



Kartverket

# Norwegian Mapping Authority

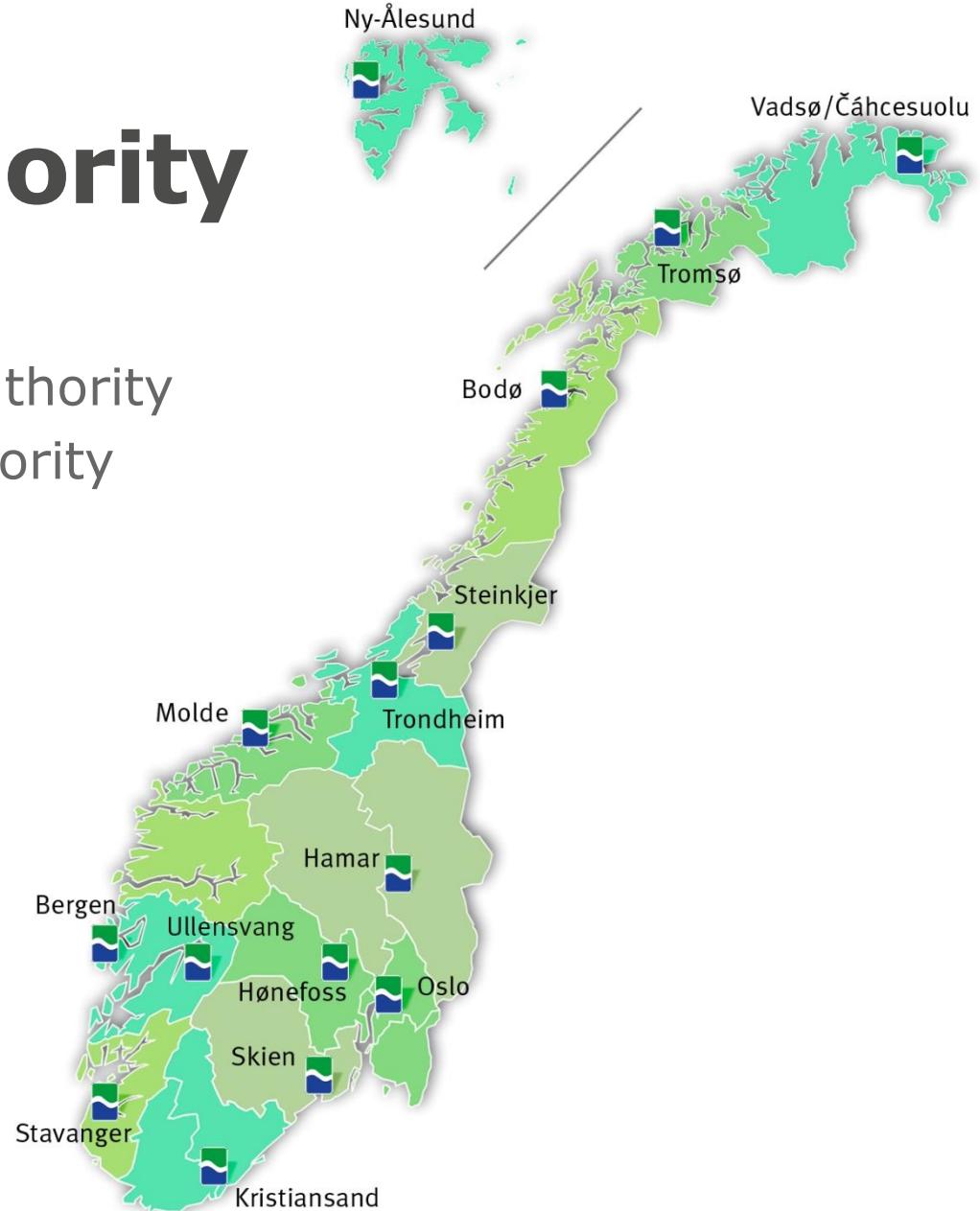
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# Norwegian Mapping Authority

- The national mapping authority
- Judicial registration authority
- 15 offices
- Turnover of NOK 984 million in 2012
- 850 employees
- Established in 1773
- Public agency under the Ministry of Local Government and Modernisation

