

# Land Administration Standardization with Focus on Evidence from the Field and Processing of Field Observations

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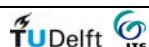
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## Objectives of this presentation

- Land Administration standard (LADM, ISO/DIS 19152) for the Geoweb
- Relationships with other ISO/TC211 standards, specifically ISO/DIS 19156 Observations and Measurements (O&M)
- Spatial source documents (survey) for adjudication, land transactions, physical planning, mortgage, ...

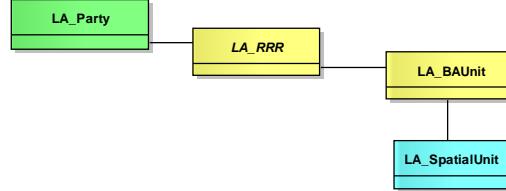


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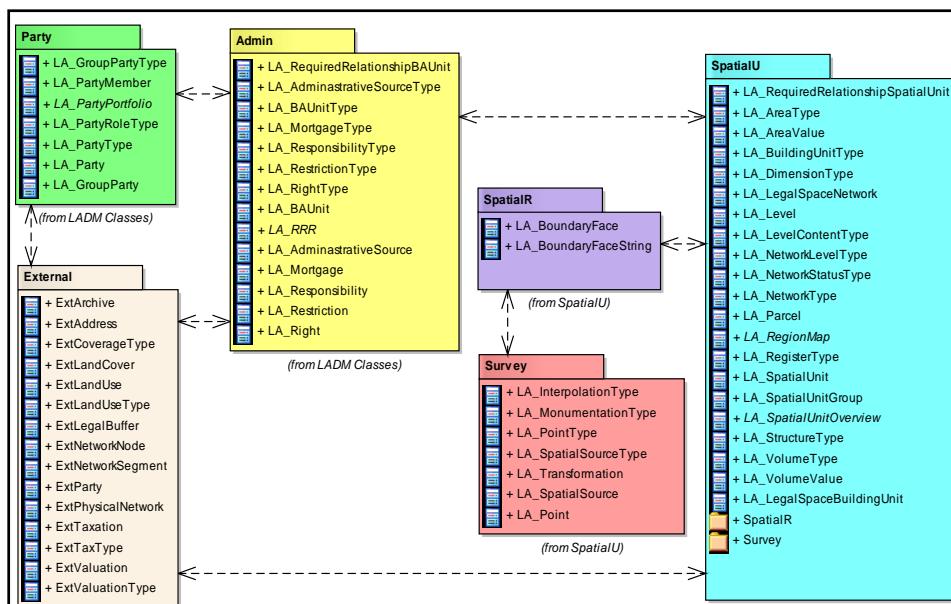
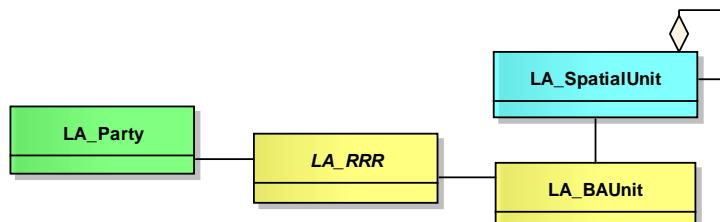
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## ISO 19152 (=LADM) Scope

- Reference model (abstract, conceptual schema)
- Land/water, below/above surface
- Basic classes:
  1. parties,
  2. rights, responsibilities, restrictions,
  3. spatial units (incl. **spatial sources** and spatial representations)
- Terminology enabling communication
- Shared description of formal or informal practices
- Basis for national & regional profiles (application schema)

## LADM core

- **LA\_Party** Peter has **LA\_RRR** ownership on **LA\_BAUnit** Peter's estate consisting of 2 **LA\_SpatialUnit** parcels (with same LA\_RRR)
- **LA\_BAUnit** stands for Basic Administrative Unit



## Where are we now?

NWIP – WD – CD – DIS – **FDIS** – IS

Voting	NWIP	CD	DIS
Approve	15	22	26
Disapprove	6	3	2
Abstain	4	4	4
Not Voted	7	3	0

Growing support is clear!

