# geomcompare Documentation

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### CHAPTER

# ONE

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# 1.1 GeomCompare

Compare two sets of geometrical features.

*GeomCompare* provides multiple tools for comparing two independant sets of geometrical features. It can be used to identify features with similar geometry (based on pre-defined similarity functions) found in both sets, as well features with geometry that are found in only one of the sets. *GeomCompare* defines a few similarity functions, but it possible for the user to define its own customized similarity functions.

# 1.1.1 Installation

#### **Requirements**

*GeomCompare* requires Python >= 3.9.

In addition, for a fully fledged installation of *GeomCompare* and to have access to all functionalities provided by the library, the user need to install the following:

- shapely
- numpy
- psycopg2
- rtree
- pyproj
- gdal (core libraries and Python bindings)
- spatialite

Note: mod\_spatialite must be installed and accessible from sqlite3:

```
import sqlite3
conn = sqlite3.connect(":memory:")
conn.enable_load_extension(True)
conn.load_extension("mod_spatialite")
```

#### PIP

If you use pip, you can install GeomCompare with:

```
pip install geomcompare
```

## 1.1.2 Docker

A Docker image for GeomCompare is also available on DockerHub:

• Run the geomcompare image and start an iPython session inside the container:

docker run -it mtachon/geomcompare

• Run the geomcompare image, and mount the current directory into the *data* folder of the container:

```
docker run --entrypoint bash -v `pwd`:/data -w /data -it mtachon/geomcompare
```

For more information on *Docker* and command-line arguments, see: https://docs.docker.com/ and https://docs.docker. com/engine/reference/run/.

# 1.2 Getting started

If you have not installed GeomCompare yet, you can follow the installation instructions.

### 1.2.1 Input/Output

#### Load a geometry dataset from disk

Load geometrical features from a Shapefile:

```
from geomcompare.io import extract_geoms_from_file
filename = "/path/to/my/file.shp"
# The names of supported OGR/GDAL drivers for opening files with
# geometrical features are listed in
# https://gdal.org/drivers/vector/index.html
driver_name = "ESRI Shapefile" # driver name for opening shapefiles
# Get an iterator of the geometries
geoms = extract_geoms_from_file(filename, driver_name)
# Note: the file will only be closed after the
# "extract_geoms_from_file" has yielded the last geometry.
# If you intend to iterate through "geoms" multiple times, you can
# store the geometries in a list instead
geoms_list = list(geoms) # now the file is closed
```

Filtering the extracted geometrical features:

```
from geomcompare.io import extract_geoms_from_file, LayerFilter
filename = "/path/to/my/file.json"
driver_name = "GeoJSON"
# Extract only geometrical features from the layer "my_lyr"
geoms_my_lyr = extract_geoms_from_file(
    filename=filename,
    driver_name=driver_name,
    layers=["my_lyr"],
)
# Extract only the first 10 geometrical features from the layer
# "my_lyr"
lyr_filter = LayerFilter(fids=list(range(10)))
geoms_my_lyr_10 = extract_geoms_from_file(
    filename=filename,
    driver name=driver name.
    layers=["my_lyr"],
    layer_filters=[lyr_filter],
)
# Area of interest
aoi = list(
    extract_geoms_from_file("/path/to/aoi_poly.shp", "ESRI Shapefile")
)[0](
# Extract features from the layer "large_lyr" that are within the
# aoi polygon, as well as all features from other layers
lyr_filter = LayerFilter(layer_id="large_lyr", aoi=aoi)
filtered_geoms = extract_geoms_from_file(
    filename=filename,
    driver_name=driver_name,
    layer_filters=[lyr_filter],
)
# Extract only features which "distance" attribute is inferior to
# 1000
lyr_filter = LayerFilter(attr_filter="distance < 1000")</pre>
geoms_dist_inf_1000 = extract_geoms_from_file(
    filename=filename,
    driver_name=driver_name.
    layer_filters=[lyr_filter],
)
```

