

# Public Health Applications in Remote Sensing

### Developing Web-based Mapping Services for Public Health Applications

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#### **Presentation Outline**

- What is PHAiRS?
  - Project goals
- Developing a service-oriented architecture
  - Data storage
  - Data processing & product generation
- Product delivery
  - Client interface prototype
- Next steps









#### What is PHAiRS?

- Public Health Applications in Remote Sensing
- Sponsor, partners, and collaborators
- Project goals use Earth observation data to…
  - Improve dust forecast model outputs
  - Enhance public health DSSs
- Project components
  - Assessing & processing satellite data
  - Dust forecast modeling
  - Web-based services

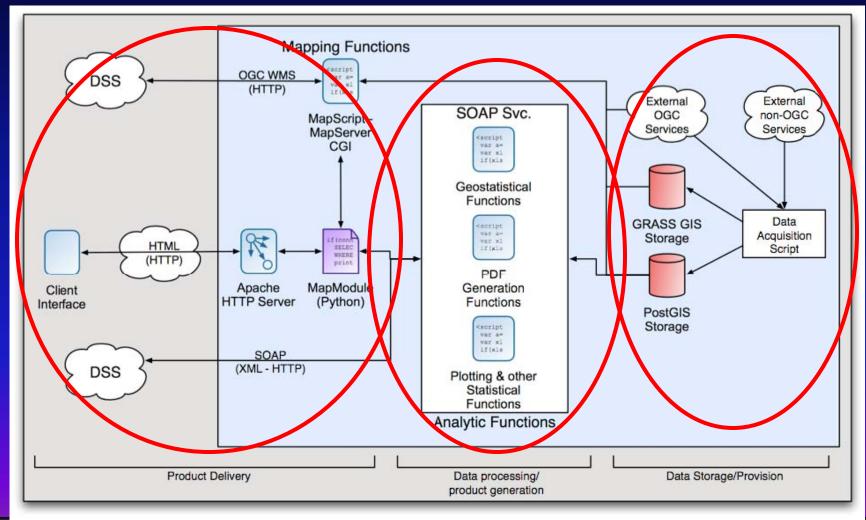








# Developing a Service Oriented Architecture





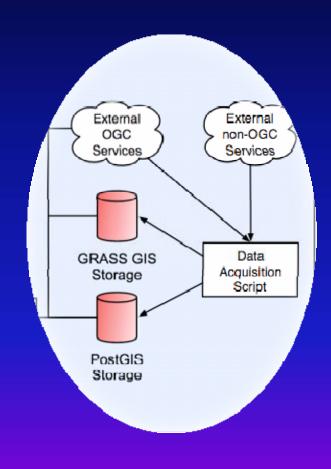






#### Data Storage

- Store geospatial and related attribute data, and external data resources
- Includes:
  - GRASS GIS
  - PostGIS
  - External OGC service providers
  - External non-OGC service providers





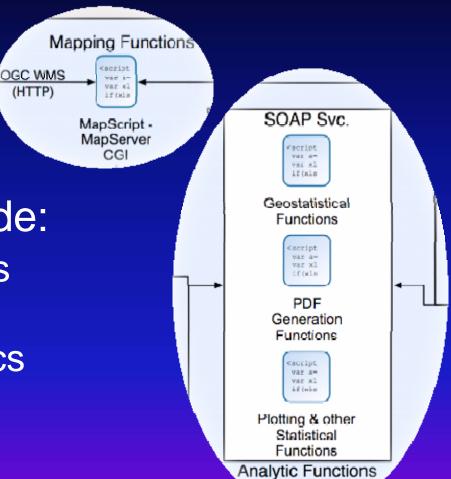






#### **Product Generation**

- Two service models
  - OGC WMS
  - W3C SOAP
- SOAP services provide:
  - Geostatistical analysis functions
  - Statistical and graphics generation
  - High quality PDFs