- Many comments on NWIP, WD, CD, DIS versions received and processed
- FDIS to be voted on July/August 2012
- IS publication date second half of 2012

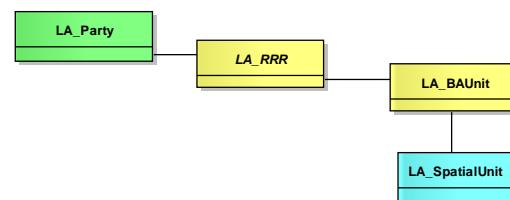
## External classes (Domains)

- Archives
- Taxation
- Valuation
- Parties
- Addresses
- Land cover
- Land use
- Utility networks

→ Related, but outside the scope of LADM

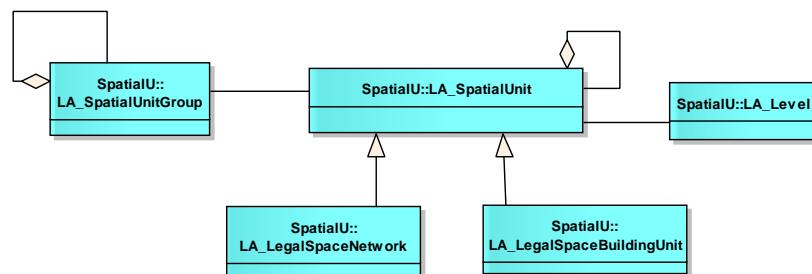
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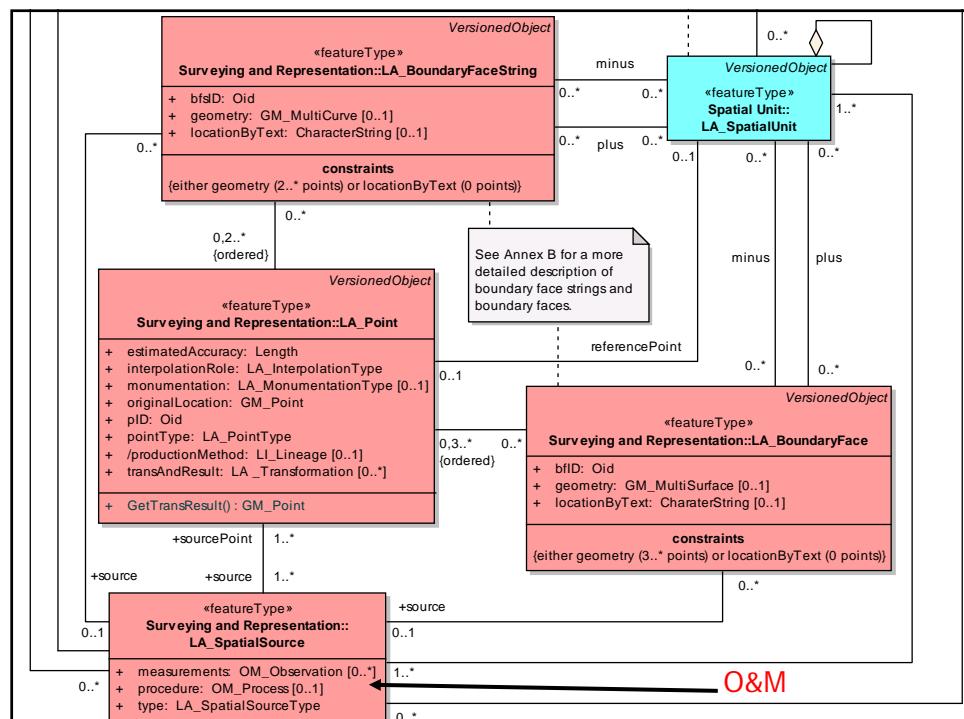
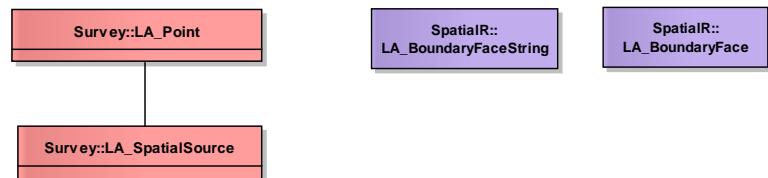
## LA\_SpatialUnit (alias LA\_Parcel)

- LA\_SpatialUnit specializations: network, building unit
- organized in LA\_Layer based on structure or content
- 5 types: **point**, **text** (unstructured) **line**, **polygon**, and **topology**