Load a geometry dataset from a PostGIS database

```
from geomcompare.io import fetch_geoms_from_pg, ConnectionParameters, SchemaTableColumn
# Pass the correct values to keyword parameters
conn_params = ConnectionParameters(
   host="host_name",
   dbname="db_name",
   user="my_user",
   password="my_pwd",
   port=5432,
)
# Using some fictive database layout
geoms_location = SchemaTableColumn(
    schema="building".
   table="public",
   column="geom",
)
# Open a connection to the database and get an iterator of the
# geometries. The connection stays opened until the function has
# yielded the last geometry at that location in the database.
geoms = fetch_geoms_from_pg(
    conn_params=conn_params, geoms_col_loc=geoms_location,
)
# Store the geometries in a list and close the connection.
geoms_list = list(geoms)
# Get the same geometries, but this time using the "sql_query"
# parameter instead of the "geoms_col_loc" parameter. Any SQL query
# which return geometrical features can be passed as argument.
geoms_list = list(fetch_geoms_from_pg(
    conn_params=conn_params,
    sql_query="SELECT geom FROM building.public;",
))
# Area of interest
aoi = list(
   extract_geoms_from_file("/path/to/aoi_poly.shp", "ESRI Shapefile")
)[0](
# Get an iterator of the geometries from the same geometry column,
# but only those which lie within the aoi polygon. The
# "output_epsg" parameter can be use to reproject the geometries to
# the wanted spatial reference system.
geoms = fetch_geoms_from_pg(
   conn_params=conn_params,
   geoms_col_loc=geoms_location,
   aoi=aoi,
   output_epsg=25833,
)
```

#### Write a geometry dataset to disk

**Warning:** When writing to disk, *GeomCompare* assumes that all geometrical features have the same geometry type. *write\_geoms\_to\_file()* will not check for geometry type homogeneity and will instead throw an error if the features have different geometry types. If the features have different geometry types, you can still group them into multiple datasets of homogeneous geometry type, and write these datasets to the same file on different layers, if the data format supports it, as shown below.

Write a list of geometrical features to Shapefile:

```
from geomcompare.io import write_geoms_to_file
filename = "/path/to/output/file.shp"
driver_name = "ESRI Shapefile"
# "geoms_list" is our list of geometrical features
write_geoms_to_file(
    filename=filename,
    driver_name=driver_name,
    geoms_iter=geoms_list,
    geoms_epsg=4326, # not required, but good practice if available
)
```

Write two datasets with different geometry types to the same GeoPackage file:

```
from geomcompare.io import write_geoms_to_file
filename = "/path/to/output/file.gpkg"
driver_name = "GPKG"
write_geoms_to_file(
    filename=filename,
   driver_name=driver_name,
   geoms_iter=points_list,
   geoms_epsg=25833,
   layer="my_point_layer",
)
write_geoms_to_file(
   filename=filename,
   driver_name=driver_name,
   geoms_iter=polygons_list,
   geoms_epsg=4326,
   layer="my_polygon_layer",
   mode="update",
)
```

**Note:** If the geoms\_epsg parameter is given, and the layer where the geometrical features are to be written on has a different Spatial Reference System, the geometries' coordinates will be re-projected on-the-fly.

# 1.2.2 Comparing datasets

GeomCompare provides three main classes that can be used to compare two datasets of geometrical features:

- SQLiteGeomRefDB
- PostGISGeomRefDB
- RtreeGeomRefDB

These classes present an interface to store or give access to a *reference* dataset/database of geometrical features, to which a *test* dataset can be compared. Instances of these classes present a similar API, but they all have pros and cons when compared against each others. Presently, the class *SQLiteGeomRefDB* gives more flexibility to the user and will therefore be used in the following examples.

### Comparison of two geometries

The main classes provided by *GeomCompare* delegates the comparison of two geometrical features to an external function. This can be a user-defined function, or one of the few comparison functions provided by *GeomCompare*. These functions' signature must match the following template:

comparison\_function(gtest, gref) -> bool

where the first positional argument gtest is the *test* geometry (shapely geometrical object), and where the second positional argument gref is the *reference* geometry. If the comparison function finds that the input geometries are similar, it must return True. It must return False for different geometries.

```
from shapely.geometry import Polygon
from geomcompare.comparefunc import polygons_area_match
# The dispatch function "polygons_area_match" is not itself a
# comparison function, but it returns comparison functions with the
# right signature instead. The way the returned function compare
# two geometries depends on the values passed as arguments to
# "polygons_area_match".
# Use Intersection over Union metric for comparison
strategy = "IoU"
threshold = 0.7
comparison_f = polygons_area_match(strategy, threshold)
# Reference polygon
poly_ref = Polygon(((0, 0), (1, 0), (1, 1), (0, 1)))
# Test polygons
poly_test1 = Polygon(((0, 0), (0.5, 0), (0.5, 1), (0, 1)))
poly_test2 = Polygon(((0, 0), (0.75, 0), (0.75, 1), (0, 1)))
comparison_f(poly_test1, poly_ref) # returns False: IoU < 0.7</pre>
comparison_f(poly_test1, poly_ref) # returns True: IoU >= 0.7
```

The comparison function will be passed as argument to one of the methods of the main classes' instances to compare *test* and *reference* geometries.