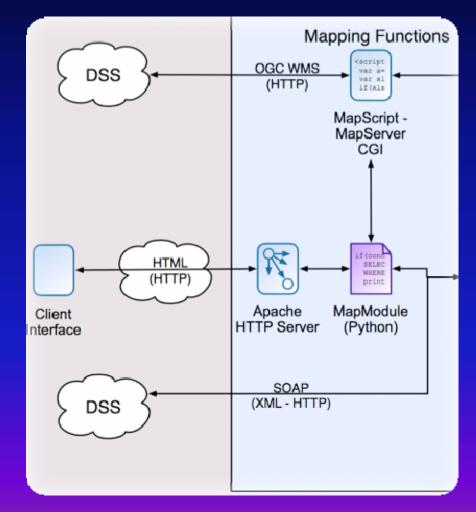






#### **Product Delivery**

- Products delivered via
  - OGC WMS
  - SOAP services
  - Client interface
- Enhancing DSSs by
  - Integrating PHAiRS products into existing DSS
  - Linking directly from DSS to the client interface



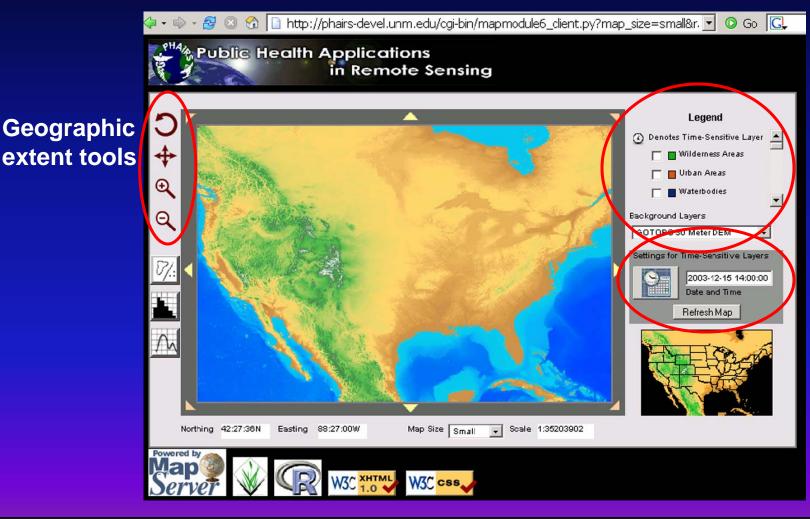








### Client Interface Prototype



Layer tools and legend

Date and time tools

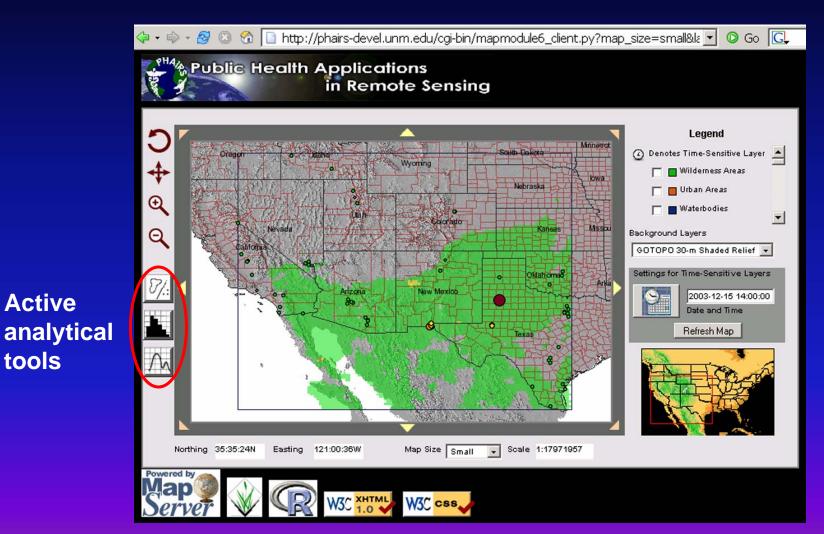








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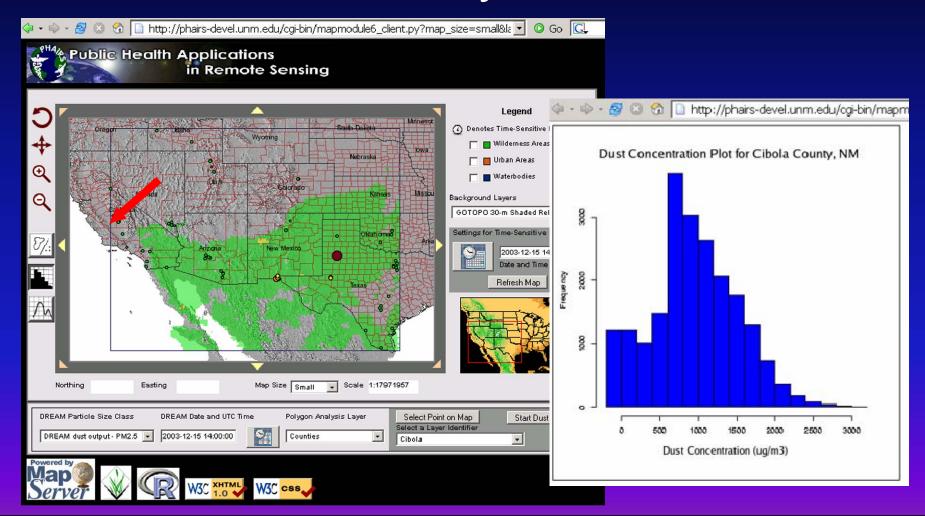
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# Client Interface Prototype: Density Plot



