# An Open Data enterprise Geolytix

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# Open Data Derived Analytical Datasets

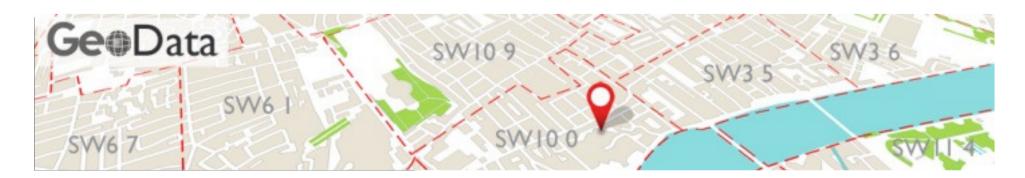
# GeoLytix

- GeoLytix formed in 2011
  - Specialist data products, bespoke modelling and development services
  - Current team of five
  - Blair Freebairn
    - Head of UK analytics team at Pitney Bowes, building models for UK retailers for 15 years
  - Sarah Hitchcock
    - Head of Sainsbury's Location planning team, worked across analytic & location planning
  - Neil Farricker
    - Modeller for the Co-op, senior modeller for Pitney Bowes
  - Since 2011 focus has been on site research for retailers, particularly grocers.
     Looking to expand over next few years.



# Our Open Data Business Model

- All datasets based on Open Data
  - Avoid complicated licensing
  - Keep costs down so pricing is competitive
  - Often the best data available
- Charge for value-add analysis rather than the data itself
- Price points aimed at a level where it would cost you more to do the processing
- Our Open Data Vision we released Open Data ourselves
- Our aim is to keep pricing and licensing as simple and transparent as possible



# A brief intermission....

**Robert Barr** 

# The Open Data Landscape

- Information Commissioner's Office
  - Data Protection
  - Freedom Of Information
- APPSI (OPSI)
  - The Advisory Panel on Public Sector Information
  - The Office of Public Sector Information
    - The National Archives Ministry of justice



# The Open Data Landscape

- Open Data White Paper
  - Transparency Board
  - Open Data User Group
  - Open Data Institute
- Representative organisations
  - e.g. Association for Geographic Information
- Added Value Open Data enterprises
  - Elgin
  - Geolytix
  - Registry Trust



# The Open Data Landscape

- Open Data Volunteers
  - Volunteered Geographic Information
  - e.g. Open Street Map
- Open Big Data
  - Social Media Feeds e.g.
    - Geo-referenced Twitter posts



# The Open Data economy

- Closed data
  - Exists but no one other than owners allowed to use it
  - Personal Data
- Walled Garden
  - e.g. PSMA
- 'Open' Data
  - Available from monopoly supplier at their selected price point or 'what the market will bear'
  - Available from monopoly supplier



# The Open Data economy

- Open data competitive market
  - Raw data freely available
  - Value added available free or charged
- 'Open' Data
  - Share alike
  - No commercial use



# The Open Data economy

- 'Open' Data
  - Attribution restrictions
- OPEN DATA
  - public domain
  - as is
  - Just use it!



# An Open Data Timeline

• 1979 Rayner Review

To create an (internal) market in

**Government Information** 

• 1980s Tradable Information Initiative

• 1990s Trading Funds

2000 Crown Copyright Review

2009 Ordnance Survey Open Data

2011 Open Data White Paper



# Open Data White Paper

Unleashing the Potential

#### #opendata

- @uktransparency
- @cabinetofficeuk

# And back to Geolytix....

Blair Freebairn

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Business Universe
Companies House