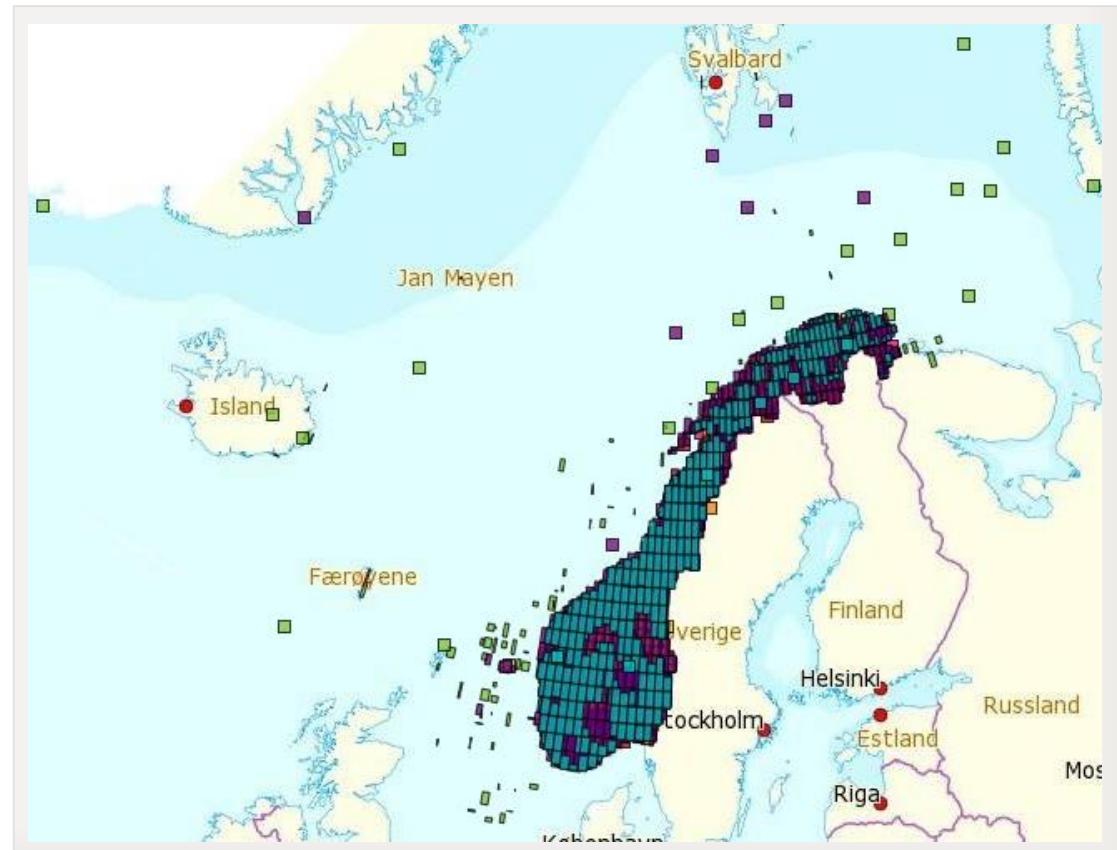


# Spelling of place names



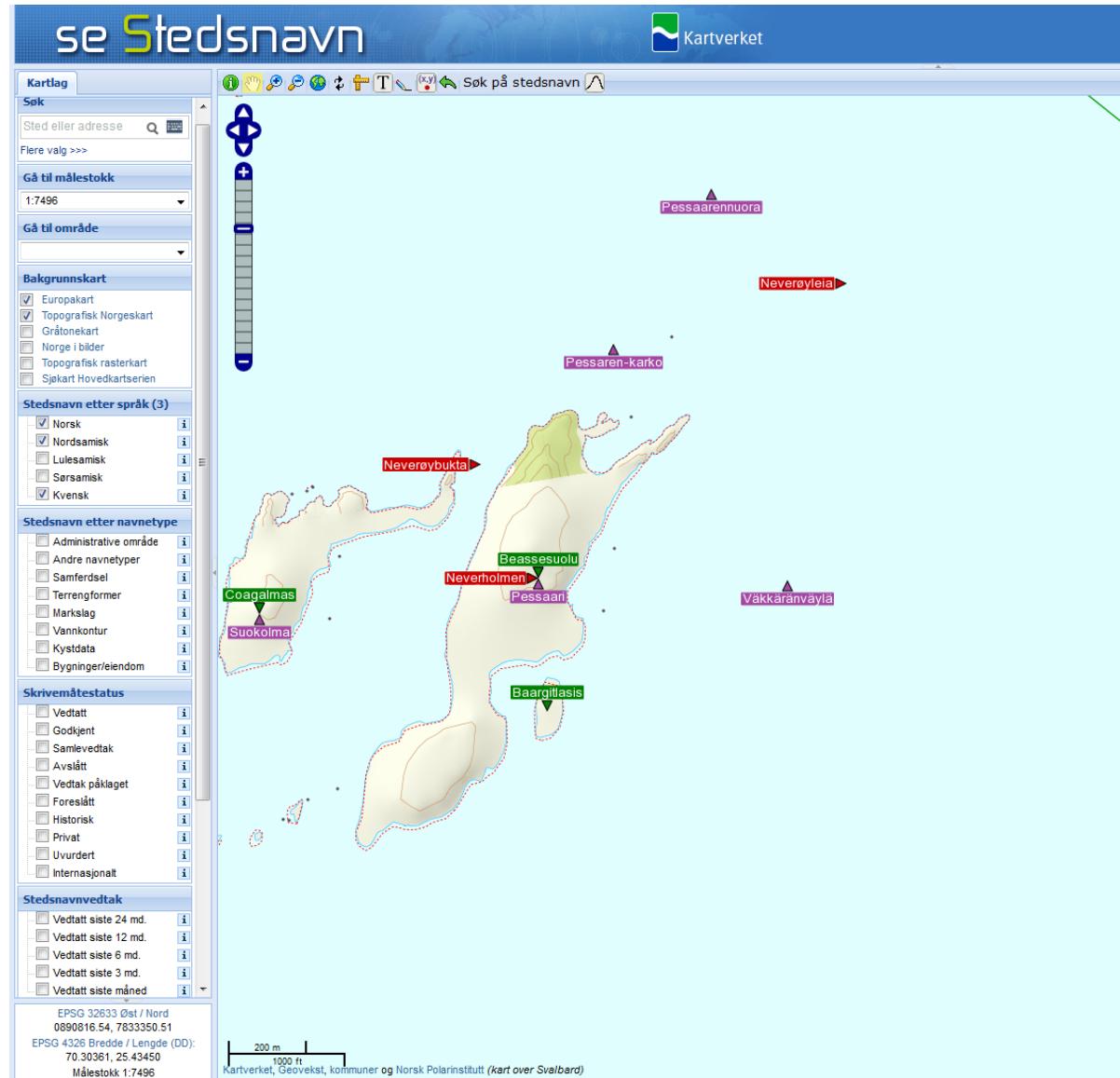
# Place Name Register

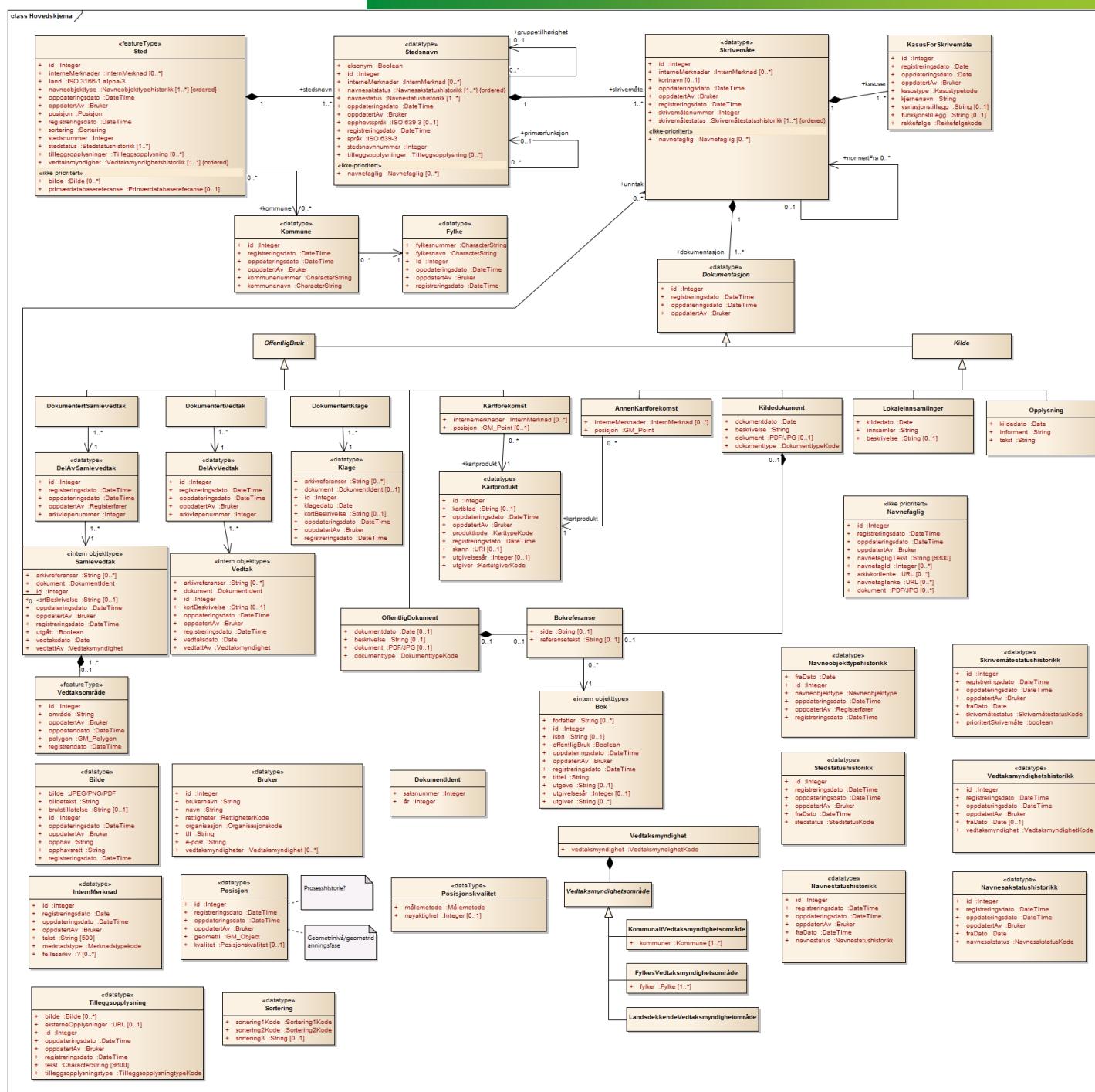
- We have a register built in the middle of the 90's
- About 964 000 name units with 1 135 000 spellings and placed on 2 071 000 occurrences.
- ISO 8859-10 to UTF 8



