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# GML基礎與實務

-於台北市政府資訊中心-

**The fundamental and practice of GML**

-At Computer Center, Taipei City Government-

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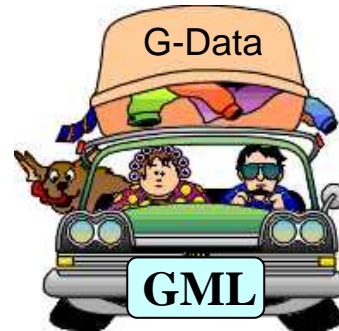
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# 從XML說起

- GML (Geography Mark-up Language)是基於XML (eXtensible Mark-up Language )編碼技術所發展，以對於地理空間資訊進行模式化、傳輸和交換。
  - GML繼承了XML的所有語法與規則，如XML Namespaces, XML Schema, Xlinks.
  - 具有處理地理空間資料的語彙，如feature, geometry, topology, 3D, ...



# 控制標籤的格式 (tag)

- **Syntax**

- `<tagname>`
- `<tagname attribute="value">`
- `</tagname>`
- `<tagname/>`
- `<tagname attr1="value1"`
- `attr2="value2"/>`

- **Component**

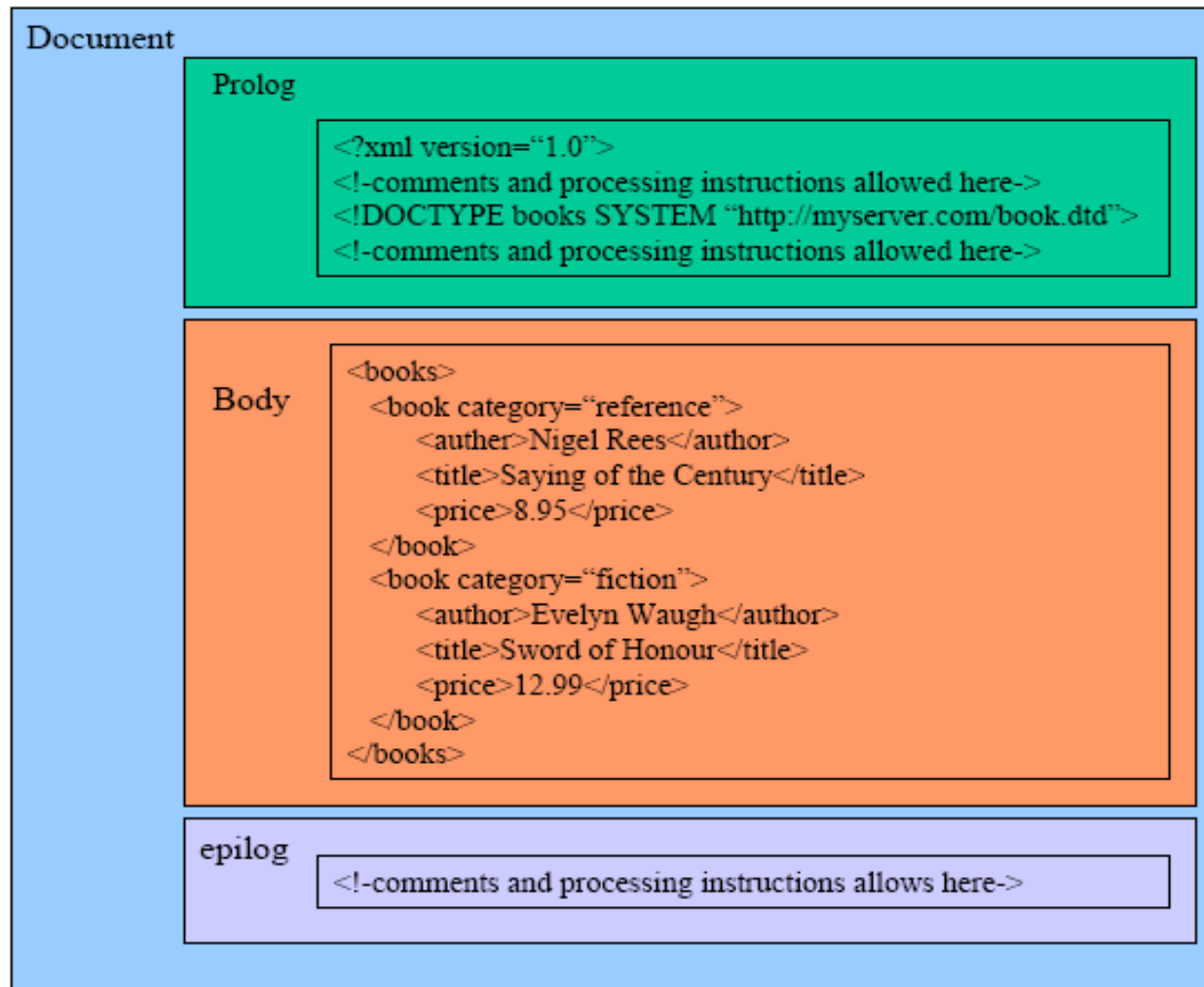
- 開始標籤 (Element start-tag)
- 有屬性開始標籤 (Start-tag with an attribute)
- 結束標籤 (End-tag)
- 空標籤 (Empty-element tag)
- 有屬性空標籤 (Empty-element tag with two attributes)