Major Sprawls
Small Sprawls

Locales

Standard Gazetteer
Transport Gazetteer

GeoLytix Places

House Prices Listed Buildings Retail Places Points
Retail Places Boundaries

Retail Places Street View

Retail Places Pitch

Hospitals

Heritage Sites

Police Stations

Place of Worship

Sport/Leisure Site

University & FE Colleges

Sport Stadia

Post Offices

Post Box

Schools

Cartogram - Output Area

Cartogram - Parliamentary

Cartogram - Postal District

Cartogram - County

Cartogram - Sea

Cartogram - Land

Cartogram - Motorway

Cartogram - Sprawls

Output Area

Wards

Output Area Point

Lower Super Output Area

Middle Super Output Area

Local Government Boundaries

Best-fit 'Traditional' Counties

Regions

Education/Health/Police

Codepoint Open

Postal Area Regions & Points

Postal District Regions & Points

Postal Sectors Regions & Points

Voronoi Postal Sector Regions

Out of Sector' postcodes
Non-Geographic Sectors

OAC 2001 OAC 2013 Census 2001 Base Pack

Census 2011 Base Pack
Census 2011 Full PacK

Coastline

Foreshore

Sea

Land

Beach

OS 100km Grid

OS 10km Grid

OS Variable Grid

Vector Map District

Street View

1:250K Miniscale Woodland

Buildings

Open Water

50m Contours

River Line

10m Contours

Summits

Motorway Junction Points
Motorway Service Areas

Car Parks

Roundabouts

Traffic Count Points

Traffic Count Network

Accident Points

Motorway

Primary

A Road B Road

Minor Road

Local Street
Private Road

Pedestrianised Road

Routable Network

Rail Lines

Rail Stations

Non National Rail Stations

Underground Stations

Airports

Electricity Transmission Lines

Coach Hubs

Ferry Ports

Light Rail Stations

Bus Stops

Metro Access Points

Rail Stations Volumes

Underground Stations Volumes

# Data Inventory

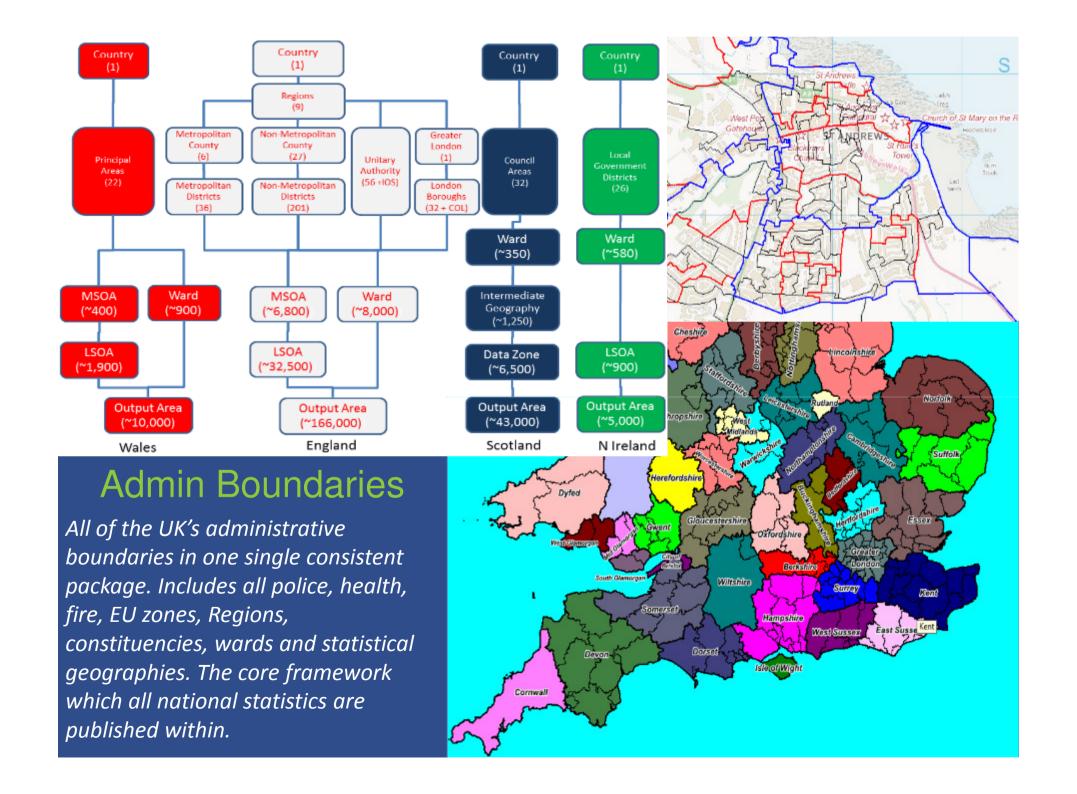
- 1. Retail Places
- 2. Sprawls and Locales
- 3. Public Transport
- 4. Admin Boundaries
- Postal Boundaries
- 6. Physical Geography
- 7. Land Use
- 8. Property Data including Prices
- 9. Business Data
- 10. Demographics
- 11. Health Points of Interest (POI)
- 12. Education Points of Interest (POI)
- 13. Law and Order Points of Interest (POI)
- 14. General Points of Interest (POI)
- 15. Demand Estimates
- 16. UK Expenditure Cartogram
- 17. Road Network for Routing
- 18. Detailed Road Network & Road Points of Interest
- 19. Map back clothes
- 20. Road Volumes, Speeds and Accidents

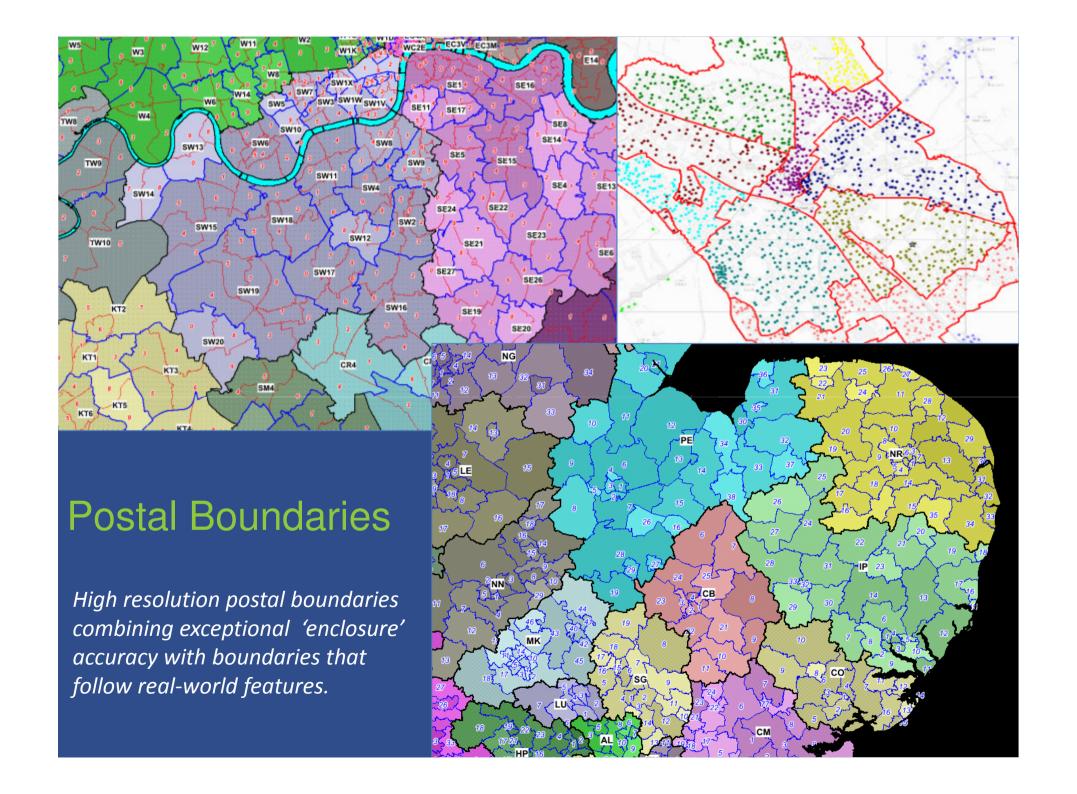


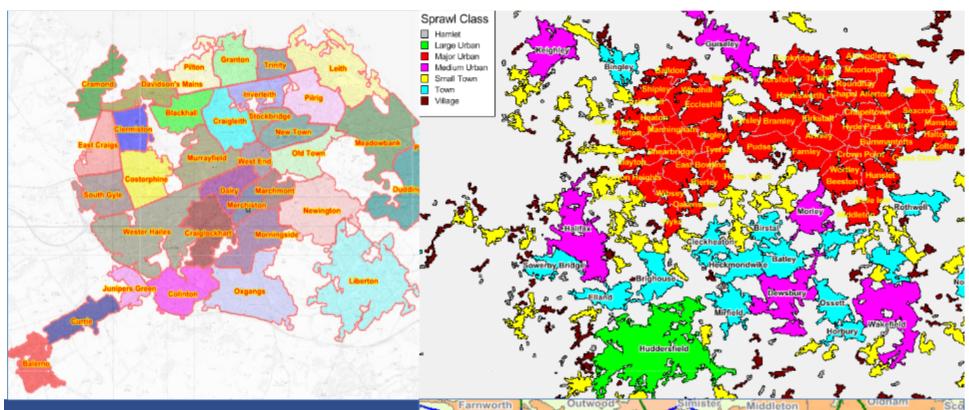
### Benefits

- Full data in your hands to exploit as you see fit
- Standards enforced throughout
- Official URI's to <u>allow linking</u> to external sources
- Built using the <u>latest 2013</u> source data
- Full <u>documentation</u> including data dictionaries
- Rolling <u>updates</u> and <u>enhancements</u>
- Minimal restrictions on use cases