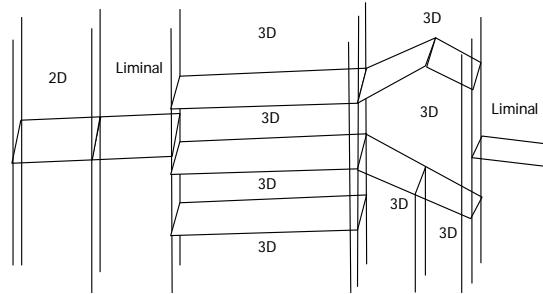


# Spatial Representation and Survey subpackages of SpatialUnit

- Geometry, topology of Spatial Units (based ISO 19107)
  - Spatial source (based ISO/CD 19156 Observations and Measurements)



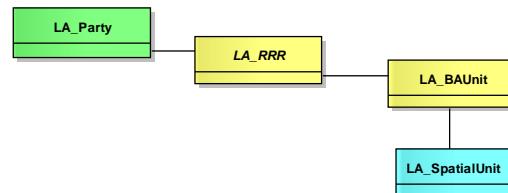
## Spatial Units in 3D



- Extend the equivalent concept from 2D to 3D  
→ 3D parcels are in areas of highest land values
- Challenges:
  1. Majority of parcels is in 2D and should not be lost  
→ integrate 2D/3D
  2. 3D parcels can be unbounded (up/down) according to National law  
→ does not fit in ISO 19107, so alternative needed

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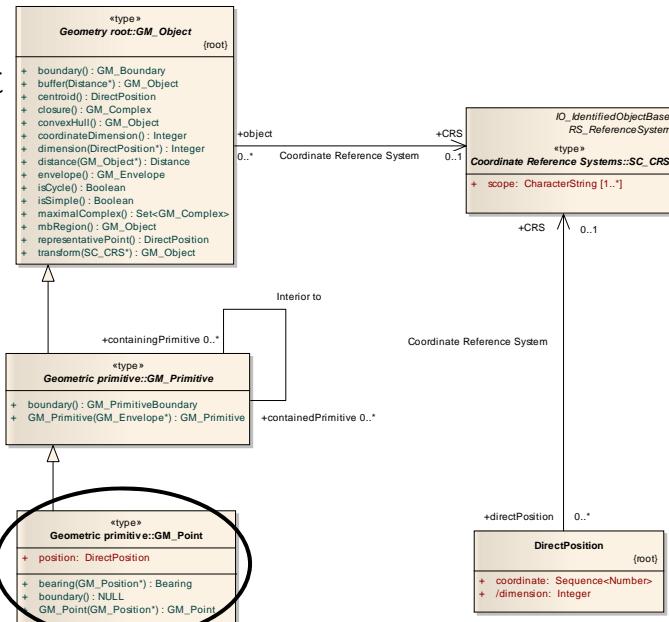