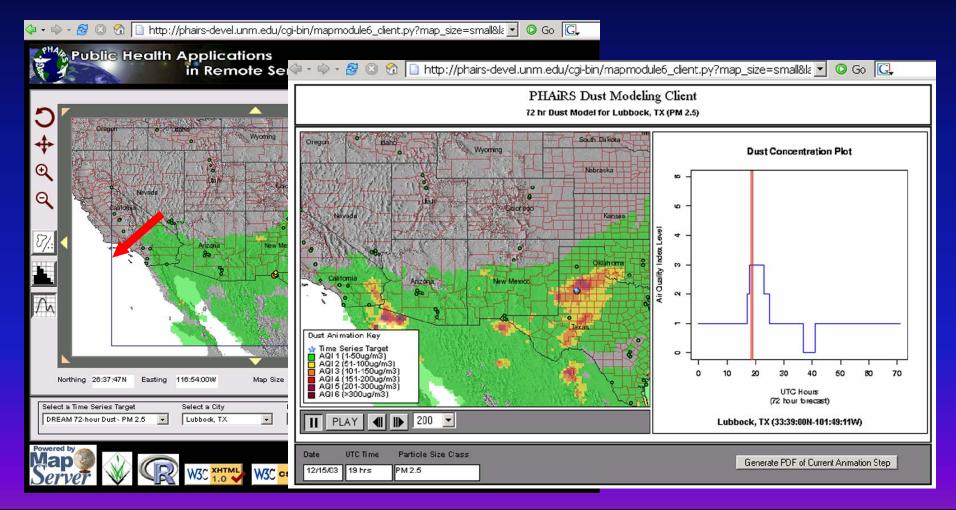








### Client Interface Prototype: Time Series



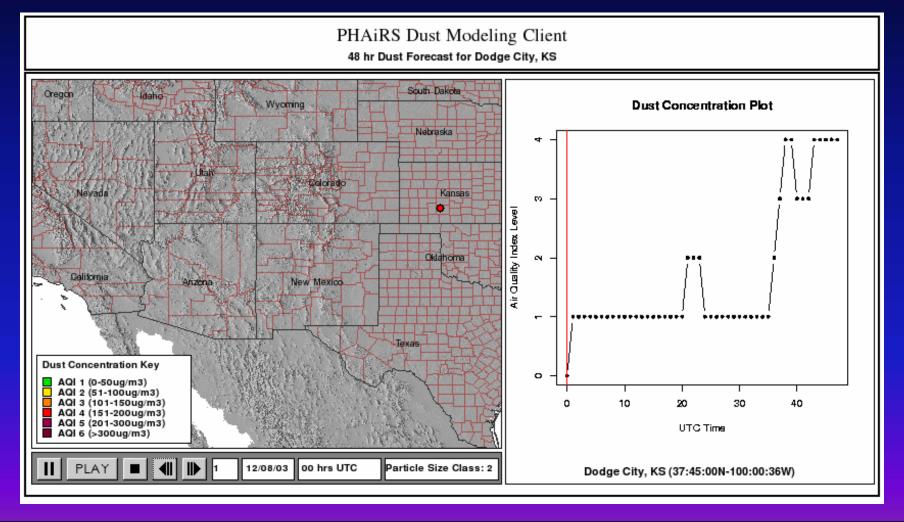








### Client Interface Prototype: Animation











#### Next Steps

- Develop time-enabled OGC services for the DREAM model output and meteorological forecast models
- Enhance the geostatistical functions and publish as SOAP services
- Refine hard-copy map generation SOAP service
- Beta-test services









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