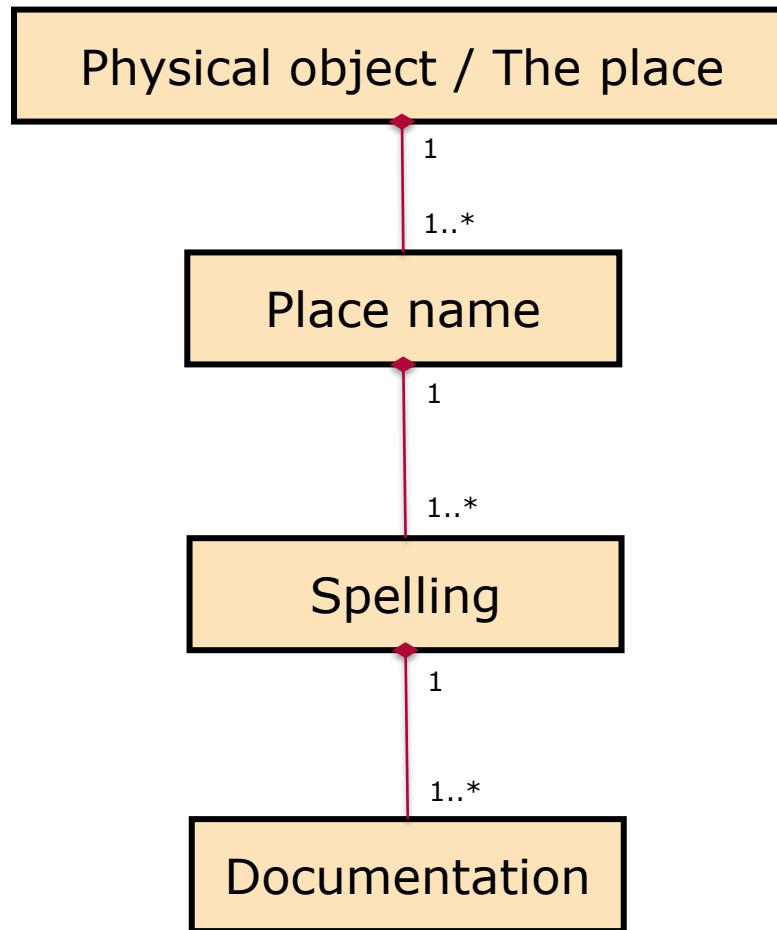
# Place names on the Internet

- Place names free of charge.
- Release of Internett application
- <http://kart.statkart.no/ssr>