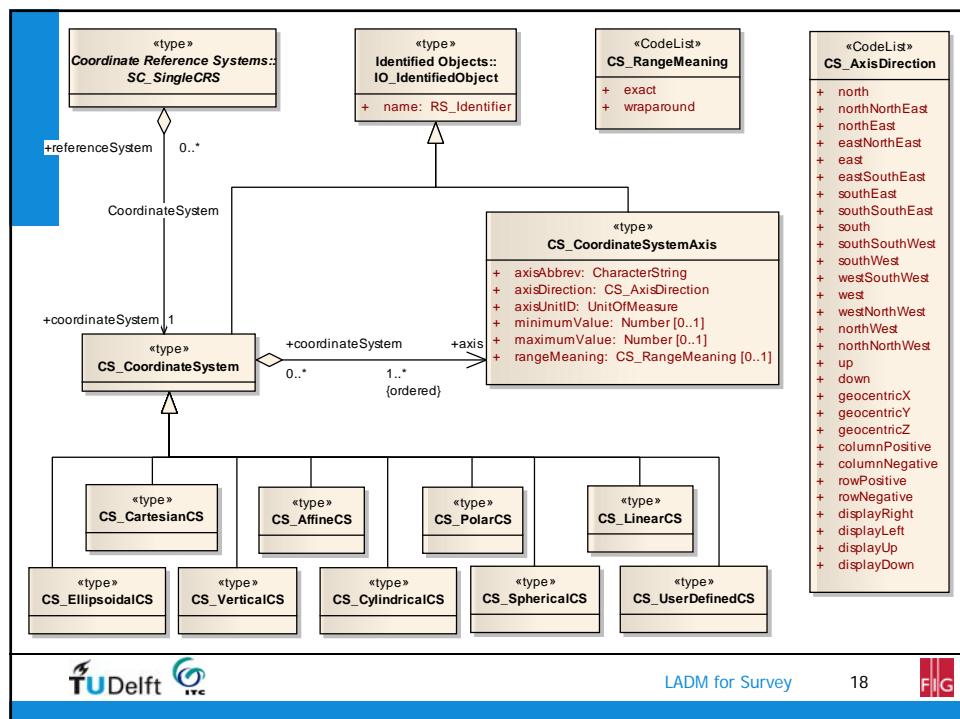
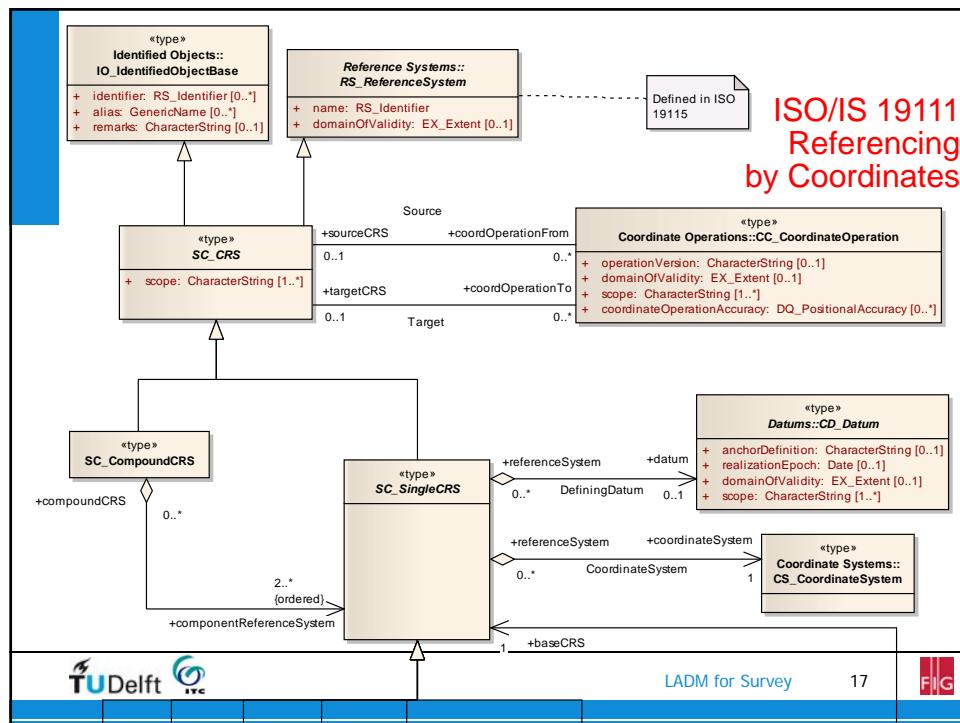
## Relationships ISO/TC211 family

- ISO/IS 19107 Spatial Schema
- ISO/IS 19108 Temporal Schema
- ISO/IS 19111 Referencing by Coordinates
- ISO/IS 19115 Metadata
- ISO/DIS 19156 Observations and Measurements (O&M)
- GM\_Point (19107)
- Coordinate Reference System (19111)
- DQ\_Element (19115)
- OM\_Observation & OM\_Provess (19156)