# 元素 (element)

- 元素 (element) 為 XML 文件的基本組件
- 元素 (element) 以標籤 (tag) 來分隔
- Elements must have a closing tag
- Elements must be properly nested

```
<book>
  <title>My First XML</title>
  <prod id="33-657" media="paper"></prod>
  <chapter>Introduction to XML
    <para>What is HTML</para>
    <para>What is XML</para>
  </chapter>
  <chapter>XML Syntax
    <para>Elements must have a closing tag</para>
    <para>Elements must be properly nested</para>
  </chapter>
</book>
```

# 文件架構 (Document Parts)



# A example of XML

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<!-- edited with XML Spy v4.0.1 U (http://www.xmlspy.com) by Alexander
Pilz (private) -->
<Company xmlns="http://my-company.com/namespace"
xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
xsi:schemaLocation="http://my-company.com/namespace.xsd">
  <Address xsi:type="US-Address">
    <Name>US dependency</Name>
    <Street>Noble Ave.</Street>
    <City>Dallas</City>
    <Zip>04812</Zip>
    <State>Texas</State>
  </Address>
  <Person Manager="true" Degree="BA" Programmer="false">
    <First>Fred</First>
    <Last>Smith</Last>
    <PhoneExt>22</PhoneExt>
    <Email>Smith@work.com</Email>
  </Person>
</Company>
<!-- This xml document just for educational demonstration, don't be
shareable-->
```

Prolog

Body

Epilog

Parent

Child

Parent

# XML Schema

1. **Namespace**
2. **Declaration**
3. **Simple Type**
4. **Complex Type**
5. **Substitution group**
6. **Identity constraint**
7. **Schema Composition**

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# XML Namespace



# Why namespace?

- A book record

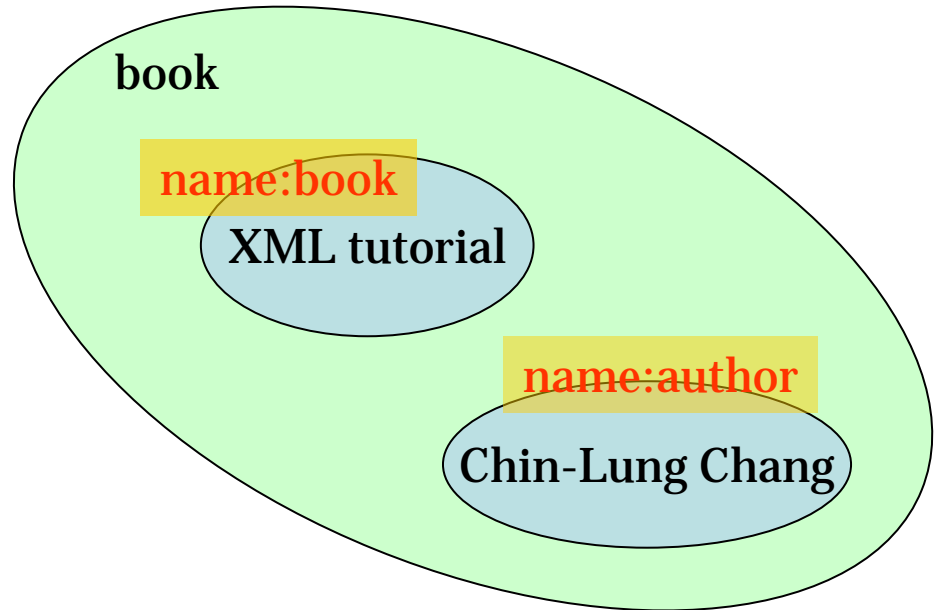
```
<book>  
  <name>XML tutorial</name>  
</book>
```

- An author record

```
<author>  
  <name>Chin-Lung Chang</name>  
</author>
```

- Combining book and author records? A conflict of element name!

```
<book>  
  <book_name>XML tutorial</book_name>  
  <author_name>Chin-Lung Chang</author_name>  
</book>
```



# XML Namespace

- Namespace: A collection of element and attribute names
  - The namespace is identified by a URI.
  - Two-part naming convention:
    - The **prefix** name
    - The **URI** of the XML Namespace
- `xmlns:foo="http://www.foo.org/"`

# Declaring Namespace

- Namespace are declared using a special attribute that starts with the **xmlns** attribute name.
- It is not possible to associate a prefix to an empty URI string. Ex. **xmlns:prod=""**
- An example:

```
<prod:product xmlns:prod="http://example.org/prod">  
  <prod:number>557</prod:number>  
  <prod:size system="US-DRESS">10</prod:size>  
</prod:product>
```

# Target Namespace

- XSDL allows a schema document to define ONE namespace, known as its target namespace
  - A schema document **cannot** have more than one target namespace.
  - Elements defined in the schema document will be referred to by the target namespace.
- Every component declared or defined by a **global declaration** is associated with that target namespace.
- **Local** declarations **may or may not** use the target namespace.

# Target Namespace: An Example

```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema"
  xmlns="http://example.org/prod"
  targetNamespace="http://example.org/prod">
```

```
<xsd:element name="number" type="xsd:integer"/>
```

```
<xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType"/>
```

```
<xsd:simpleType name="SizeType">
```

```
<!--.....-->
```

```
</xsd:simpleType>
```

```
</xsd:schema>
```



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**Complex type**

# Complex Type Definition: Examples

```
<xsd:complexType name="ProductType">  
  <xsd:sequence>  
    <xsd:element name="number" type="ProdNumType"/>  
    <xsd:element name="name" type="xsd:string"/>  
    <xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType"/>  
  </xsd:sequence>  
</xsd:complexType>
```

Simple  
Element-only  
Mixed  
Empty

```
<xsd:element name="product" type="ProductType"/>  
<----->  
<xsd:element name="product">  
  <xsd:complexType>  
    <xsd:sequence>  
      <xsd:element name="number" type="ProdNumType"/>  
      <xsd:element name="name" type="xsd:string"/>  
      <xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType"/>  
    </xsd:sequence>  
  </xsd:complexType>  
</xsd:element>
```

# Model Group

- The **order and structure** of the children of a complex type are known as its “**content model**”.
- Model group allow you to group child element declarations or references together to construct more meaningful **content models**.
- There are 3 kinds of model groups:
  - **Sequence**
  - Choice
  - All
- Every complex type has **exactly one model group child**.



# Sequence Groups

```
<xsd:complexType name="ProductType">  
  <xsd:sequence>  
    <xsd:element name="number" type="ProdNumType"/>  
    <xsd:element name="name" type="xsd:string"/>  
    <xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType" minOccurs="0"/>  
    <xsd:element name="color" type="ColorType" minOccurs="0"/>  
  </xsd:sequence>  
</xsd:complexType>  
  
<product>  
  <number>557</number>  
  <name>Short-Sleeved Linen Blouse</name>  
  <size system="US-DRESS">10</size>  
  <color value="blue"/>  
</product>
```

# Attribute Declarations

```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">  
  <xsd:attribute name="effDate" type="xsd:date"/>  
  <xsd:complexType name="ProductType">  
    <xsd:sequence>  
      <!--...-->  
    </xsd:sequence>  
    <xsd:attribute ref="effDate"/>  
    <xsd:attribute name="local" type="xsd:string"/>  
  </xsd:complexType>  
</xsd:schema>
```

# How to Derive Complex Types?

- **Restriction**
  - Restricting the valid contents of a type.
  - Values of new type is a subset of those of the base type.
  - All values of the restricted type are valid with respect to the base type.
- **Extension**
  - Adding additional children and/or attributes to a type.

# Complex Type Extension (Example)

Extended:

```
<xsd:complexType name="ShirtType">
  <xsd:complexContent>
    <xsd:extension base="ProductType">
      <xsd:choice maxOccurs="unbounded">
        <xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType"/>
        <xsd:element name="color" type="ColorType"/>
      </xsd:choice>
    </xsd:extension>
  </xsd:complexContent>
</xsd:complexType>
```

```

<xsd:complexType name="ProductType">
  <xsd:sequence>
    <xsd:element name="number" type="ProdNumType"/>
    <xsd:element name="name" type="xsd:string"/>
    <xsd:element name="size" type="SizeType" minOccurs="0"/>
    <xsd:element name="color" type="ColorType" minOccurs="0"/>
  </xsd:sequence>
</xsd:complexType>

<xsd:complexType name="RestrictedProductType">
  <xsd:complexContent>
    <xsd:restriction base="ProductType">
      <xsd:sequence>
        <xsd:element name="number" type="ProdNumType"/>
        <xsd:element name="name" type="xsd:string"/>
      </xsd:sequence>
    </xsd:restriction>
  </xsd:complexContent>
</xsd:complexType>

```

# Attribute Restriction: Examples

```
<xsd:complexType name="BaseType">  
  <xsd:attribute name="a" type="xsd:integer"/>  
  <xsd:attribute name="b" type="xsd:string"/>  
  <xsd:attribute name="c" type="xsd:string" default="c"/>  
  <xsd:attribute name="d" type="xsd:string"/>  
  <xsd:attribute name="e" type="xsd:string"/>  
  <xsd:attribute name="x" type="xsd:string"/>  
</xsd:complexType>
```