# Database simplified

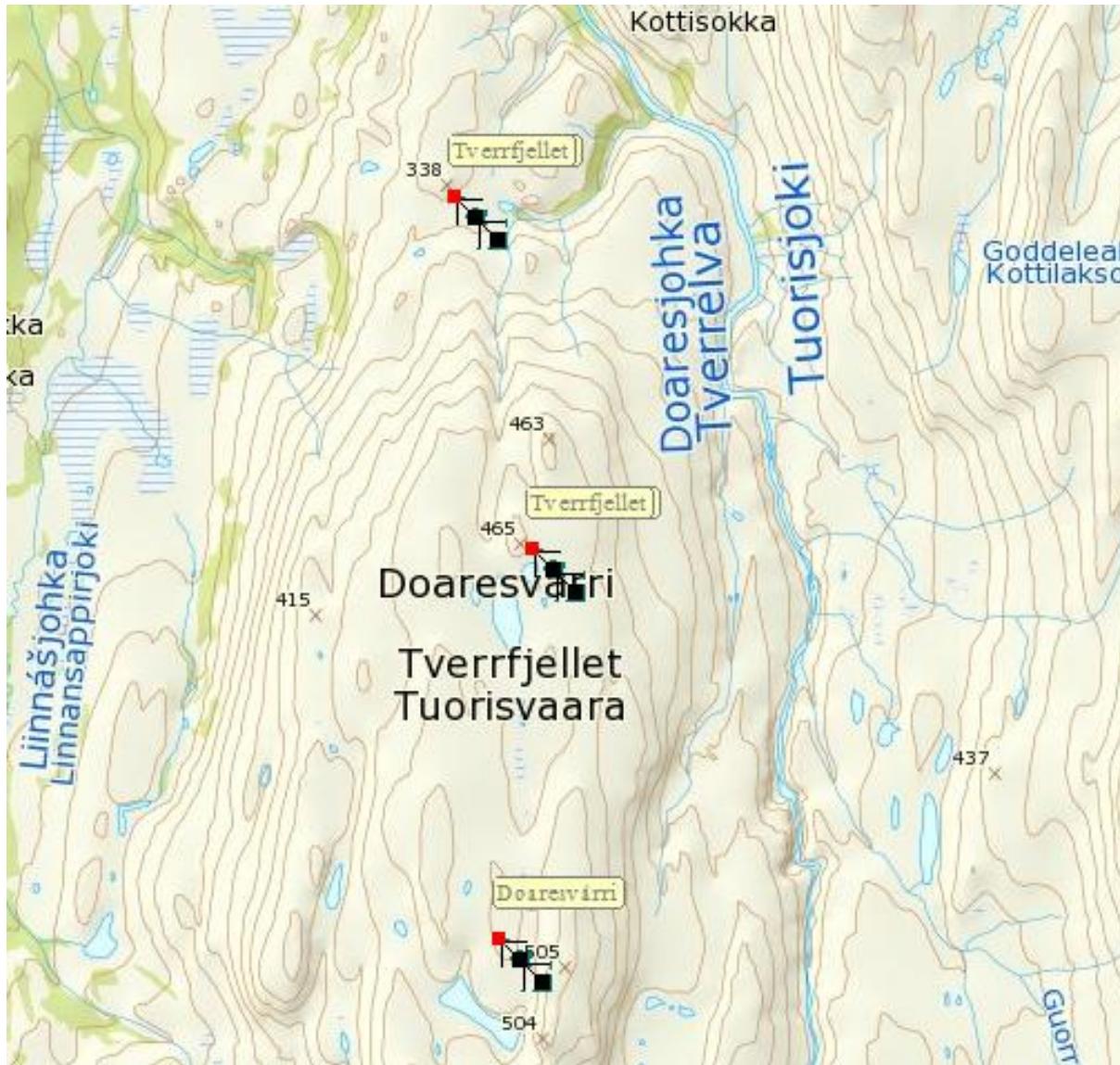


# Physical object / The place

- Position and the geometry
- Object type
- Authority that make the decision
- Administrative unit
- Land
- Status of the place
- Sorting