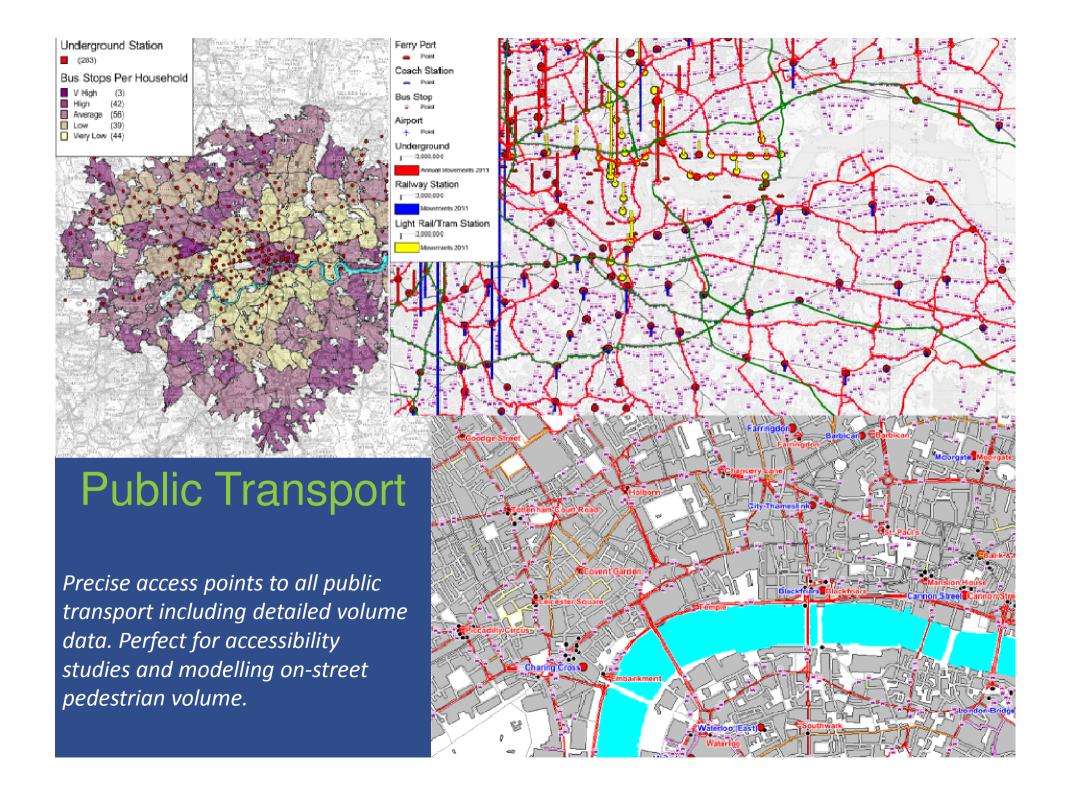


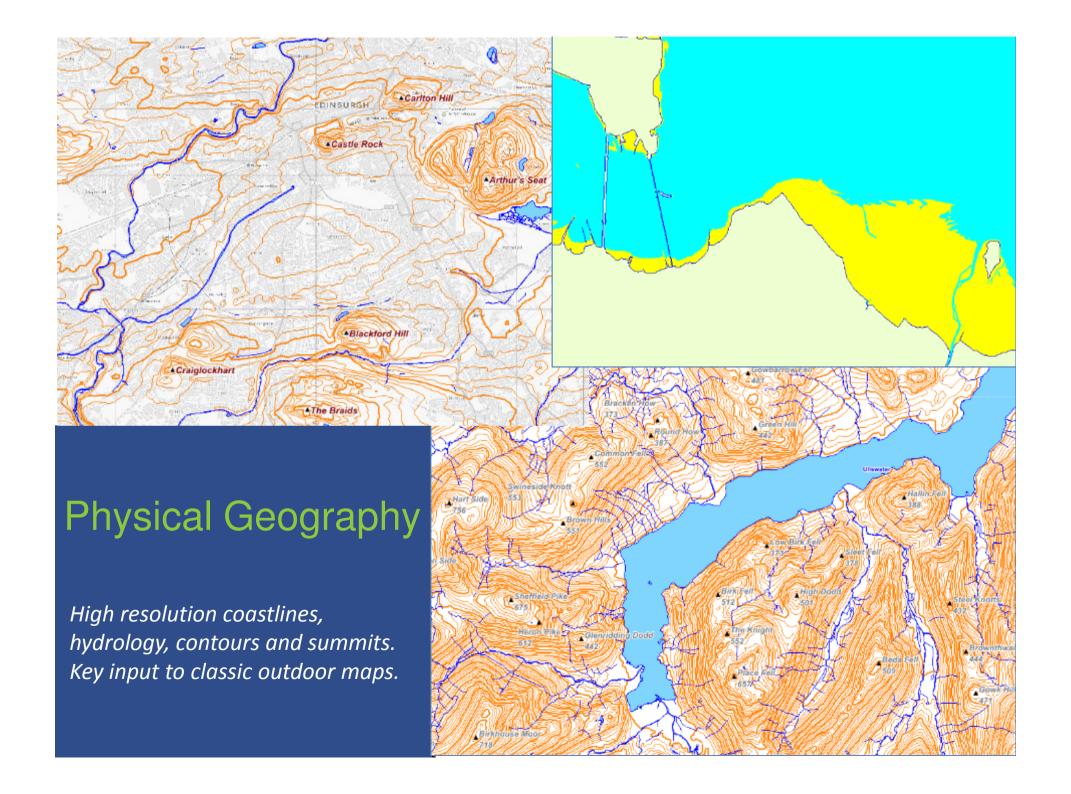


## Sprawls and Suburbs

A precise and intuitive set of named 'places' across the UK richly attributed with data. Ideal base for UK wide analytics and benchmarking