```
<xsd:complexType name="DerivedType">  
  <xsd:complexContent>  
    <xsd:restriction base="BaseType">  
      <xsd:attribute name="a" type="xsd:positiveInteger"/>  
      <xsd:attribute name="b" type="xsd:string" default="b"/>  
      <xsd:attribute name="c" type="xsd:string" default="c2"/>  
      <xsd:attribute name="d" type="xsd:string" use="required"/>  
      <xsd:attribute name="e" type="xsd:string" use="prohibited"/>  
    </xsd:restriction>  
  </xsd:complexContent>  
</xsd:complexType>
```



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# Substitution group

# substitution group(1)

- Each substitution group consists of
  - a head
  - One or more members
- Wherever the **head element declaration** is referenced in a content model, one of the **member element declarations** may be substituted in place of the head
  - Element substitution

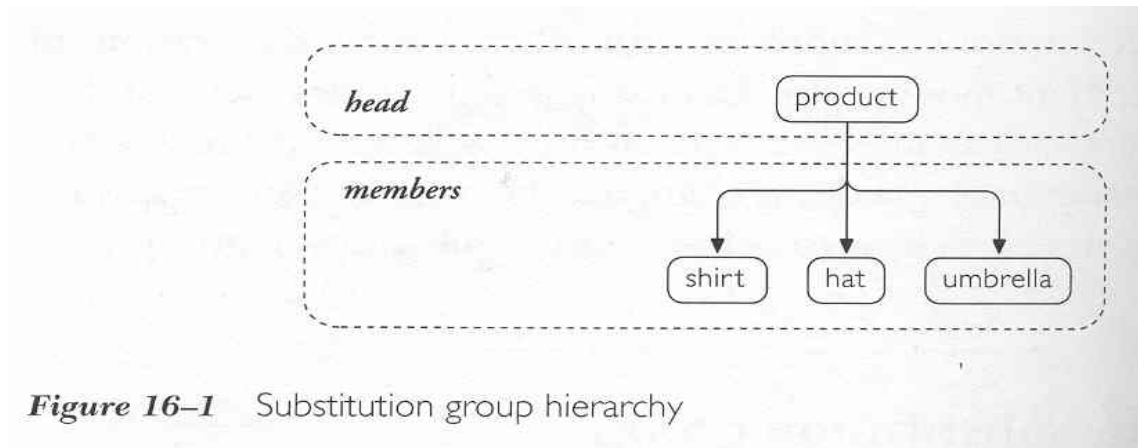


Figure 16-1 Substitution group hierarchy