## GM\_Point

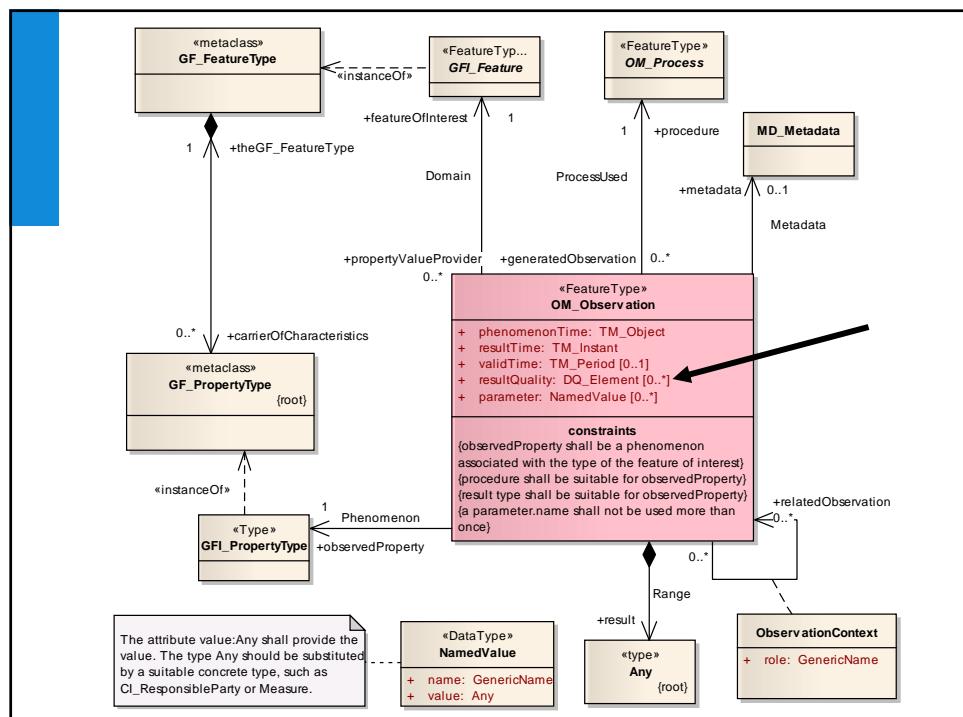
- Part of large model: ISO 19107
- Many (inherited) methods
- One attribute DirectPosition
- Note SC\_CRS (ISO 19111)



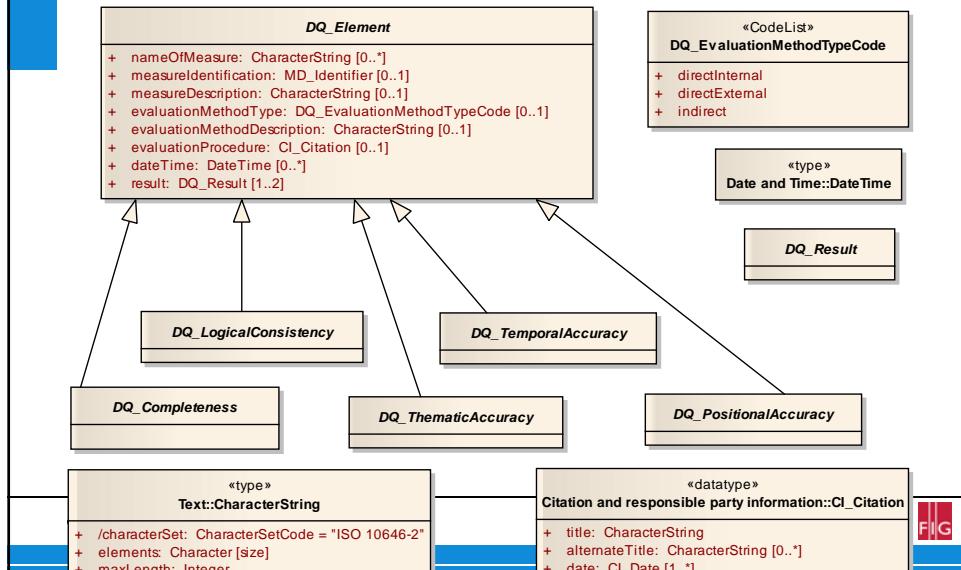


# Observations and Measurements

- In LA\_SpatialSource attribute “measurements” is of type **OM\_Observation** (as defined in ISO 19116) and contains the actual source survey data
- In LA\_SpatialSource attribute “procedure” is of type **OM\_Process** and documents the actual survey procedure

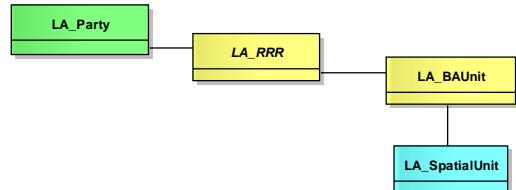


## DQ\_Element (ISO 19115)



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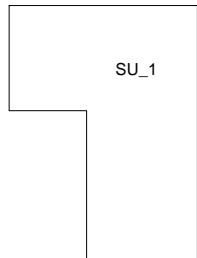
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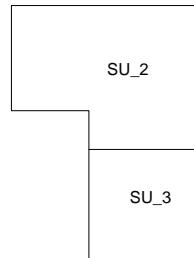
## Survey approach