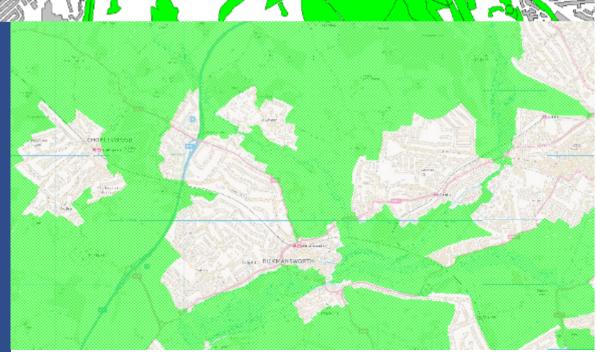


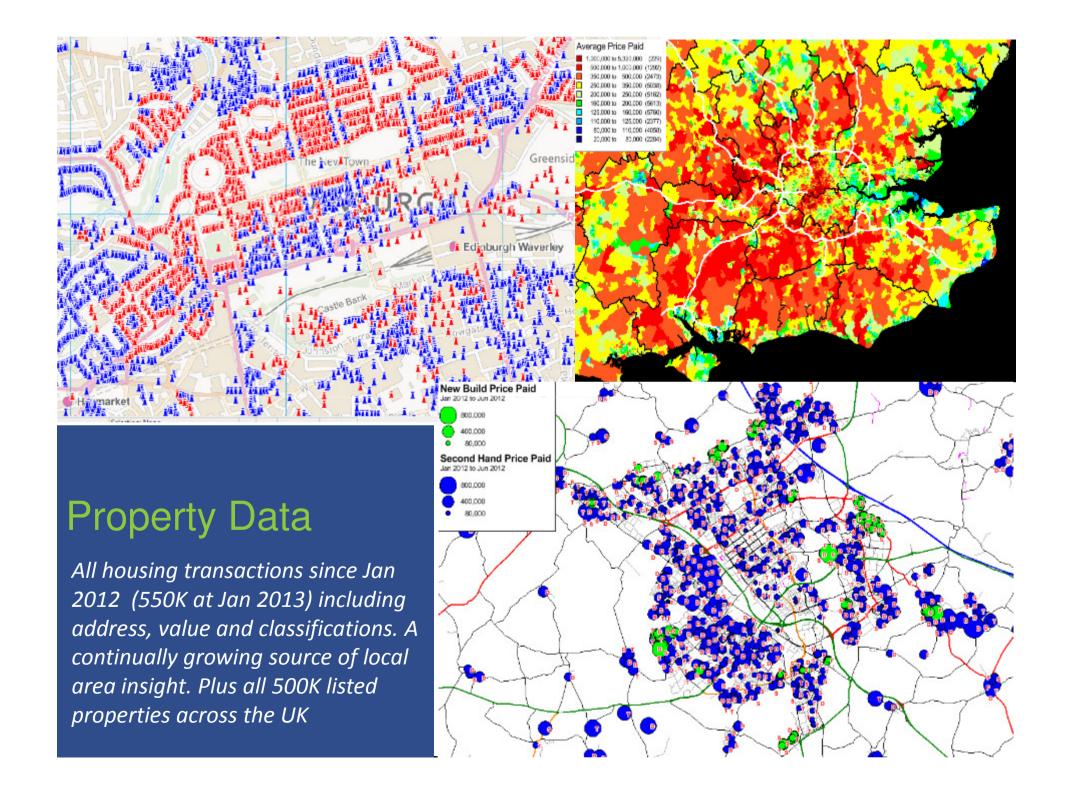


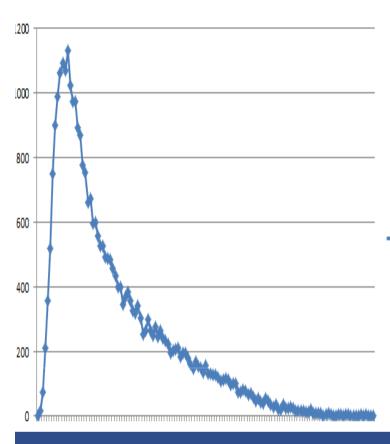


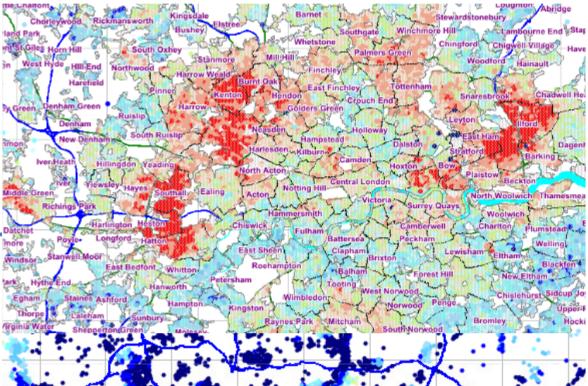
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Generalised building outlines and woodlands. Includes national parks, and official Green Belt boundaries.