# substitution groups(2)

- Each element declaration can only be a member of one substitution group
- A member of one group may be the head of another group
- **tShirt** and **blouse** may substitute for **product** (or shirt)

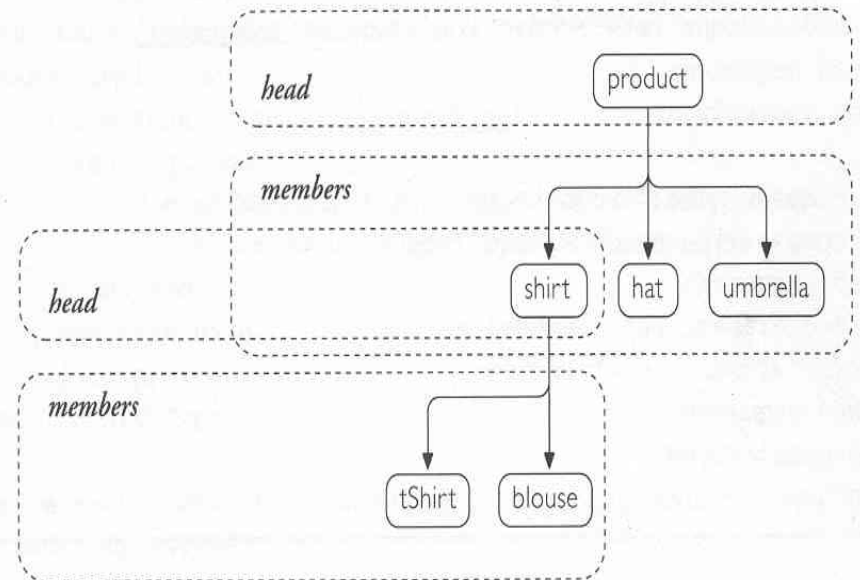


Figure 16-2 Multi-level substitution group hierarchy

# Example: head

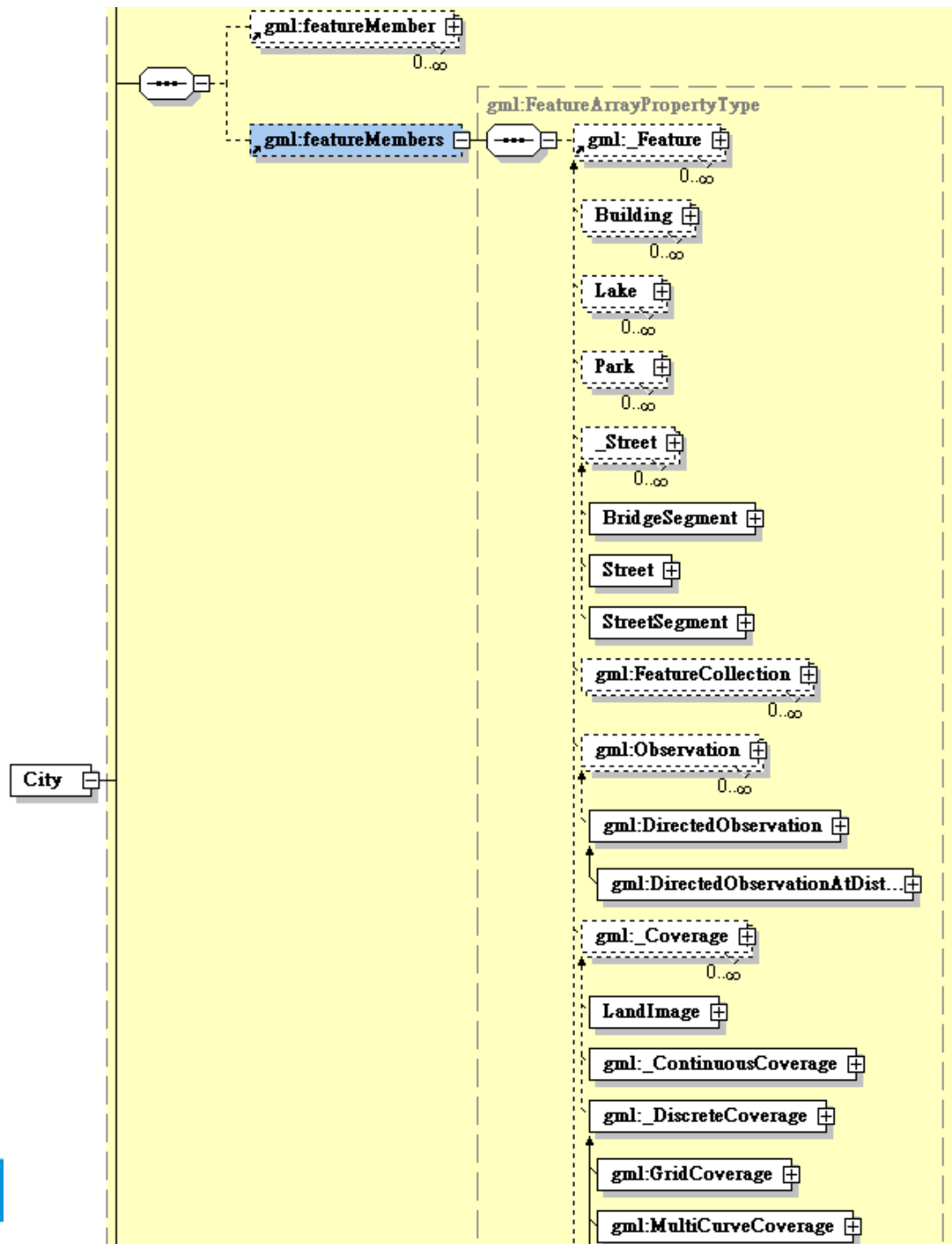
```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">  
  <xsd:element name="items" type="ItemsType"/>  
  <xsd:complexType name="ItemsType">  
    <xsd:sequence>  
      <xsd:element ref="product" maxOccurs="unbounded"/>  
    </xsd:sequence>  
  </xsd:complexType>  
  <xsd:element name="product" type="ProductType"/>  
  <xsd:complexType name="ProductType">  
    <xsd:sequence>  
      <xsd:element ref="number"/>  
      <xsd:element ref="name"/>  
    </xsd:sequence>  
  </xsd:complexType>  
</xsd:schema>
```

# Example: member