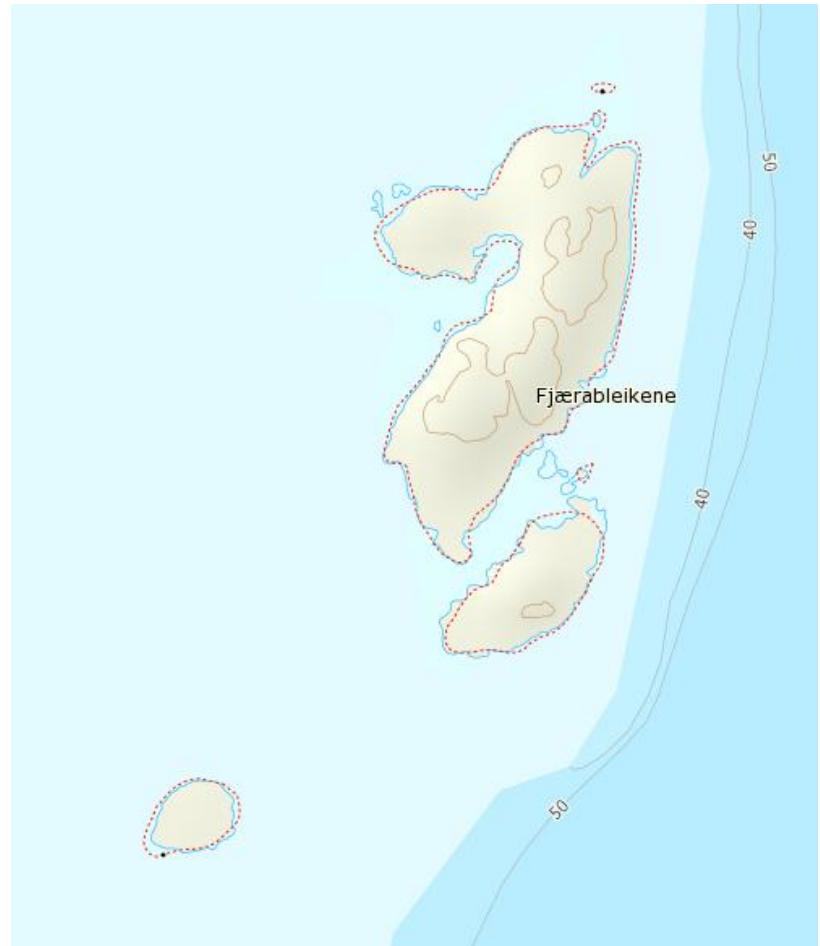


# Generating objects



# Place name

- Language
- Language of origin
- Status of the name
- Status if the name is treated by the place name act
- Primary function
- Pointer to geographic groups



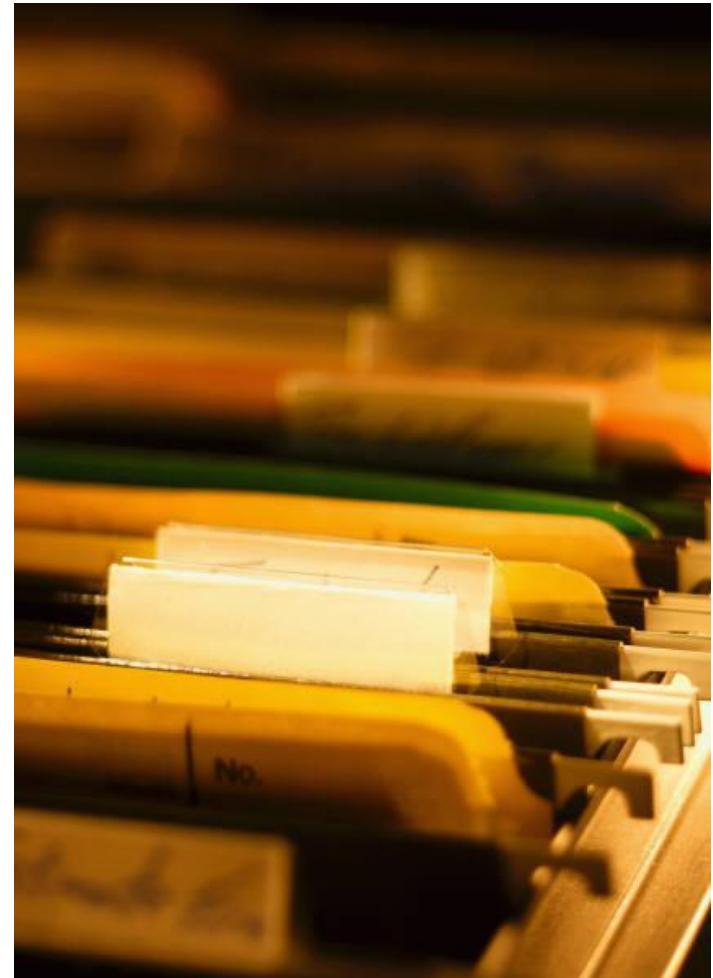
# Spelling

- Status of the spelling
- Spelling
  - Main name
  - Variations
  - Function
- Case