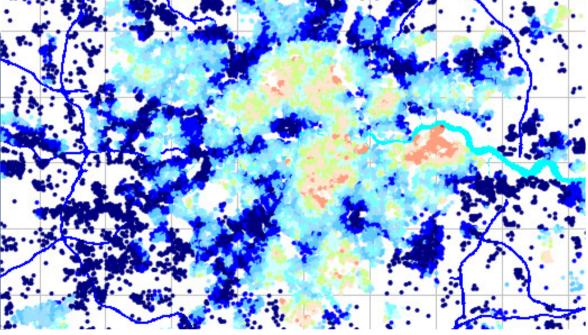


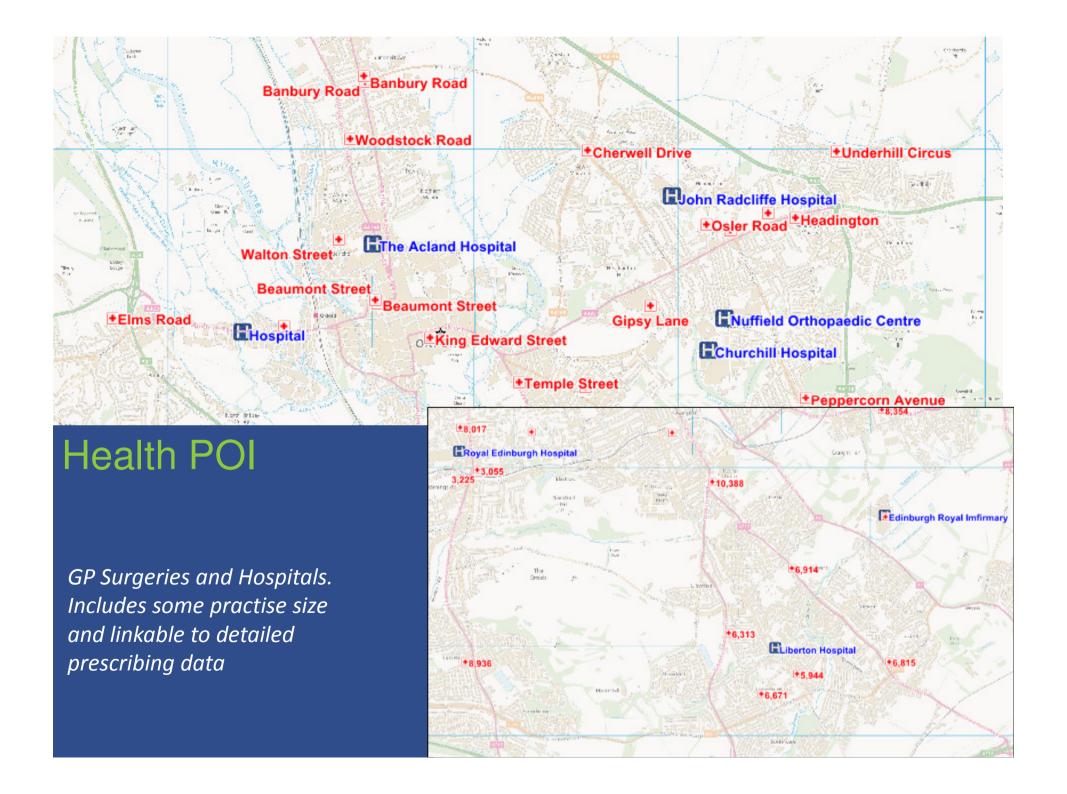


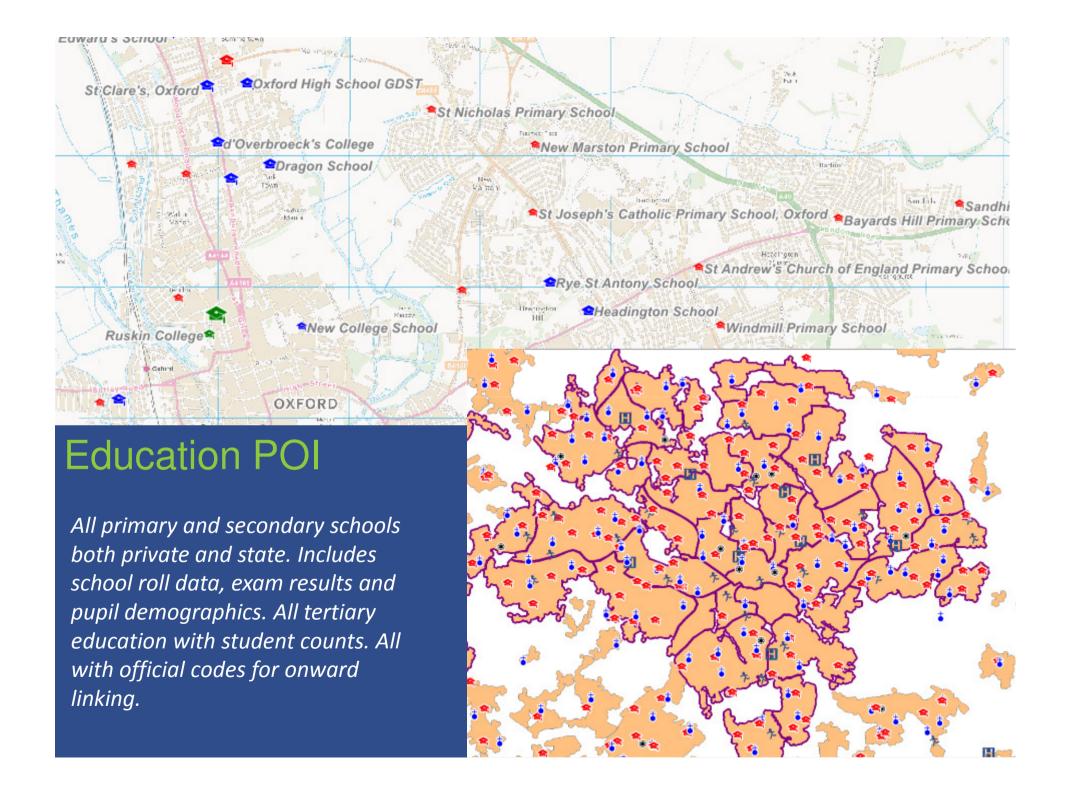


## Demographics

Core 2001 and 2011 Census data. Income and wealth estimates. Lifestage, ethnicity, health. Geodemographic codes and household characteristics.