```
<xsd:schema xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">  
  <xsd:element name="shirt" type="ShirtType" substitutionGroup="product"/>  
  
  <xsd:complexType name="ShirtType">  
    <xsd:complexContent>  
      <xsd:extension base="ProductType">  
        <xsd:sequence>  
          <xsd:element name="size" type="ShirtSizeType"/>  
          <xsd:element name="color" type="ColorType"/>  
        </xsd:sequence>  
      </xsd:extension>  
    </xsd:complexContent>  
  </xsd:complexType>  
  <!--...-->  
  <xsd:element name="umbrella" substitutionGroup="product"/>  
  <!--...-->  
</xsd:schema>
```

# Example: GML

```
<element name="City" type="app:CityType"
substitutionGroup="gml:_FeatureCollection"/>
<complexType name="CityType">
  <complexContent>
    <extension base="gml:AbstractFeatureCollectionType">
      <sequence>
        <element name="topologyModel"
type="gml:TopoComplexMemberType" minOccurs="0"/>
      </sequence>
    </extension>
  </complexContent>
</complexType>
<element name="Lake" type="app:LakeType"
substitutionGroup="gml:_Feature"/>
<complexType name="LakeType">
  <complexContent>
    <extension base="gml:AbstractFeatureType">
      <sequence>
        <element name="extent" type="gml:SurfacePropertyType"/>
      </sequence>
    </extension>
  </complexContent>
</complexType>
```





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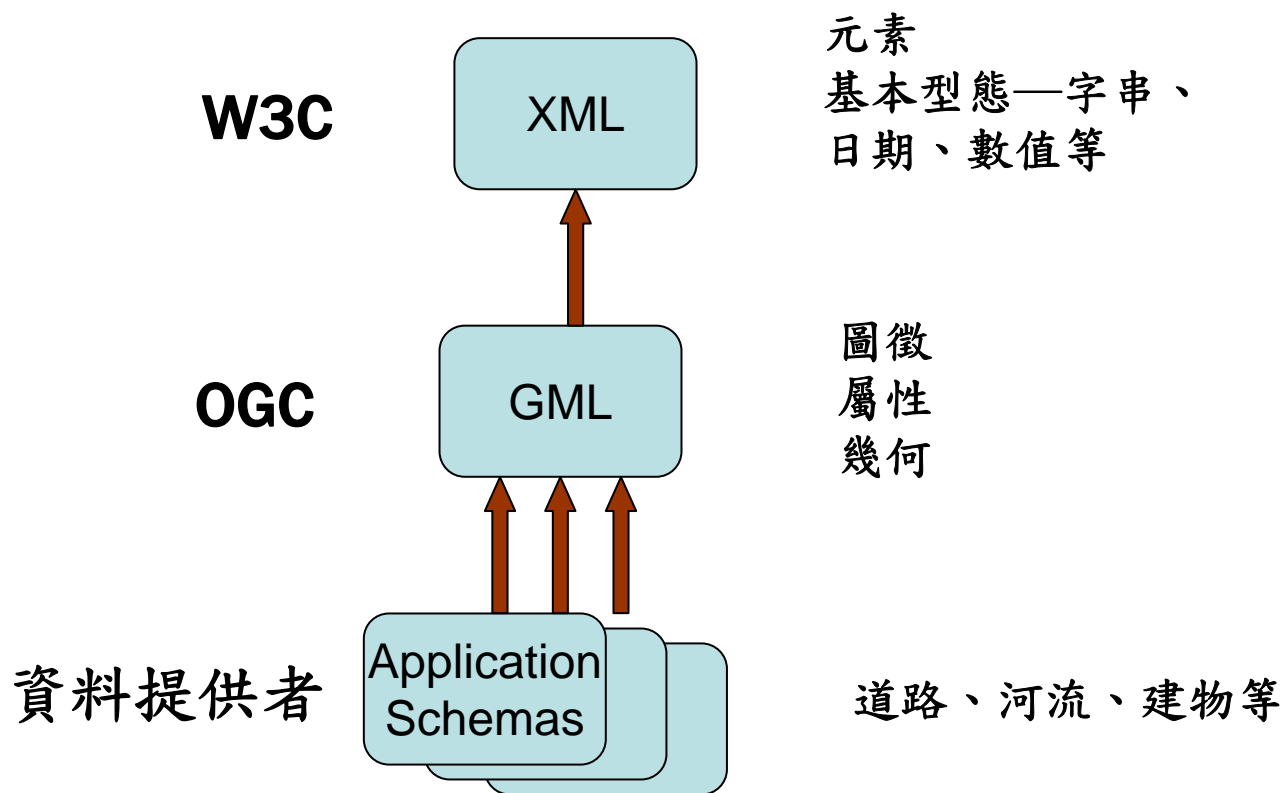
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# What's GML

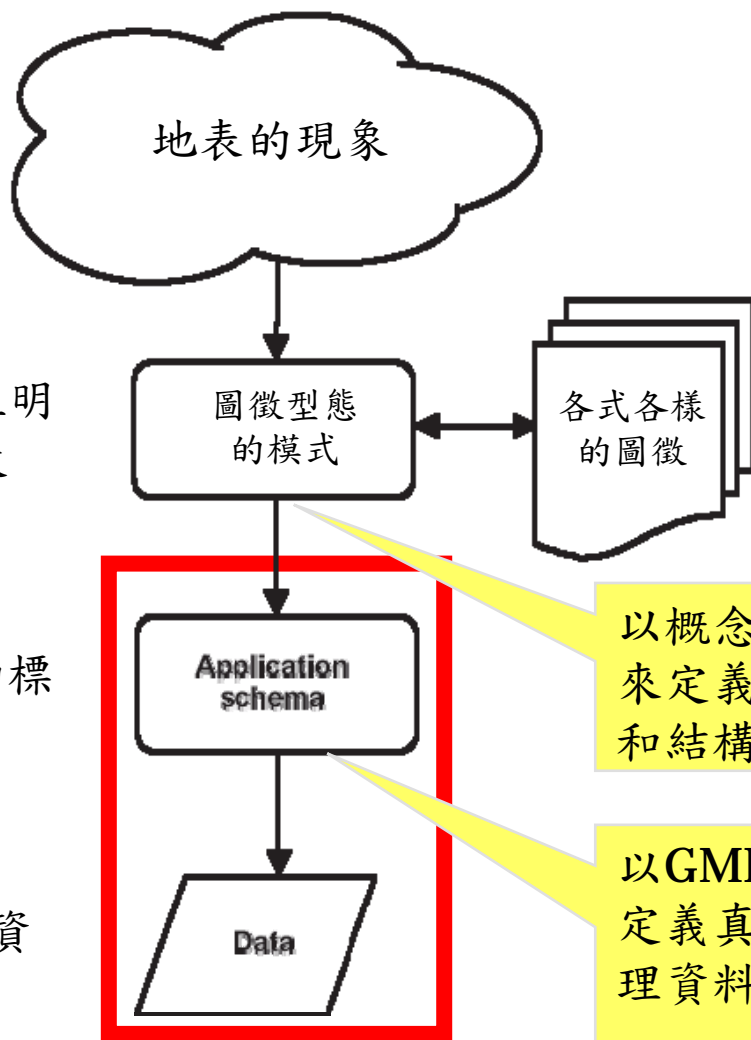
# GML 是一種資料格式

- GML 是XML的一種擴充。



修改自 [www.flakesoftware.co.uk](http://www.flakesoftware.co.uk)

# 一份GML文件來自於...



對於真實世界，以廣泛且明確的方式來抽取地理圖徵

以GML schemas定義 application schemas 中的標準元素和型態之使用

根據 application schema 資料有邏輯結構

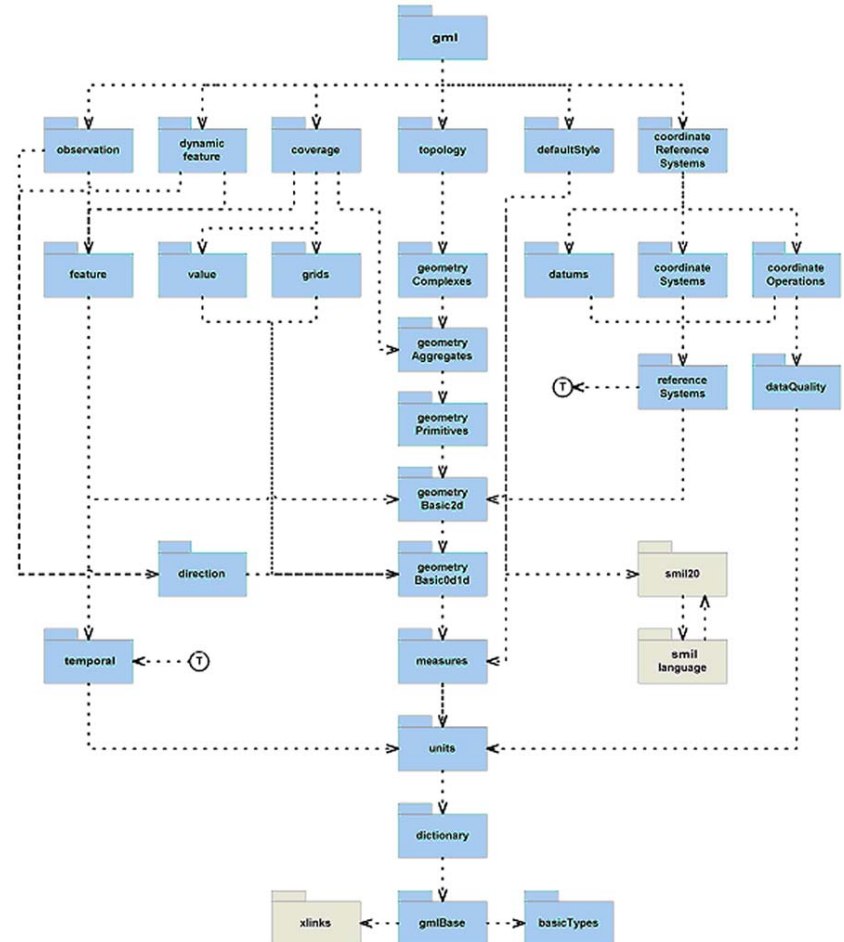