### Managing a reference dataset

The following code examples shows how to manage a *reference* geometry dataset using the *SQLiteGeomRefDB* class. Internally, instances of this class uses a SQLite database (with spatialite extension) to store the *reference* geometries.

Initialize a SQLiteGeomRefDB instance and populate it with geometries:

```
from geomcompare import SQLiteGeomRefDB
# Start with an empty instance.
geomref = SQLiteGeomRefDB()
filename = "/path/to/reference/dataset.shp"
driver_name = "ESRI Shapefile" # driver name for opening shapefiles
# Get an iterator of the reference geometries, let us assume that
# the geometries are polygons.
ref_polys = extract_geoms_from_file(filename, driver_name)
# Add the geometries to the SQLiteGeomRefDB instance.
geomref.add_geometries(
    ref_polys,
    geom_type="Polygon",
    geoms_epsg=25833,
    geoms_tab_name="my_ref_polys",
)
```

The code above instantiates a *SQLiteGeomRefDB* object, which internally creates a SQLite database in *RAM*, and adds *reference* polygons from a *shapefile* to a table named "my\_ref\_polys". As we have created a new database, the geom\_type and parameter of *add\_geometries()* must be passed an argument, since the geometry type is required by *spatialite* when creating a new geometry column in a table of the database. If the *default\_epsg* was not set (either when creating the instance or at least before adding the new geometries), geoms\_epsg (identifying the spatial reference system of the input *reference* geometries) must also be given when calling *add\_geometries()*.

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# 1.5 Changelog

# 1.6 Changelog

# 1.6.1 v0.3.0 (2022-03-22)

### **New Features**

- (SQLiteGeomRefDB): add the get\_geometries method #### Refactorings
- (comparefunc): rename geoms\_always\_match -> \_geoms\_always\_match #### Docs
- change homepage link in README.rst
- add usage section with link to homepage for GitHub repo #### Others
- remove commitizen section from pyproject.toml
- fix setup.cfg so that version can be found
- import tag and metadata from master

Full set of changes: ``v0.2.2...v0.3.0` <https://github.com/kartverket/GeomCompare/compare/v0.2.2...v0.3.0>`\_

# 1.6.2 v0.2.2 (2022-03-18)

#### Refactorings

- prefix a few private variables/functions with an underscore
- Change LayerID from TypeVar to Union.
- Type for shapely geometrical object and reformatting of docstrings #### Docs
- update CHANGELOG.md
- Update the README.rst file
- Add content to getting started page.
- Update auto-generated CHANGELOG.md to fix bad formatted commit msg.
- Add shapely to intersphinx\_mapping
- "geometrical/geographical" -> "geometrical"
- Fixed table of contents #### Others
- Add the Dockerfile to the repo.

# 1.7 geomcompare

# 1.7.1 geomcompare package

### GeomCompare

The Geomcompare package provides multiple tools for comparing two independant sets of geometrical features.

Documentation for *GeomCompare* is available in the form of docstrings provided with the code, as well as on the project's homepage https://geomcompare.readthedocs.io/en/latest/.

### Available submodules

geomrefdb Defines the main classes of the library used for comparing geometry datasets.

- **io** Provides a set of tools for I/O operations, extracting geometrical features from disk or from a PostGIS database, as well as writing a dataset of geometries to disk.
- comparefunc Defines a few comparison functions to use with the geomrefdb's main classes.

geomutils Defines a few functions and types to work with shapely geometrical objects.

stats Defines functions for computing classifier metrics (e.g. when comparing a result dataset from a machine learning model with a reference dataset).

