto_20200119_1257... OK
Applying base.0031_resourcebase_doi... OK
Applying people.0027_auto_20200119_1257... OK

```

Till now, we have patched the DB. however, it is not yet sufficient as we still need to display the added field.

Let's extend the default templates so that we can show the newly added field

### 3- Create your own django app

In this section, we will demonstrate how to create and setup the skeleton of a custom app using the django facilities. The app will add a geocollections functionality to our GeoNode.

The Geocollections app allows to present in a single page, resources and users grouped by a GeoNode Group. We can assign arbitrary resources to a Geocollection, a Group and a name that will be also used to build a dedicated URL.

---

**Note:** Make sure to be inside “my\_geonode” directory to execute the following commands

---

Create the django app

Django gives us an handy command to create apps. We already used startproject to create our geonode-project, now we can use startapp to create the app.

```
python manage.py startapp geocollections
```

This will create a folder named geocollections that contains empty models and views.

We need to add the new app to the INSTALLED\_APPS of our project. inside “my\_geonode/src/my\_geonode/settings.py”:

```
INSTALLED_APPS += (PROJECT_NAME,) to be: INSTALLED_APPS += (PROJECT_NAME,
↳ 'geocollections',)
```

#### Add a custom model

In this section, we will add a custom model and the related logic as follows:

- Add a new model
- Add urls and views
- Add admin panel
- Add the template

```
vim geocollections/models.py
```

```
from django.db import models

from geonode.base.models import ResourceBase
from geonode.groups.models import GroupProfile

class Geocollection(models.Model):
 """
 A collection is a set of resources linked to a GeoNode group
 """
 group = models.ForeignKey(GroupProfile, related_name='group_collections')
 resources = models.ManyToManyField(ResourceBase, related_name='resource_collections')
 name = models.CharField(max_length=128, unique=True)
 slug = models.SlugField(max_length=128, unique=True)

 def __unicode__(self):
 return self.name
```

At this point we need to ask django to create the database table. Django since version 1.8 has embedded migrations mechanism and we need to use them in order to change the state of the db.

---

**Note:** Make sure to be inside “my\_geonode” directory to execute the following commands

---

```
python manage.py makemigrations

the above command informs you with the migrations to be executed on the database

python manage.py migrate
```

Next we will use django generic view to show the collections detail. Add the following code in the views.py file:

```
vim geocollections/views.py
```

```
from django.views.generic import DetailView

from .models import Geocollection

class GeocollectionDetail(DetailView):
 model = Geocollection
```

Add url configuration

In order to access the created view we also need url mapping. We can create a urls.py file containing a url mapping to our generic view:

```
vim geocollections/urls.py
```

```
from django.conf.urls import url

from .views import GeocollectionDetail

urlpatterns = [
 url(r'^(?P<slug>[-\w]+)/$',
 GeocollectionDetail.as_view(),
 name='geocollection-detail'),
]
```

We also need to register the app urls in the project urls. So let’s modify the “my\_geonode” urls.py file adding the following:

```
vim my_geonode/src/my_geonode/urls.py
```

```
...
urlpatterns += [
 ## include your urls here
 url(r'^geocollections/', include('geocollections.urls')),
]
...
```

**Enable the admin panel**

We need a user interface where we can create geocollections. Django makes this very easy, we just need the admin.py file as follows:

```
vim geocollections/admin.py
```

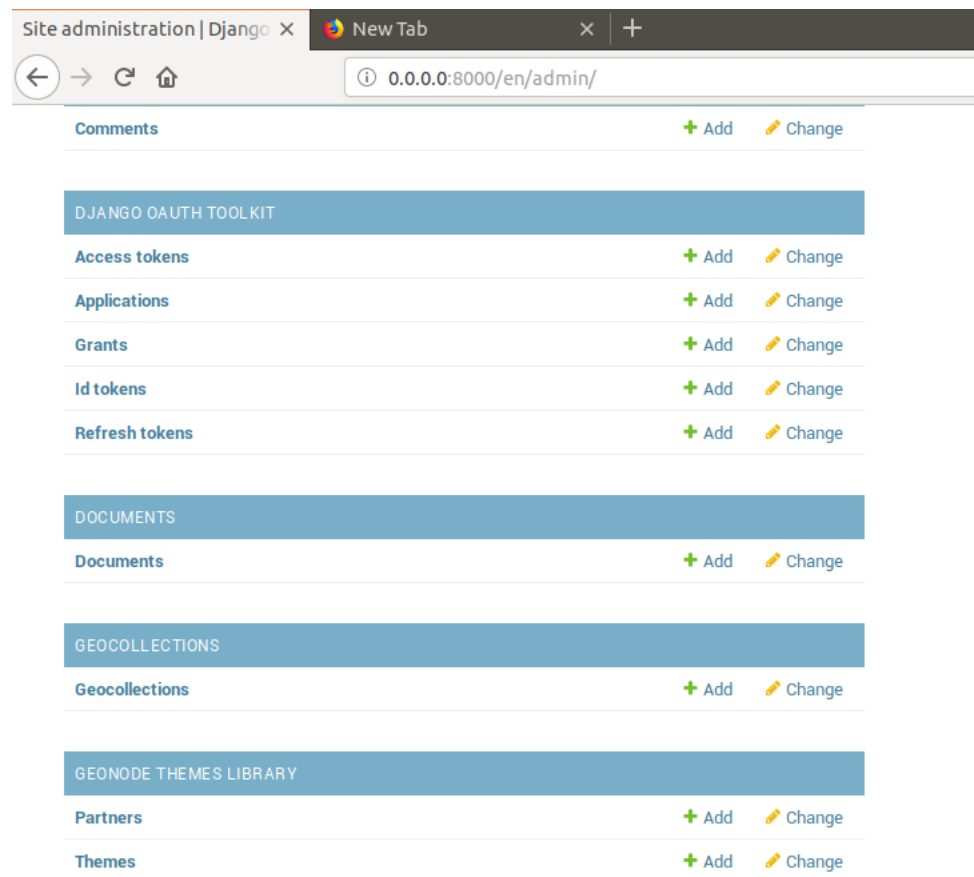
```
from django.contrib import admin

from .models import Geocollection

class GeocollectionAdmin(admin.ModelAdmin):
 prepopulated_fields = {"slug": ("name",)}
 filter_horizontal = ('resources',)

admin.site.register(Geocollection, GeocollectionAdmin)
```

Now we can visit the admin page and create a geocollection from there as follows:



### Adding the template

Now we need the template where the geocollection detail will be rendered. Let's create a geocollections directory inside the "my\_geonode/templates" directory with a file named geocollection\_detail.html:

```
mkdir -p my_geonode/templates/geocollections/

vim my_geonode/templates/geocollections/geocollection_detail.html
```

```
{% extends "geonode_base.html" %}
{% block body %}
 <h2>Geocollection {{ object.name }}</h2>
 <p>Group: {{ object.group.title }}</p>
 <p>Resources:</p>

 {% for resource in object.resources.all %}
 {{ resource.title }}
 {% endfor %}

{% endblock %}
```

To check the results, create a group in the geonode ui interface and load one or more layers/documents

login into the admin panel -> geocollections and create a geocollections

Visit <http://localhost:8000/geocollections/<the-name-of-the-created-geocollection>> and view the results.

Now that you know how to customize an html template, you can tune the page as you prefer.

### Permissions and APIs

In this section we will add some more advanced logic like permissions and APIs. The permissions in GeoNode are managed with django-guardian, a library which allow to set object level permissions (django has table level authorization).

The APIs are implemented through django-tastypie.

The topics to be covered include:

- Permissions on who can view the geocollection
- How to add templated and js to embed a permission ui in our geocollection detail page
- API to serve json serialized searchable endpoint

Permissions logic (permissions objects)

We need to add the permissions object to the database. We can do this by adding the following meta class to our Geocollection model, guardian will take care of creating the objects for us.

```
vim geocollections/models.py
```

```
class Meta:
 permissions = (
 ('view_geocollection', 'Can view geocollection'),
)
```

Then run “python manage.py makemigrations” and “python manage.py migrate” to install them

### Permissions logic (set\_default)

Let’s add a method that will be used to set the default permissions on the Geocollections. We can add this logic to the Geocollection model but could also be a generic Mix-in similar to how it is implemented in GeoNode.

```
vim geocollections/models.py
```

```
from django.contrib.auth.models import Group
from django.contrib.auth import get_user_model
```

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```

from django.contrib.contenttypes.models import ContentType
from django.conf import settings
from guardian.shortcuts import assign_perm

def set_default_permissions(self):
 """
 Set default permissions.
 """

 self.remove_object_permissions()

 # default permissions for anonymous users
 anonymous_group, created = Group.objects.get_or_create(name='anonymous')

 if settings.DEFAULT_ANONYMOUS_VIEW_PERMISSION:
 assign_perm('view_geocollection', anonymous_group, self)

 # default permissions for group members
 assign_perm('view_geocollection', self.group, self)