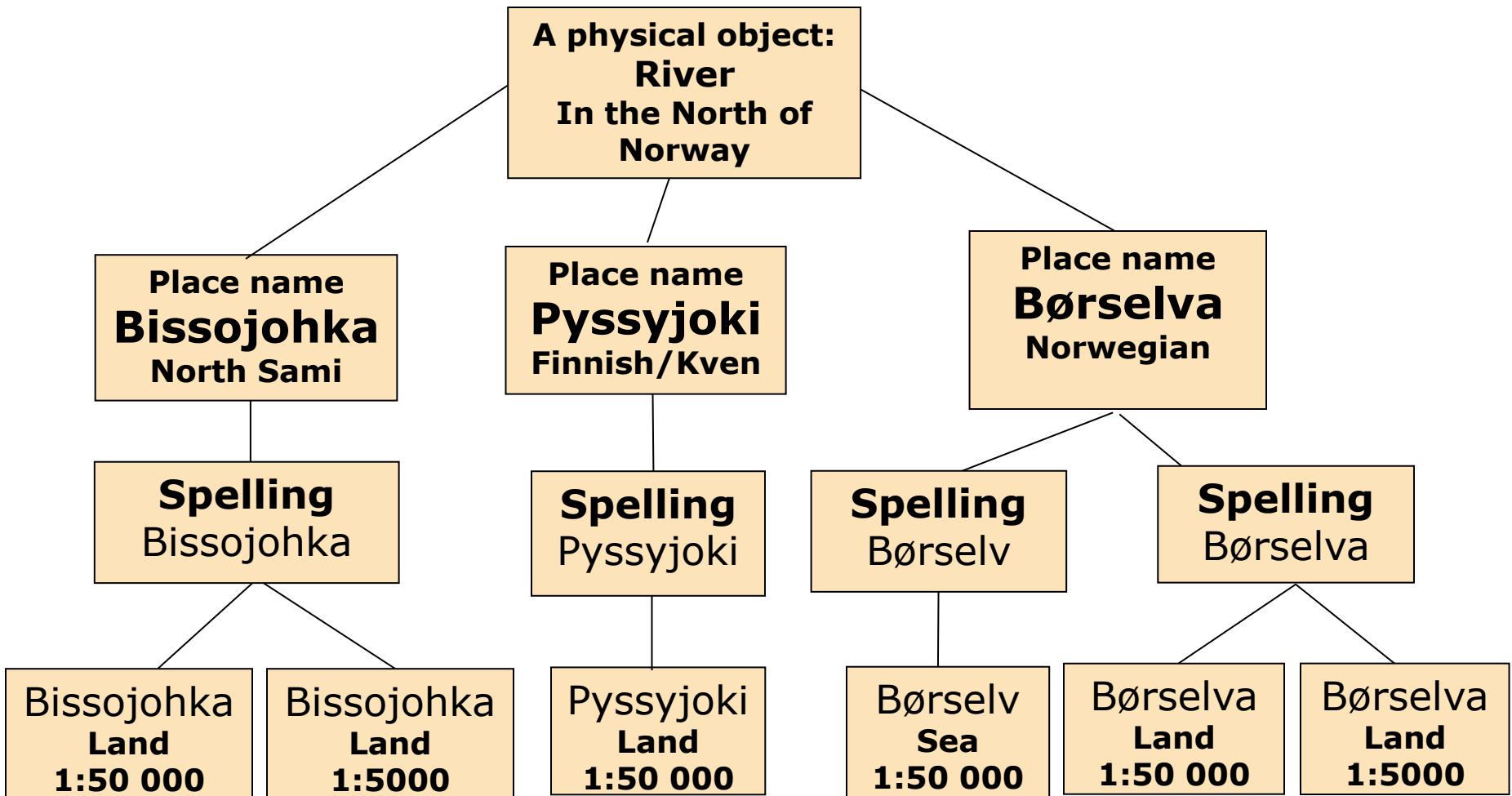


# Documentation

- Official use:
  - Documents
  - Books
  - Registers
  - Maps
  - Determination by the place name act
- Sources:
  - Documents
  - Books
  - Map Manus
  - Local collections