1. Survey measurements
2. Adjust measurements and fit in existing map
3. Create objects

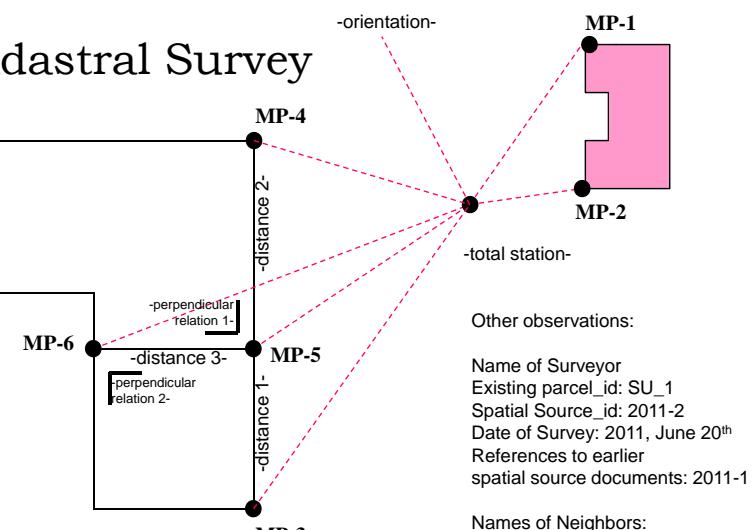
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Spatial Unit 1



New Situation:  
Spatial Units 2 and 3

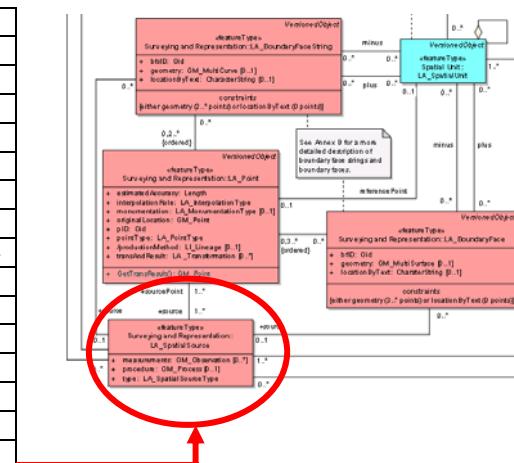


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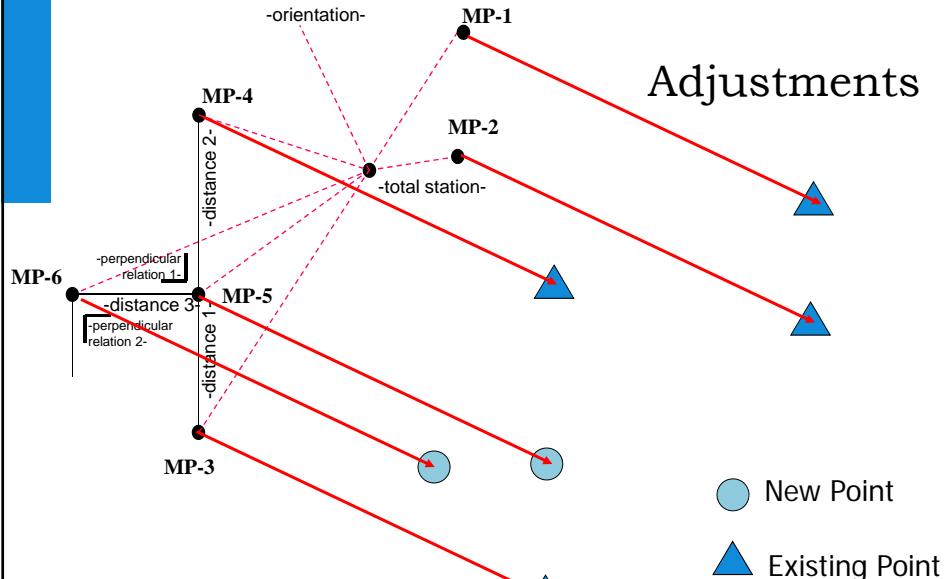