```

### Permissions logic (methods)

Now we need a method to add generic permissions, we want to be able to assign view permissions to groups and single users. We can add this to our Geocollection model

```
vim geocollections/models.py
```

```

def set_permissions(self, perm_spec):
 anonymous_group = Group.objects.get(name='anonymous')
 self.remove_object_permissions()
 if 'users' in perm_spec and "AnonymousUser" in perm_spec['users']:
 assign_perm('view_geocollection', anonymous_group, self)
 if 'users' in perm_spec:
 for user, perms in perm_spec['users'].items():
 user = get_user_model().objects.get(username=user)
 assign_perm('view_geocollection', user, self)
 if 'groups' in perm_spec:
 for group, perms in perm_spec['groups'].items():
 group = Group.objects.get(name=group)
 assign_perm('view_geocollection', group, self)
def remove_object_permissions(self):
 from guardian.models import UserObjectPermission, GroupObjectPermission
 UserObjectPermission.objects.filter(content_type=ContentType.objects.get_for_
↪model(self),
 object_pk=self.id).delete()
 GroupObjectPermission.objects.filter(content_type=ContentType.objects.get_for_
↪model(self),
 object_pk=self.id).delete()

```

### Permissions logic (views.py)

We can add now a view to receive and set our permissions, in views.py:

```
vim geocollections/views.py
```

```
import json
from django.core.exceptions import PermissionDenied
from django.http import HttpResponse
from django.contrib.auth import get_user_model

User = get_user_model()

def geocollection_permissions(request, collection_id):

 collection = Geocollection.objects.get(id=collection_id)
 user = User.objects.get(id=request.user.id)

 if user.has_perm('view_geocollection', collection):
 return HttpResponse(
 'You have the permission to view. please customize a template for this view'',
 content_type='text/plain')

 if request.method == 'POST':
 success = True
 message = "Permissions successfully updated!"
 try:
 permission_spec = json.loads(request.body)
 collection.set_permissions(permission_spec)

 return HttpResponse(
 json.dumps({'success': success, 'message': message}),
 status=200,
 content_type='text/plain'
)
 except:
 success = False
 message = "Error updating permissions :("
 return HttpResponse(
 json.dumps({'success': success, 'message': message}),
 status=500,
 content_type='text/plain'
)
)
```

### Permissions logic (url)

Lastly we need a url to map our client to our view, in urls.py

```
vim geocollections/urls.py
```

```
from django.conf.urls import url

from .views import GeocollectionDetail, geocollection_permissions

urlpatterns = [
 url(r'^(?P<slug>[-\w]+)/$',
```

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```

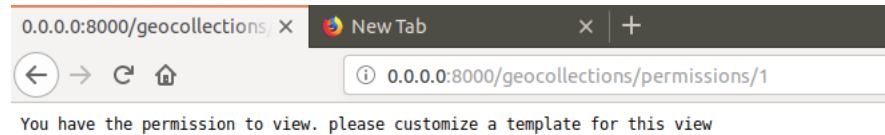
 GeocollectionDetail.as_view(),
 name='geocollection-detail'),

 url(r'^permissions/(?P<collection_id>\d+)$',
 geocollection_permissions,
 name='geocollection_permissions'),

]

```

This url will be called with the id of the geocollection, the id will be passed to the view in order to get the permissions.



**Warning:** A note on the client part, the server side logic is just one part necessary to implement permissions.

A checklist of what is necessary:

- A template snippet that can be embedded in the geocollection\_detail.html, you can copy and simplify: \_permissions\_form.html and \_permissions.html (in geonode/templates)
- A javascript file that will collect permissions settings and send them to the server, you can copy and simplify: \_permissions\_form\_js.html (in geonode/templates)

## API

The GeoNode API system easily allows to plug in new APIs. This section demonstrates the required steps:

We need first to create an api.py file in our geocollection app.

```
vim geocollections/api.py
```

```

import json
from tastypie.resources import ModelResource
from tastypie import fields
from tastypie.constants import ALL_WITH_RELATIONS, ALL

from geonode.api.api import ProfileResource, GroupResource
from geonode.api.resourcebase_api import ResourceBaseResource

from .models import Geocollection
class GeocollectionResource(ModelResource):

 users = fields.ToManyField(ProfileResource, attribute=lambda bundle: bundle.obj.
 group.group.user_set.all(), full=True)
 group = fields.ToOneField(GroupResource, 'group', full=True)
 resources = fields.ToManyField(ResourceBaseResource, 'resources', full=True)

 class Meta:

```

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```

queryset = Geocollection.objects.all().order_by('-group')
ordering = ['group']
allowed_methods = ['get']
resource_name = 'geocollections'
filtering = {
 'group': ALL_WITH_RELATIONS,
 'id': ALL
}