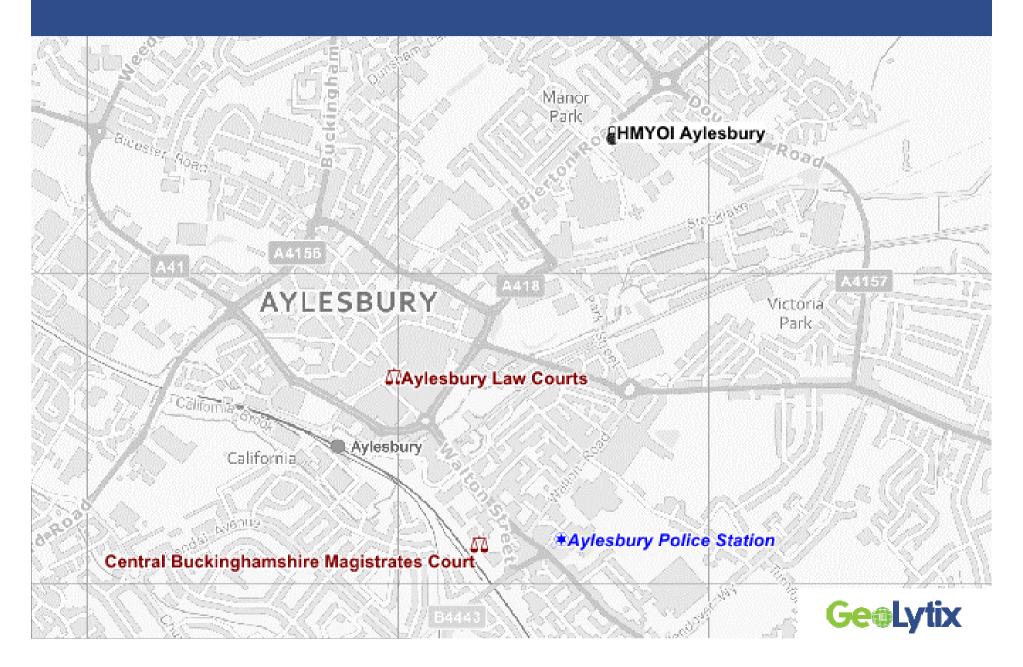


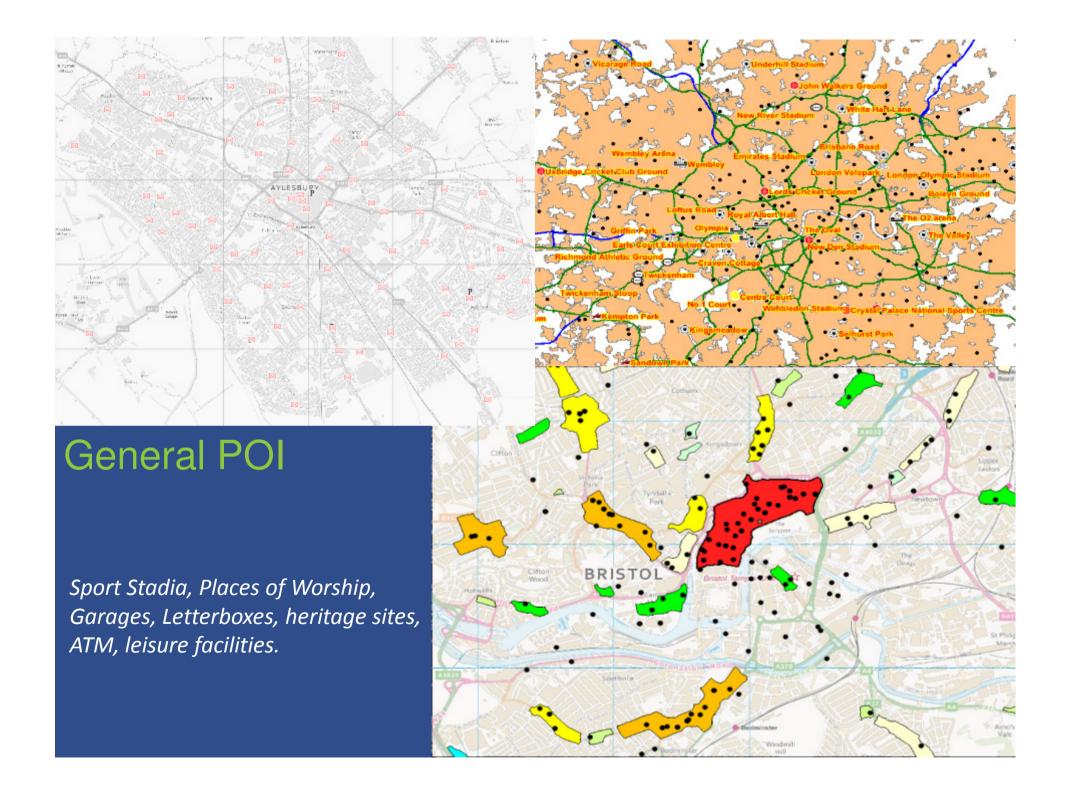


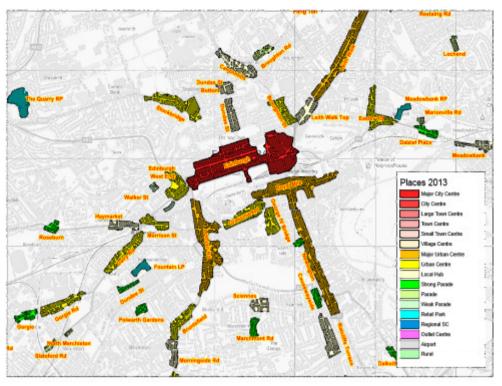


### Law & Order POI

# Police stations, courts and prisons. Point level crime data

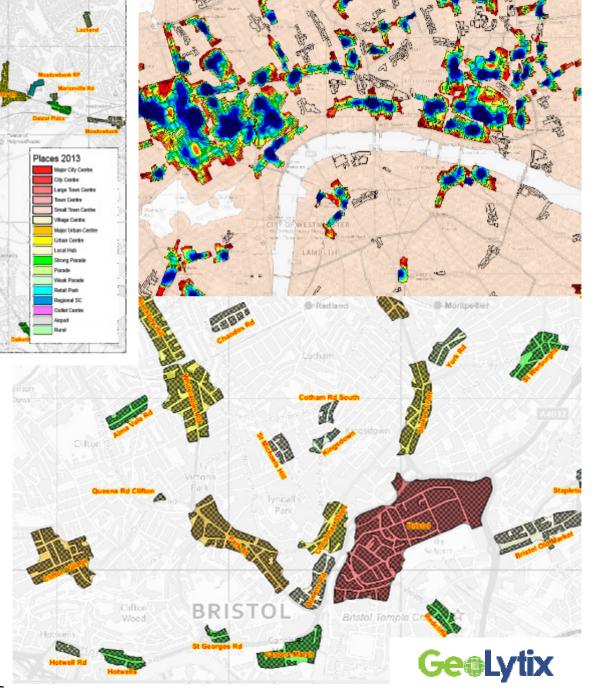