## Original O&M into LA\_SpatialSource

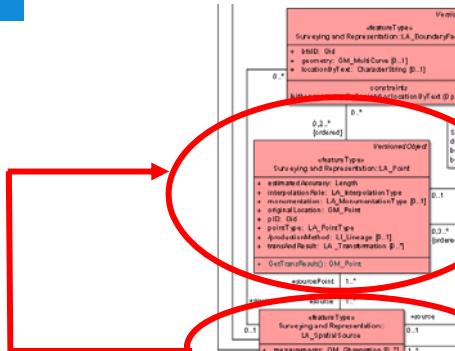
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-1
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-2
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-3
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-4
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-5
Direction and Distance Total Station – MP-6
Existing X,Y (of building corner in database) of MP-1
Existing X,Y (of building corner in database) of MP-2
Existing X,Y (of spatial unit vertex in database) of MP-4
Existing X,Y (of spatial unit vertex in database) of MP-3
Perpendicular relation 1 (MP-4, MP-5, MP-6)
Perpendicular relation 2 (MP-3, MP-5, MP-6)
Distance 1 between MP-3 and MP-5
Distance 2 between MP-5 and MP-4
Distance 3 between MP-6 and MP-5
MP5 and MP6 to be connected to a boundaryfacestring



## Adjustments



## Adjustment: Original O&M adjusted to Geo DB using existing Points

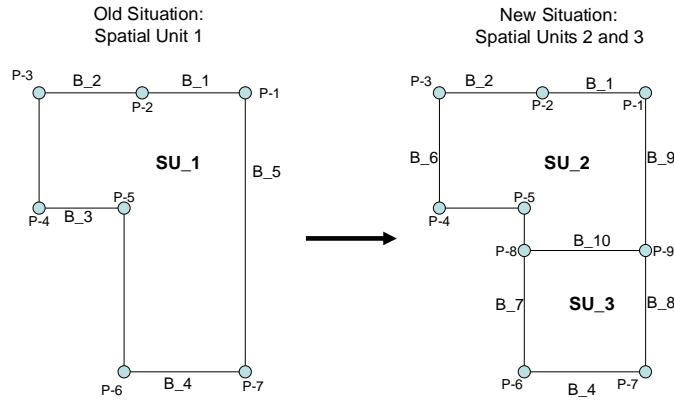


Accuracy Labels  
can be included  
now

## Storing the observations

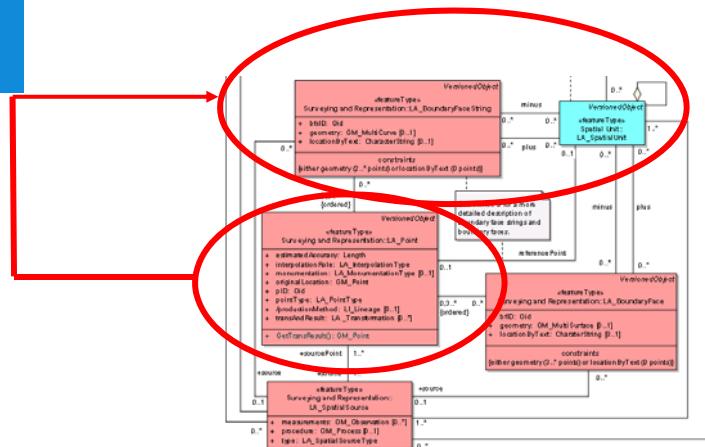
- Stored in **LA\_SpatialSource**: raw data and quality info
- Next calculations: transformations, geodetic adjustments, observations are often redundant (and have small errors); e.g. least squares adjustment computes optimal solution
- Result stored in **LA\_Point** attribute “`transAndResult`” of type **LA\_Transformation** (which has two parts: 1. transformation of type **CC\_OperationMethod** and 2. transformedLocation of type **GM\_Point**)
- Adjustments can be reiterated (cardinality of attribute “`transAndResult`” is `0..*`)