#### **Submodules**

#### geomcompare.comparefunc module

#### geomcompare.geomrefdb module

- class geomcompare.geomrefdb.PostGISGeomRefDB(PG\_params, PG\_schema, PG\_table, PG\_geoms\_column)
  Bases: geomcompare.\_geomrefdb\_abc.GeomRefDB
  - **true\_positives**(*geoms\_iter*, *geoms\_EPSG*, *same\_geoms\_func*) Return an iterable of input geometries that are matching geometries of the GeomRefDB instance.
  - **false\_positives**(*geoms\_iter*, *geoms\_EPSG*, *same\_geoms\_func*) Return an iterable of input geometries that are not matching any geometry of the GeomRefDB instance.
  - **missing\_geometries**(*geoms\_iter*, *AOI\_geom*, *geoms\_EPSG*, *same\_geoms\_func*) Return an iterable of geometries of the GeomRefDB that are not matching any of the input geometries.
- class geomcompare.geomrefdb.RtreeGeomRefDB(geoms\_iter, geoms\_EPSG)
   Bases: geomcompare.\_geomrefdb\_abc.GeomRefDB
  - **true\_positives**(*geoms\_iter*, *geoms\_EPSG*, *same\_geoms\_func*) Return an iterable of input geometries that are matching geometries of the GeomRefDB instance.
  - false\_positives(geoms\_iter, geoms\_EPSG, same\_geoms\_func)
    Return an iterable of input geometries that are not matching any geometry of the GeomRefDB instance.
  - **missing\_geometries**(*geoms\_iter*, *AOI\_geom*, *geoms\_EPSG*, *same\_geoms\_func*) Return an iterable of geometries of the GeomRefDB that are not matching any of the input geometries.

geomcompare.geomrefdb.SpatialiteGeomType = typing.Literal['Point', 'LineString', 'Polygon', 'MultiPoint', 'MultiLineString', 'MultiPolygon', 'GeometryCollection'] Type: \_LiteralGenericAlias

Geometry types supported by the SQLiteGeomRefDB class.

**class** geomcompare.geomrefdb.**SQLiteGeomRefDB**(*filename=None*, *default\_epsg=None*, *geoms\_iter=None*,

geoms\_tab\_name=None, geom\_type=None, geoms\_epsg=None, in\_ram=True, logger=None, logger\_name=None, logging\_level=20)

Bases: geomcompare.\_geomrefdb\_abc.GeomRefDB

Concrete implementation of the GeomRefDB ABC using SQLite.

SQLiteGeomRefDB is a concrete implementation of the interface defined by the GeomRefDB abstract base class. It enables to load an existing (or create a new) SQLite database, where geometry datasets can be stored and can be compared (based on geometry similarity functions) with other geometrical features from an external dataset. Instances of this class can handle simultaneously multiple reference datasets, with various geometry types (see *supported\_geom\_types*) and spatial reference systems.

#### **Parameters**

- **filename** (str, optional) Path to an existing spatialite database.
- **default\_epsg** (int, optional) Default EPSG code of the geometrical features that will be added to the database. If specified, the EPSG code will be default value of the geoms\_epsg parameter for any subsequent call of the add\_geometries() method.
- **geoms\_iter** (iterable of *GeomObject*, optional) Iterable of the geometrical features to add to this *SQLiteGeomRefDB* instance. Such features can also be added later to the class instance with the *add\_geometries()* method.
- geoms\_tab\_name (str, optional) Name of the table where the geometrical features are to be stored. If the geoms\_iter parameter is not given, geoms\_tab\_name will be ignored.
- **geom\_type** (*SpatialiteGeomType*, optional) Geometry type of the geometrical features passed as argument to the geoms\_iter parameter.
- **geoms\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the geometrical features passed as argument to the geoms\_iter parameter. If specified, it overrides the default\_epsg parameter during the instance construction.
- **in\_ram** (bool, default: True) Set to True to create/load the database in RAM for faster access. Set to False for larger-than-RAM databases.
- logger (logging.Logger, optional) Logger instance to use for logging outputs.
- **logger\_name** (str, optional) Name of the logging.Logger object to create for logging outputs. This parameter will be ignored if a Logger instance is passed to the logger parameter.
- **logging\_level** (int, default: logging.INFO) Logging level of the logging output. For mor information, please see the documentation of the logging module.

Raises ValueError – If in\_ram=False and filename=None.

This class makes use of the spatialite extension of SQLite, and as such, spatialite must be installed and available in order to work with instances of this class.

#### class property supported\_geom\_types

Types supported by SQLiteGeomRefDB.

**Type** list of supported geometry types

#### property filename

Path of the opened database file. The attribute is set to None if a new database was created in RAM for this instance.

#### property in\_ram

True if the database is created/loaded in RAM. False if the instance is connected to database file on disk.

#### property default\_epsg

Default EPSG code of the geometrical features that are added to the database.

#### property logger

Ready configured Logger instance used for logging outputs.

### save\_db(filename, overwrite=True)

Save the internal SQLite database to disk.