```

### API authorization

We want the API to respect our custom permissions, we can easily achieve this by adding the following to the beginning of `api.py`:

```
vim geocollections/api.py
```

```

from tastypie.authorization import DjangoAuthorization
from guardian.shortcuts import get_objects_for_user

class GeocollectionAuth(DjangoAuthorization):

 def read_list(self, object_list, bundle):
 permitted_ids = get_objects_for_user(
 bundle.request.user,
 'geocollections.view_geocollection').values('id')

 return object_list.filter(id__in=permitted_ids)

 def read_detail(self, object_list, bundle):
 return bundle.request.user.has_perm(
 'view_geocollection',
 bundle.obj)

```

And this to the `GeocollectionResource` Meta class:

```
authorization = GeocollectionAuth()
```

### Add a url for our API

In order to publish our API we need a url and we want that url to appear under the GeoNode's `/api` domain.

The final url for our API has to be `/api/geocollections`.

We can inject the url into the GeoNode API by adding the following lines to “`my_geonode/urls.py`” file:

```
vim my_geonode/urls.py
```

```

from geonode.api.urls import api

from geocollections.api import GeocollectionResource

api.register(GeocollectionResource())

```

And add the following in the `urlpatterns`:

```
url(r'', include(api.urls)),
```

The final result will be:

```
from django.conf.urls import url, include
from django.views.generic import TemplateView

from geonode.urls import urlpatterns

from geonode.api.urls import api
from geocollections.api import GeocollectionResource

api.register(GeocollectionResource())

urlpatterns += [
 ## include your urls here
 url(r'', include(api.urls)),
 url(r'^geocollections/', include('geocollections.urls')),
]
```

Let’s test permissions on API

We can test the permissions on API by manually set a permission from the command line and check that the API respects it.

With running `python manage.py shell` from inside our “my\_geonode” folder, it opens a geonode shell.

A perm spec could look like this:

```
perms = {
 'users': {
 'AnonymousUser': ['view_geocollection'],
 'alessio': ['view_geocollection']}
}
```

and we can assign the permissions with:

```
from geocollections.models import Geocollection

Geocollection.objects.first().set_permissions(perms)
```

our `http://localhost:8000/api/geocollections` should now list the geocollection.

If you remove the ‘AnonymousUser’ line from perms and assign again the permissions it will disappear.

```
perms = {
 'users': {
 'alessio': ['view_geocollection']
 }
}
```

## Deploy your GeoNode

So far we demonstrated how to modify, extend and style our GeoNode in dev mode but now it’s time to go on production. In this section we will clarify how to:

- commit your work on GitHub
- setup your server

- setup your GeoNode for production

Push to GitHub It is always a good practice to keep your code in a remote repository, GitHub is one of the options and is indeed the most used.

It is assumed that you already have a GitHub account and that you have git installed and configured with your name and email.

We will push only the my\_geonode folder to GitHub and as we knew earlier, GeoNode for us is a dependency and we'll just reinstall it as it is on the server.

Steps to push your code to GitHub:

- Create an empty repository in GitHub and copy it's address
- In my\_geonode, run `git init` to initialize an empty repository
- Add your remote repository address with `git remote add yourname yourremoteaddress`
- edit `.gitignore` adding all `*.pyc` files
- `git add *` to add all content of my\_geonode
- `git commit -m 'initial import'` to make the initial commit
- `git push yourname master` to push the code to the GitHub repository

### Setup the server

There are several options for deploying GeoNode projects on servers. In this section, we explain how to deploy it on Ubuntu server 18.04 using system-wide installation

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**Note:** For quick installation, follow the INSTALLING documentation at <http://docs.geonode.org/en/master/install/core/index.html>

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### Setup our my\_geonode

We need now to install the developed “my\_geonode” project following these steps:

- `git clone` from your repository (in the folder of your preference)
- `sudo pip install -e my_geonode`
- edit the settings where needed
- edit `/etc/apache2/sites-enabled/geonode.conf` replacing the `wsgi` path to the `my_geonode/my_geonode/wsgi.py` file
- add the apache rights to the “my\_geonode” folder with a directory like

```
<Directory "/path/to/my_geonode/">
 Order allow,deny
 Require all granted
</Directory>
```

- Test your server.

This documentation helps developers to install GeoNode-Core and GeoNode-Project from different scenarios. GeoNode-Project can be installed on top of GeoNode-Core if already installed. Also GeoNode-Project can be installed from scratch as it has GeoNode-Core as a prerequisite.

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