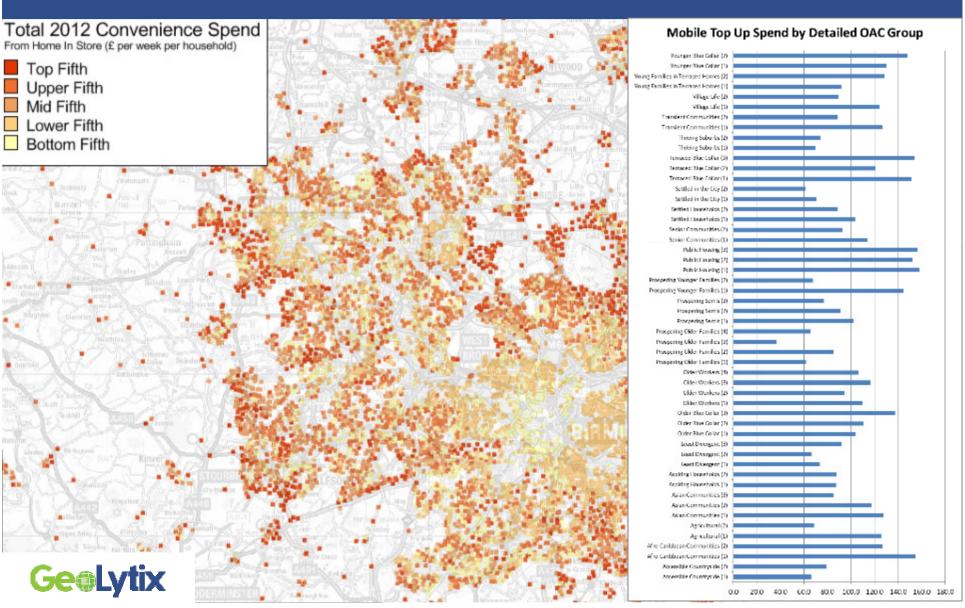
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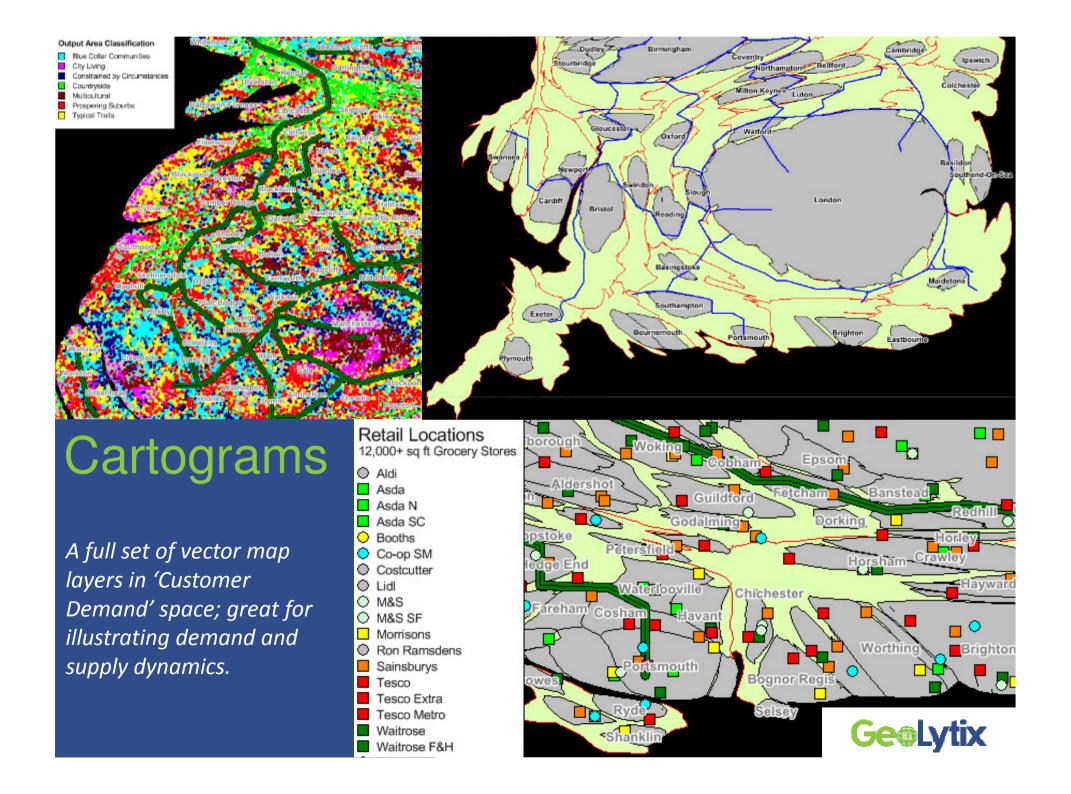
Fifteen thousand scored, profiled and named polygons detailing where people shop in the UK, and catchment area demographics.
Pitch for larger centres also available