The function saves the internal SQLite database, together with all the geometrical features added with add\_geometries(), to disk. The path of the resulting output file can later be passed to the filename argument of the SQLiteGeomRefDB class' constructor to load the saved database with all its features. This function is useful only to save loaded-in-RAM databases, as the geometrical features added to a SQLiteGeomRefDB instance, with an opened connections to databases that reside on disk, will be saved automatically even after the instance destruction.

#### **Parameters**

- filename (str) Path of the output database file.
- **overwrite** (bool, default: True) True if the output file should overwrite any existing file at path filename, else False.

#### Return type None

#### add\_geometries(geoms\_iter, geom\_type=None, geoms\_epsg=None, geoms\_tab\_name=None) Add geometrical features to the internal SQLite database.

The function adds geometrical features to the internal SQLite database, which can then be used as a "reference dataset" when running other public methods of the *SQLiteGeomRefDB* instance.

#### Parameters

- **geoms\_iter** (iterable of *GeomObject*) Iterable of the geometrical features to add to this *SQLiteGeomRefDB* instance.
- **geom\_type** (*SpatialiteGeomType*, optional) Geometry type of the input geometrical features. If the geom\_type is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the input features have the same geometry type as the features already stored in the destination table.
- geoms\_epsg (int, optional) EPSG code of the input geometrical features. If the geoms\_epsg is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the input features are in the same spatial reference system as the features already stored in the destination table. Also, if the input features are to be stored in a new table of the database and the

geoms\_epsg is omitted, the SSQLiteGeomRefDB instance will use the EPSG code stored in the *default\_epsg* attribute (if set).

• **geoms\_tab\_name** (str, optional) – Name of the table where the input geometrical features are to be stored in the internal SQLite database. If no argument is passed to the geoms\_tab\_name parameter, the function will try to store the input geometrical features into a table named *default\_table*. The *default\_table* table will be created if it does not already exist in the database.

#### Raises

- ValueError If geom\_type is not specified, in the case of a new database/table.
- ValueError If geoms\_epsg is not specified, in the case of a new database/table and if the default\_epsg attribute is not set.
- **ValueError** If the argument passed to the geom\_type parameter does not match the geometry type of the features already stored in the destination table.

**Warning:** The *geometry type* must be the same for all input features as they are to be stored in the same *geometry column* of the same table, and spatialite does not allow *geometry columns* to have mixed *geometry types*.

#### Return type None

```
get_geometries(aoi_geom=None, aoi_epsg=None, geoms_tab_name=None, output_epsg=None)
Get geometrical features from the internal SQLite database.
```

Generator function which yields geometrical features stored in the internal database. The user can specify the table, or define a limited area to yield the features from. In addition, the spatial reference system of the output geometries can also be specified.

#### Parameters

- **aoi\_geom** (*GeomObject*, optional) *Area of interest*, where the geometrical features lies.
- aoi\_epsg (int, optional) EPSG code of the area of interest geometry/ies.
- **geoms\_tab\_name** (str, optional) Name of the table where the geometrical features are stored in the internal SQLite database. If no argument is passed to the geoms\_tab\_name parameter, the function will try to yield geometrical features from a table named *de*-*fault\_table*.
- **output\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the yielded geometrical features. This parameter can be used to transform the yielded geometries to a different Spatial Reference System from the one used in the internal database.

Yields GeomObject – Geometrical features from the internal SQLite database.

**Raises ValueError** – If geoms\_tab\_name is not specified and no table named *default\_table* exist in the database.

#### **db\_geom\_info**(*to\_stdout=False*, *count\_features=False*)

Get information on features stored in the internal SQLite database.

Get information on the geometrical features such as the name of the table(s) where they are stored, their geometry type(s), spatial reference system(s) and the number of features per table. This information can be returned as dict instance, or printed to *stdout*.

#### **Parameters**

- **to\_stdout** (bool, default: False) If set to False, the information is returned as a dict. If set to True, the information is written to *stdout*.
- **count\_features** (bool, default: False) If set to True, the function will also return the number of features/rows per table. If set to False, the features will not be counted.
- **Returns** If to\_stdout=False, returns a dict which keys are the table name(s), and which values are information on the individual table(s). This information is itself structured as a dict, which key/value pairs indicate for each table the geometry type (key: *geom\_type*), the spatial reference system (key: *srid*), and optionally (if count\_features=True) the features count (key: *count*). The function returns None if to\_stdout=True.

#### Return type dict or None

Identidy matching input geometries.

The function takes as input geometrical features, and searches for *reference features* in one table of the internal database which geometries are considered to *match* that of the *input features*. All *input features* that have a geometry that *matches* the geometry of at least one of the *reference features* will be yielded back by the function.

