Integration of Land Administration Domain Model with CityGML for 3D Cadastre



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Levels of abstraction

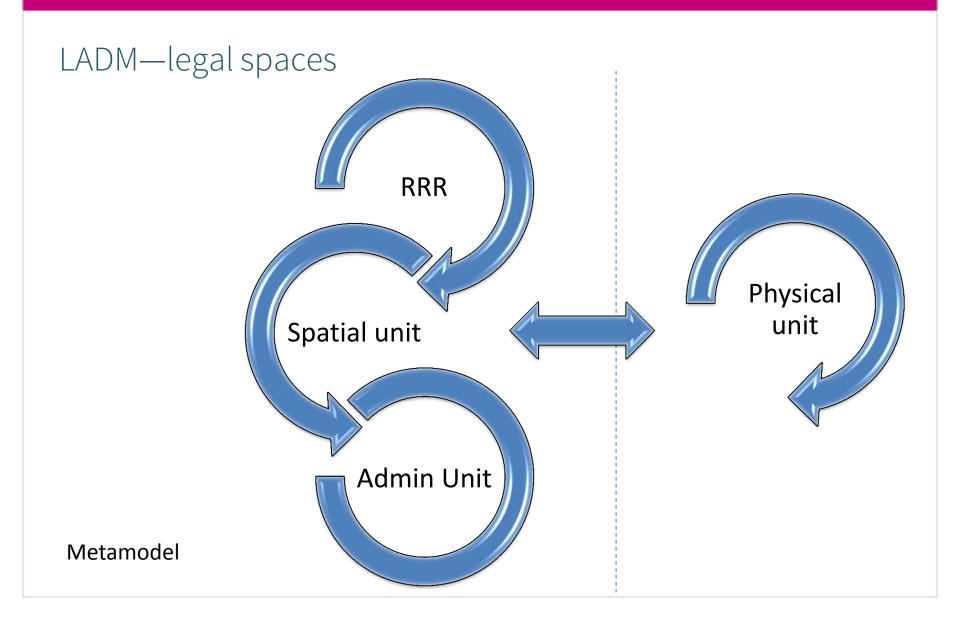
Data instances (dataset)

Encoding schema

Logical data model with semantic definition

Meta-model

XML



LADM classes to consider

- LA_SpatialUnit: base class for spatial representations. LADM explicitly allows volumetric spatial representations in 3D.
- LA_LegalSpaceBuildingUnit: A specialisation of LA_SpatialUnit to link legal spaces to physical ones. This is useful to describe legal spaces within a building which coincide with the physical space of the building or parts of it.
- **LA_SpatialUnitGroup**: grouping of SpatialUnit instances allowing hierarchies (for example parcels into registration areas into parishes into districts into counties).
- **LA_BAUnit**: An administrative unit that can be represented by spatial units.
- LA_RRR is used to describe Right, Restriction, Responsibility to give meaning to a BAUnit which is represented by a spatial unit.