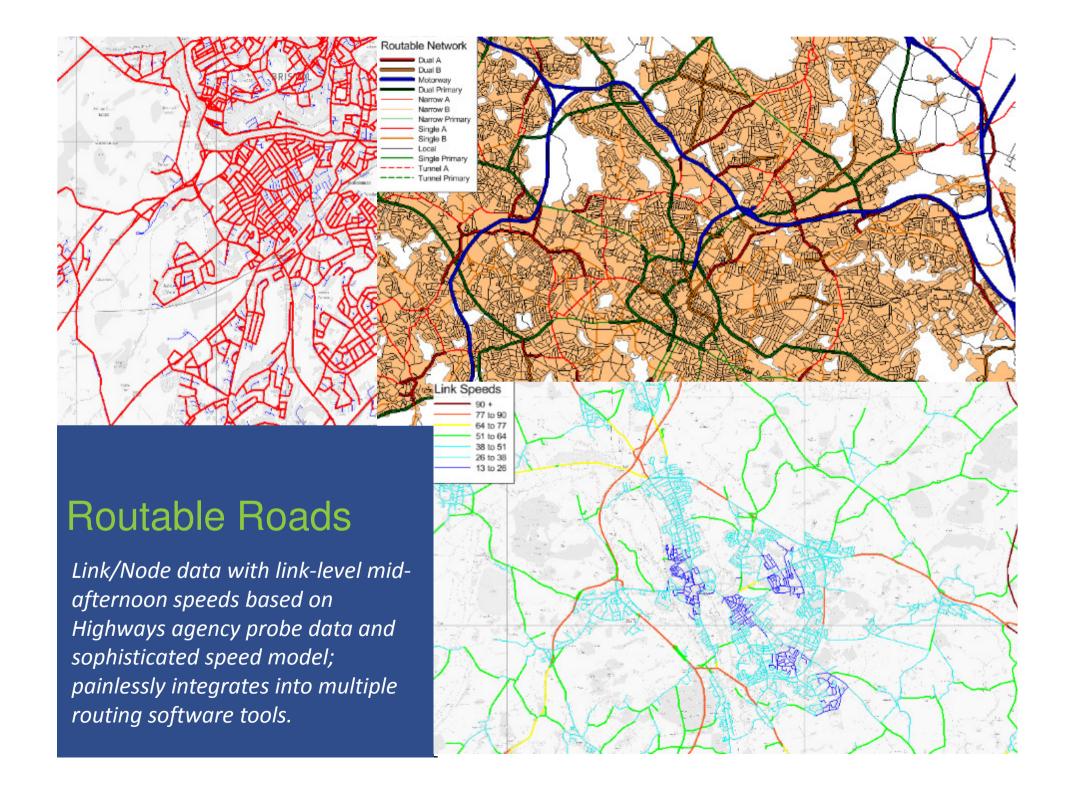


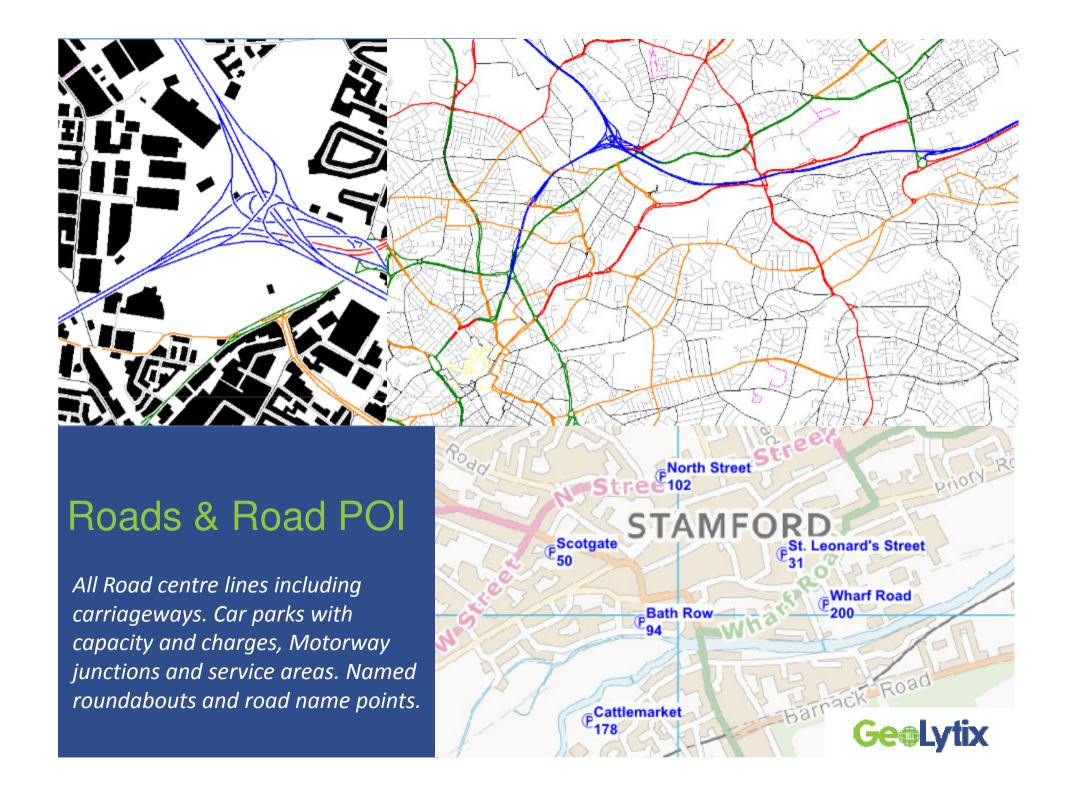
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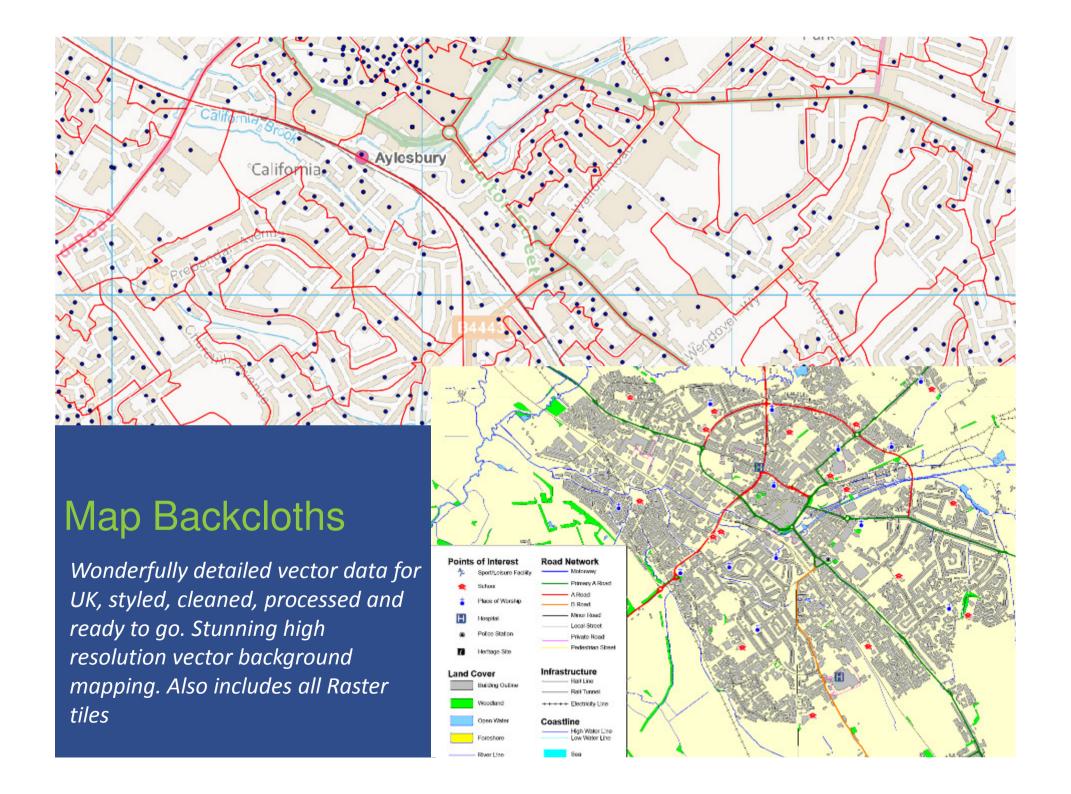
Top level spend on comparison and convenience goods in store, online and from work; plus six demand layers customised to current market needs.

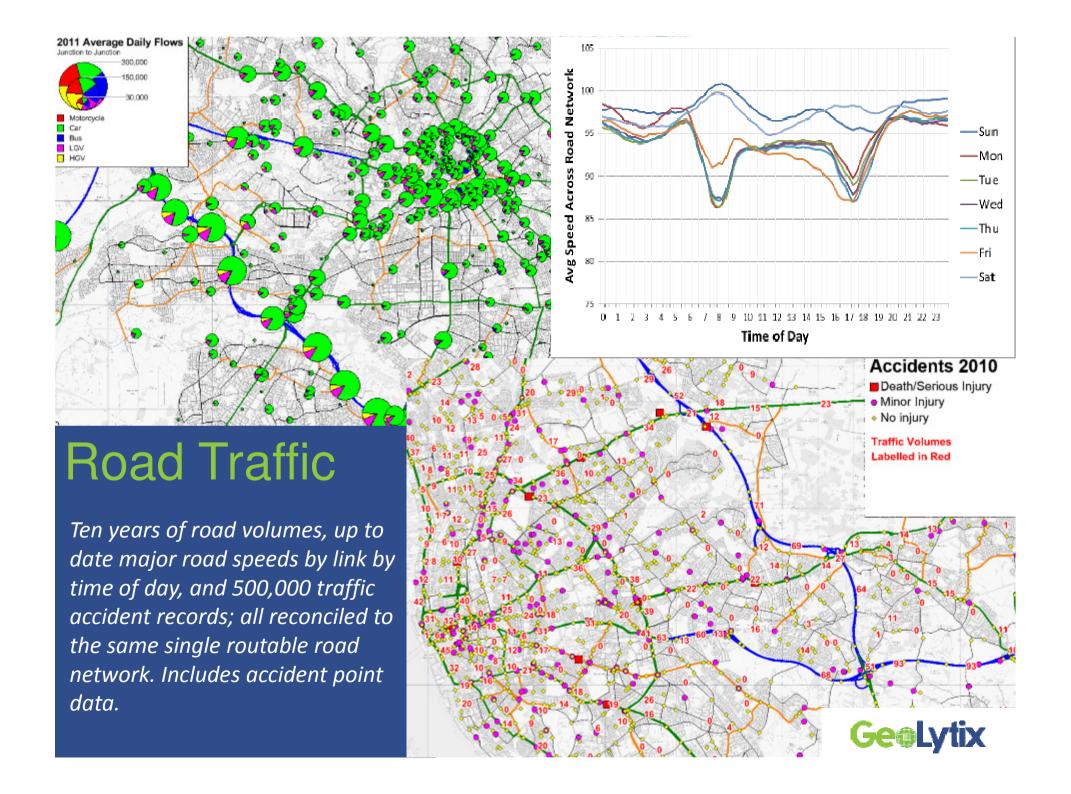












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