#### **Parameters**

- **geoms\_iter** (iterable of *GeomObject*) Iterable of input geometrical features to compare to the features of the internal SQLite database.
- **aoi\_geom** (*GeomObject*, optional) *Area of interest*, within which the database's features must lie.
- **geoms\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the input geometrical features (including aoi\_geom if specified). If the geoms\_epsg is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the *input features* are in the same spatial reference system as the *reference features*.
- geoms\_tab\_name (str, optional) Name of the table where database's features that will be used as reference are stored. If no argument is passed to the geoms\_tab\_name parameter, the function will search for *reference features* in a table named *default\_table*.
- **geoms\_match** (callable, optional) Comparison function that takes two positional arguments:
  - gtest: input geometry (GeomObject)
  - gref: reference geometry (GeomObject)

The function returns True if it finds that both geometries *match*, else returns False. If this parameter is omitted, the *input* geometrical feature will always be considered as a *match* in the case where its *search frame* (see get\_search\_frame parameter) interesects with one of the feature from the database's table.

- get\_search\_frame (callable, optional) Function that takes as single argument an *input* geometry (*GeomObject*) and returns its *search frame* (*GeomObject*). If this parameter is omitted, the *search frame* will be the same as the *input* geometry.
- **ncores** (int, optional) Number of cores to use for running the function. If unspecified, the function will run in a single process

Yields GeomObject – Matching input geometrical features.

If the *spatial reference system* of the *input* geometrical features is different from that of the database's features, the *input features*' coordinates are reprojected on-the-fly, before being compared to features stored in the database. If an *input feature* is considered to be a *match*, it is yielded back unchanged (its coordinates in the original *spatial reference system*).

The function takes as input geometrical features, and searches for *reference features* in one table of the internal database which geometries are considered to *match* that of the *input features*. All *input features* that **DO NOT** have a geometry that matches the geometry of any *reference features* will be yielded back by the function.

#### Parameters

- **geoms\_iter** (iterable of *GeomObject*) Iterable of input geometrical features to compare to the features of the internal SQLite database.
- **aoi\_geom** (*GeomObject*, optional) *Area of interest*, within which the database's features must lie.
- geoms\_epsg (int, optional) EPSG code of the input geometrical features (including aoi\_geom if specified). If the geoms\_epsg is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the *input features* are in the same spatial reference system as the *reference features*.
- geoms\_tab\_name (str, optional) Name of the table where database's features that will be used as reference are stored. If no argument is passed to the geoms\_tab\_name parameter, the function will search for *reference features* in a table named *default\_table*.
- **geoms\_match** (callable, optional) Comparison function that takes two positional arguments:
  - gtest: input geometry (GeomObject)
  - gref: reference geometry (GeomObject)

The function returns True if it finds that both geometries *match*, else returns False. If this parameter is omitted, the *input* geometrical feature will always be considered as a *match* in the case where its *search frame* (see get\_search\_frame parameter) interesects with one of the features from the database's table.

- get\_search\_frame (callable, optional) Function that takes as single argument an *input* geometry (*GeomObject*) and returns its *search frame* (*GeomObject*). If this parameter is omitted, the *search frame* will be the same as the *input* geometry.
- **ncores** (int, optional) Number of cores to use for running the function. If unspecified, the function will run in a single process

Yields GeomObject – Non-matching input geometrical features.

If the *spatial reference system* of the *input* geometrical features is different from that of the database's features, the *input features*' coordinates are reprojected on-the-fly, before being compared to features stored in the database. If an *input feature* is **NOT** considered to be a *match*, it is yielded back unchanged (its coordinates in the original *spatial reference system*).

**missing\_geometries**(geoms\_iter, geom\_type=None, aoi\_geom=None, geoms\_epsg=None, geoms\_tab\_name=None, geoms\_match=None, get\_search\_frame=None,

```
ncores=None)
```

Identify (missing) non-matching reference geometries.

The function takes as input geometrical features, and searches for *reference features* in one table of the internal database which geometries are **NOT** considered to *match* the geometry of any feature from the input set. All *reference features* that **DO NOT** have a geometry that *matches* the geometry of any *input features* will be yielded by the function.