# Example



# Java web start technology

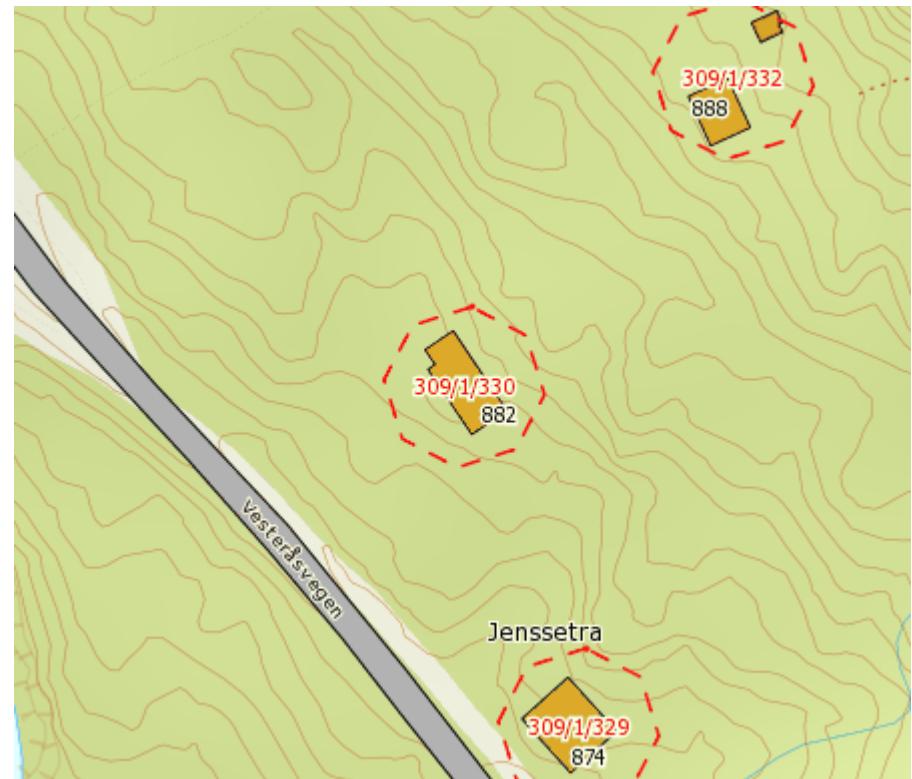
- URL
- Link to Java web start application
- Web services – WMS, WFS, WS and an API for changes done in the database.
- Logical check related to the law.



The screenshot shows a web page from Statens Kartverk. At the top, there's a blue header bar with the logo and the text "STATENS KARTVERK". Below the header, the page title is "Versjon 2.10 av Matrikksystemet Produksjon". A main text block says: "Matrikksystemet er Norges offisielle eiendomsregister. For mer informasjon om matrikkelen og ny funksjonalitet i denne versjonen, se [www.matrikkelen.no](#)". It also mentions "Se [informasjon om denne versjonen](#)". Below this, it lists "Statens kartverk har utviklet følgende hovedkomponenter:" followed by a bulleted list: "Sentral matrikeltjener og -database", "Klient for oppdatering av matrikkelen", and "Overføring av data mellom eksterne registre og matrikkelen". To the right, there's a sidebar titled "Status" with the message "Status OK. NB! Kjent feil i Java, se [driftsmeldinger](#). Denne feilen trenger ikke rapporteres inn lenger." At the bottom, there are links for "Veiledning til matrikkelen/matrikkellov", "Glemt passord?", "Klikk her for å starte Matrikkelklienten i Java 6 eller 7. [\(Mer informasjon\)](#)", "Klikk her for å starte Matrikkelklienten i Java 6 eller 7, med mer minne tilgjengelig! [\(Mer informasjon\)](#)", and a note "OBS! Anbefalte Javaversjon er Java 7 update 7 eller høyere. Klikk her for [installasjonsveiviser](#)".

# The challenge of merging names from the cadastre

- Farm names from the cadastre
- Address names
  - Geometry from the road database



# Enlargement to include local and academic collections

- In the future we plan to include local collections and collections from the universities.
- Attributes that are not known to us.
- Linguistic expression and audio files.
  - "lih-<sup>1/2</sup>fɑ:a:tɔ:ære?
- The object type.
- Manual data registering of local collections.
- Understanding the map. Where are the place names written and where is the position of the object?

# Thank you!