## New Spatial Units created

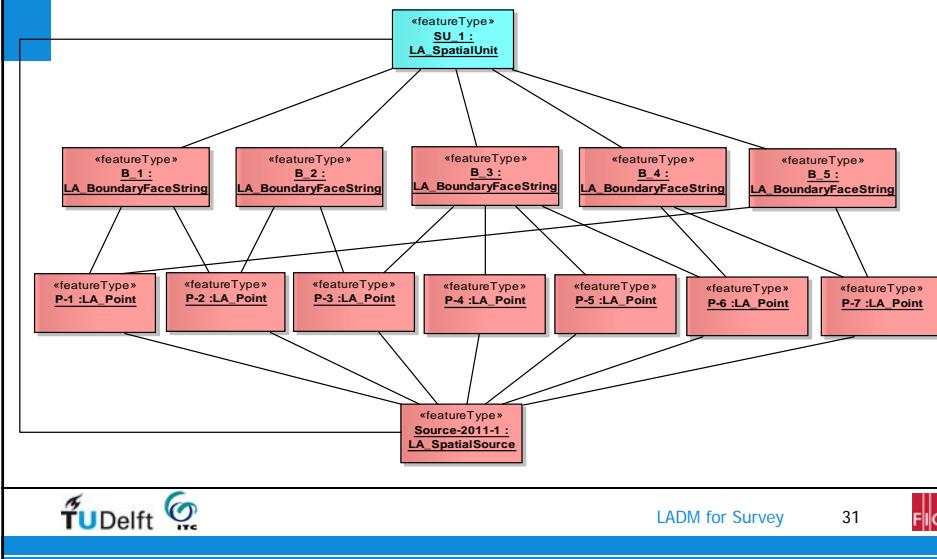


- New LA\_Points used to create new LA\_BoundaryFaceStrings and these are used to create new LA\_SpatialUnits
- All linked in LADM: chain from LA\_SpatialSource to LA\_SpatialUnit  
→ instance level diagrams before and after split

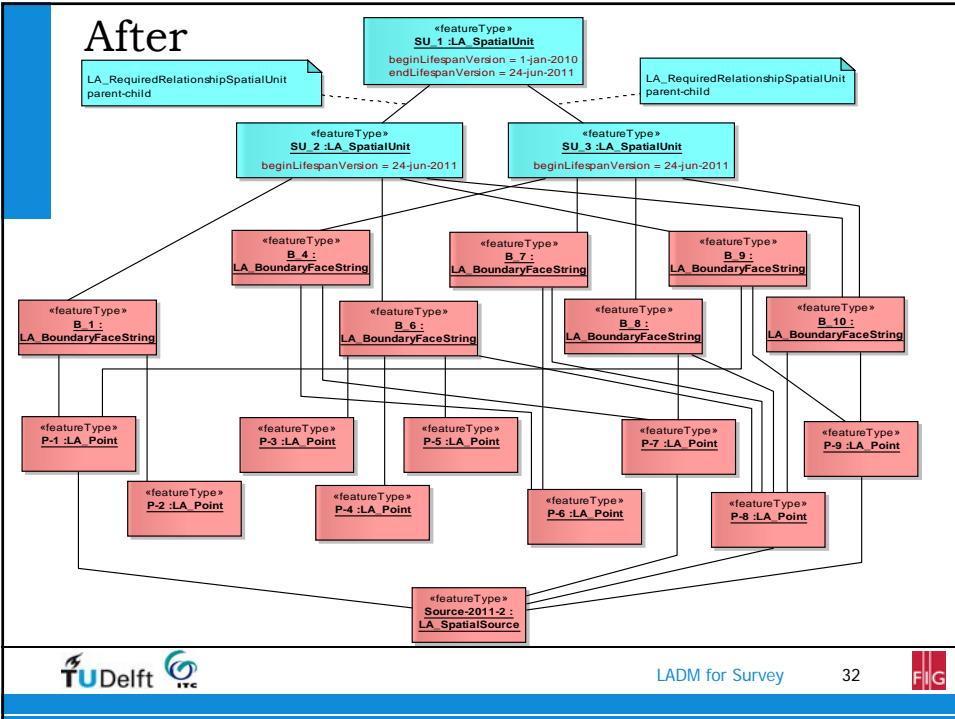
## Object Creation



## Instance level diagram, before split

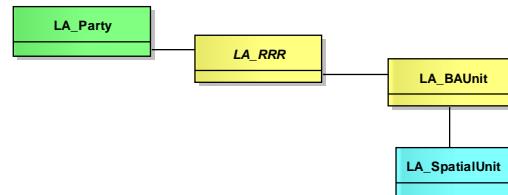


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## Conclusion

- Spatial Units are the “glue” joining the spatial description of land to the RRR aspects
  - Spatial Units are universal in their land administration application (ownership, easement, utilities, building...)
  - Range of representations: text → 3D topology
  - Based on other ISO standards ISO 19107, 19111, 19115, 19156
  - Spatial Units based on Source Documents and LA\_Points
- More info on the ISO 19152 LADM Wiki  
<http://wiki.tudelft.nl/bin/view/Research/ISO19152/WebHome>