#### **Parameters**

- **geoms\_iter** (iterable of *GeomObject*) Iterable of input geometrical features to compare to the features of the internal SQLite database.
- **geom\_type** (*SpatialiteGeomType*, optional) Geometry type of the input geometrical features. If the geom\_type is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the *input features* have the same geom\_type as the *reference features*.
- **aoi\_geom** (*GeomObject*, optional) *Area of interest*, within which the database's features must lie.
- **geoms\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the input geometrical features (including aoi\_geom if specified). If the geoms\_epsg is not specified by the user, the function will assume that the *input features* are in the same spatial reference system as the *reference features*.
- **geoms\_tab\_name** (str, optional) Name of the table where database's features that will be used as reference are stored. If no argument is passed to the geoms\_tab\_name parameter, the function will search for *reference features* in a table named *default\_table*.
- **geoms\_match** (callable, optional) Comparison function that takes two positional arguments:
  - gtest: input geometry (GeomObject)
  - gref: reference geometry (GeomObject)

The function returns True if it finds that both geometries *match*, else returns False. If this parameter is omitted, the *input* geometrical feature will always be considered as a *match* in the case where its *search frame* (see get\_search\_frame parameter) interesects with one of the features from the database's table.

- get\_search\_frame (callable, optional) Function that takes as single argument an *input* geometry (*GeomObject*) and returns its *search frame* (*GeomObject*). If this parameter is omitted, the *search frame* will be the same as the *input* geometry.
- **ncores** (int, optional) Number of cores to use for running the function. If unspecified, the function will run in a single process

Yields GeomObject - Non-matching reference geometrical features.

If the *spatial reference system* of the *input* geometrical features is different from that of the database's features, the *input features*' coordinates are reprojected on-the-fly, before being compared to features stored in the database.

#### geomcompare.geomutils module

```
geomcompare.geomutils.GeomObject = typing.Union[shapely.geometry.polygon.LinearRing,
shapely.geometry.linestring.LineString, shapely.geometry.multilinestring.MultiLineString,
shapely.geometry.multipoint.MultiPoint, shapely.geometry.multipolygon.MultiPolygon,
shapely.geometry.point.Point, shapely.geometry.polygon.Polygon]
```

Type: \_UnionGenericAlias

Type for shapely geometrical objects.

#### geomcompare.geomutils.to\_2D(geom)

Remove the third dimension of a geometrical object's coordinates.

Parameters geom (GeomObject) - Shapely geometrical object with XYZ-coordinates.

Returns Geometrical object with its Z-coordinates removed.

#### Return type GeomObject

```
geomcompare.geomutils.get_transform_func(epsg_in, epsg_out)
```

Get function to transform a geometrical object to another SRS.

Create and return a function that transforms the XY-coordinates of *GeomObject* instances from one spatial reference system to another. The function identifies input and output spatial reference systems by the EPSG code.

#### **Parameters**

- epsg\_in (int) EPSG code of the input spatial reference system.
- **epsg\_out** (int) EPSG code of the output spatial reference system.

**Returns** Function that takes one *GeomObject* as positional argument and returns the *GeomObject* with its XY-coordinates transformed to the output spatial reference system.

#### Return type callable

#### geomcompare.io module

namedtuple geomcompare.io.ConnectionParameters(host, dbname, user, password, port=5432)
Bases: NamedTuple

Parameters to open a connection to a PostGIS database.

Instances of this class are intended to be used as parameter for the *fetch\_geoms\_from\_pg* function.

#### Fields

- 0) **host** (str) Database host address.
- 1) **dbname** (str) Database name.
- 2) **user** (str) User name used to authenticate.
- 3) **password** (str) Password used to authenticate.

4) **port** (int) – Connection port number.

#### namedtuple geomcompare.io.SchemaTableColumn(schema, table, column)

Bases: NamedTuple

Location of a geometry column in a PostGIS database.

Instances of this class are intended to be used as parameter for the *fetch\_geoms\_from\_pg* function.

#### Fields

- 0) **schema** (str) Schema name of the PostGIS database, where the table containing the geometrical features is located.
- 1) table (str) Table name, where the geometrical features can be found.
- 2) column (str) Column name, where the geometrical features can be found.

Fetch geometrical features from a PostGIS database.

Generator function which connects or uses an existing connection to a PostGIS database, and yields geometrical features from specified geometry column (within a given area or not), or based on a user-defined SQL query. If the connection to the database is opened by the function, it will be closed automatically after the last geometrical feature is yielded.