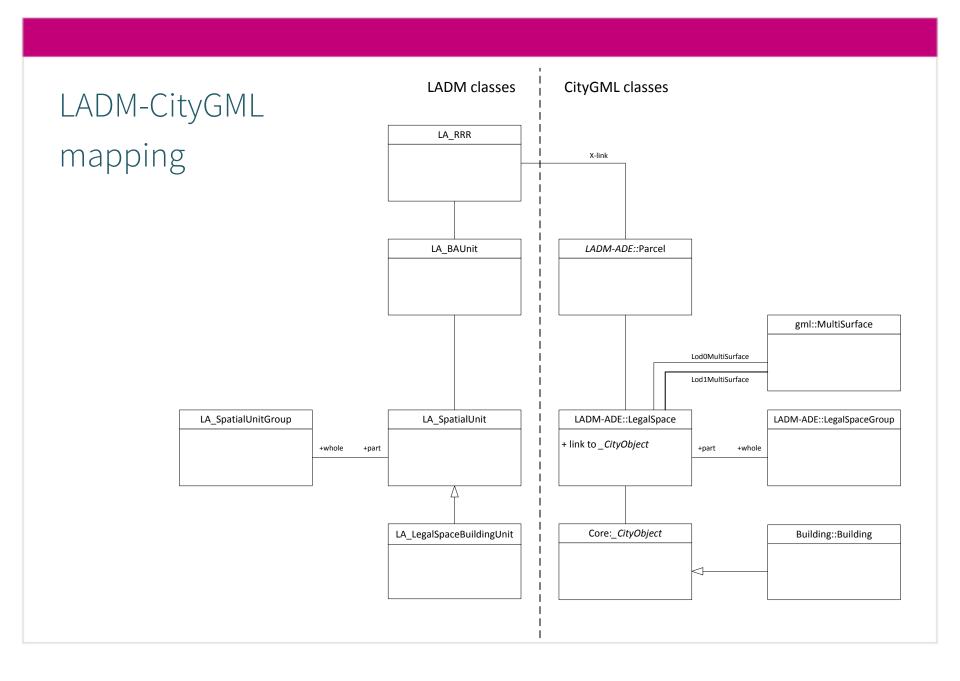
CityGML—physical spaces

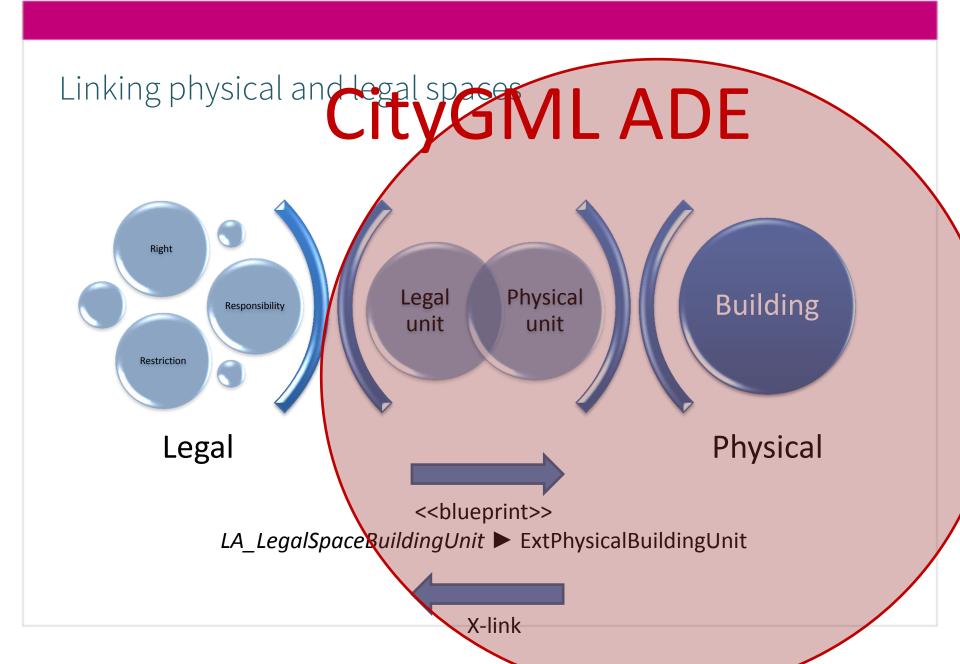


Data model and GML encoding

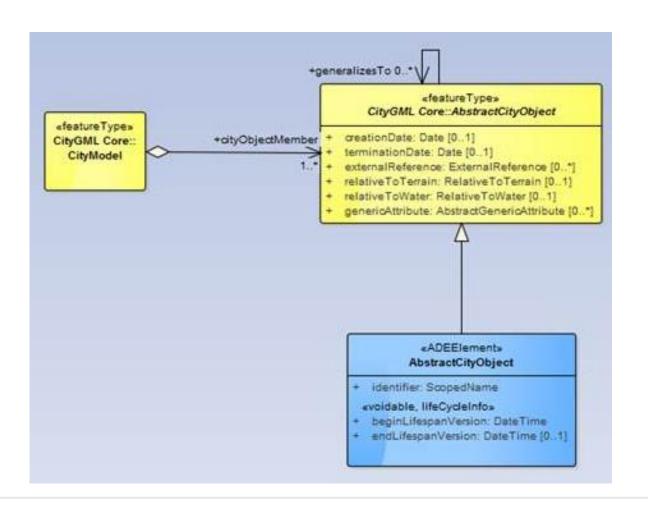
CityGML classes to consider

- Building / BuildingPart: Representation of a physical building in different Levels of Detail.
- _CityObject: As the boundary of legal spaces may defined by or mered to any physical feature, all features with a physical representation in CityGML might be of relevance to express this relationship.
- Landuse: defines land areas of a particular use and could be used to represent parcels or ownership extends, though this would stretch the meaning of landuse beyond its general meaning and is not recommended.
- [ADEs -> i.e utilities]





Data modelling: multiple inheritance





- Technology to make life better, safer and more sustainable
- Public, private and voluntary sector together with citizens

Planned next steps for CityGML

Storeys / LoDs

- Better linkage of physical apartments, ownerships and their addresses
- Integration of 2D floor plans in 3D

Quality requirements and testing

- Schema validation
- Geometric specification requirements
- Semantic specification requirements
- Better conformance requirements

Ideas to integrate LADM and CityGML better

- Is there a need for this in the market?
- Is there a business case for cadastre in its own right?
- Informative annex in LADM:2017 on CityGML ADE encoding of one national/regional profile of LADM
- Informative annex in CityGML 3.0 (2015/16) on the how to create an ADE for LADM-profiles
- Could have a CityGML legal spaces module with abstract classes as hooks for further ADE development of legal spaces
- Experiment more with LoD0 expressions of existing legal spaces and cadastral data)