#### **Parameters**

- **conn** (psycopg2.extensions.connection, optional) Pre-opened connection to the PostGIS database.
- **conn\_params** (*ConnectionParameters*, optional) Parameters to open a connection to the PostGIS database.
- **sql\_query** (str, optional) SQL query to use to extract geometrical features from the PostGIS database.
- **geoms\_col\_loc** (*SchemaTableColumn*, optional) Geometry column location within the PostGIS database.
- **aoi** (GeomObject, optional) Area of interest, where the geometrical features lies.
- aoi\_epsg (int, optional) EPSG code of the area of interest geometry/ies.
- **output\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the yielded geometrical features. This parameter can be used to transform the yielded geometries to a different Spatial Reference System from the one used in the PostGIS database.

**Yields** *GeomObject* – Geometrical features from the PostGIS database.

#### Raises

- ValueError If both conn and conn\_params parameters are not passed an argument different from None.
- ValueError If both sql\_query and geoms\_col\_loc parameters are not passed an argument different from None.

In the case where the sql\_query parameter is given, the parameters geoms\_col\_loc, aoi, aoi\_epsg and output\_epsg will be ignored, as SQL queries can include filtering and reprojection.

#### geomcompare.io.LayerID = typing.Union[str, int]

Type: \_UnionGenericAlias

Type for identifying layers.

namedtuple geomcompare.io.LayerFilter(layer\_id=None, aoi=None, aoi\_epsg=None, attr\_filter=None, fids=None)

Bases: NamedTuple

Filter for extraction of geometrical features from file.

Instances of this class are intended to be used as parameter for the *extract\_geoms\_from\_file* function, for filtering and choosing the geometrical features to extract.

#### Fields

- 0) **layer\_id** (Union[str, int, None]) Name or index of the layer the filter will be applied to. If set to None, the filter will be applied on all layers.
- aoi (Union[LinearRing, LineString, MultiLineString, MultiPoint, MultiPolygon, Point, Polygon, None]) - GeomObject, optional: Area of interest, where the geometrical features lies. All features lying outside the area of interest will be filtered out (not extracted).
- 2) **aoi\_epsg** (Optional[int]) EPSG code of the *area of interest* geometry/ies. If set to None, the same Spatial Reference System as the layer will be used.
- 3) attr\_filter (Optional[str]) Valid string representation of an attribute filter (e.g.
  "attr\_name = 'value'").
- 4) fids (Optional[Sequence[int]]) IDs of the features to extract from the layer. This parameter will be ignored if either the aoi or the attr\_filter parameters are specified by the user.

geomcompare.io.extract\_geoms\_from\_file(*filename*, *driver\_name*, *layers=None*, *layer\_filters=None*) Extract geometrical features from a GDAL/OGR-readable file.

Generator function which opens a file located on disk, with one of the existing GDAL/OGR drivers, and yields geometrical features, from one or several layers. The function also permits the use of filters to allow for fine-grained extraction of the geometrical features.

#### Parameters

- **filename** (str) Path to the file to extract the geometrical features from.
- driver\_name (str) Name of the GDAL/OGR driver to use for opening the file.
- **layers** (sequence of *LayerID*, optional) Layers from which the geometrical features will be extracted. If set to None (default), geometrical features will be extracted from all layers.
- **layer\_filters** (sequence of *LayerFilter*, optional) Filters to apply to the layer(s) when extracting the geometrical features.

Yields GeomObject – Geometrical features from the file.

Raises NotImplementedError – If GDAL/OGR is not installed or not importable.

Write multiple geometrical features to disk.

The function takes as input an iterable of geometrical features and writes them to disk using one of the existing GDAL/OGR drivers.

#### Parameters

- filename (str) Path to the output file where the geometrical features will be written to.
- driver\_name (str) Name of the GDAL/OGR driver to use for writing the file.
- geoms\_iter (iterable of GeomObject) Iterable of the geometrical features to write.
- **geoms\_epsg** (int, optional) EPSG code of the input geometrical features. If the Spatial Reference System of the input geometrical features is specified and differs from that of the layer they will written to (in case of an update, see``mode`` parameter), the coordinates of the geometries will be reprojected to the layer's Spatial Reference System. It is set to None as default (no Spatial Reference System).
- **layer** (*LayerID*, optional) Layer name/index on which to write the input geometries. In case of a file update (see mode parameter), the index of an existing layer can be passed as argument. If layer is set to None (default), the geometrical features will be written, in update mode, on the first layer available (at index 0), if any. If no layer is available, as well as in overwrite mode, the layer parameter set to None will result in the function writing the input geometries to a layer named default (if the driver supports named layers).
- **mode** ({"update", "overwrite"}) If set to "update", the function will update an existing file, or will create it if it does not exist. If set to "overwrite", the function will delete any file at the path set to the filename parameter, and will create a new file at this same location.

Return type None

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