以概念性的schema language 來定義資料的內容和結構，如UML和ER model

以GML Application Schema 定義真實世界中的物件，使地理資料成為GML文件



# GML Schemas

- GML 3.1.1中包含29 個 GML Schemas。
- GML Schemas 只有基礎地理空間定義，如feature, geometry, topology..., 且這些schemas是平行的且不針對任何一個應用領域。



# GML Schemas

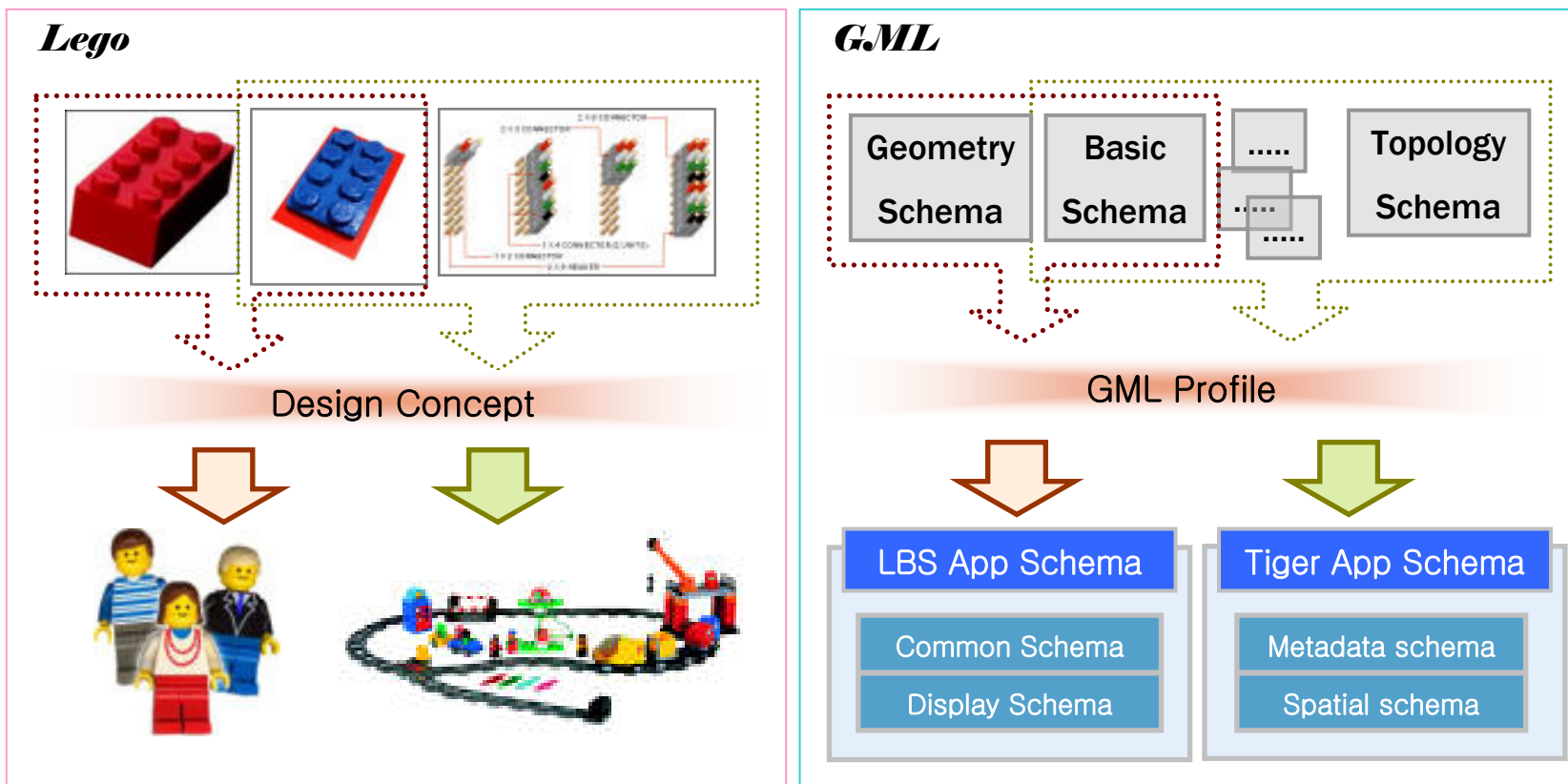
- 基礎的 schemas、一般的語法(syntax)
- 圖徵模式 (Feature Model)
- 基本幾何圖元定義 (0d, 1d, 2d)
- 由附加的幾何圖元 (Additional geometric primitives) (0d, 1d, 2d, 3d)
- 幾何組成 (Geometric composites)
- 幾何聚集 (Geometric aggregates)
- 座標參考系統 (Coordinate reference systems)
- 詮釋資料 (metadata) 機制

# GML Schemas

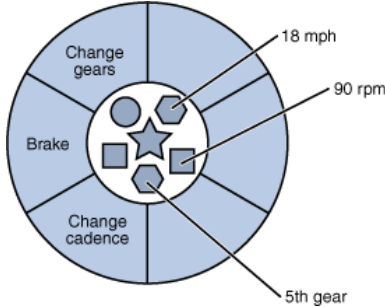
- 撲拓關係(**Topology**)。
- 時間資訊和動態圖徵。
- 資料典(**Definitions and dictionaries**)
- 單位、量測值(**Unit of Measure**)。
- 方向(**Directions**)
- 觀察資料(**Observations**)
- 網格式資料(**Coverages**)
- 預設樣式(**Default styling**)

# GML Application Schema

- GML Application Schema是一個組件式的架構，如樂高

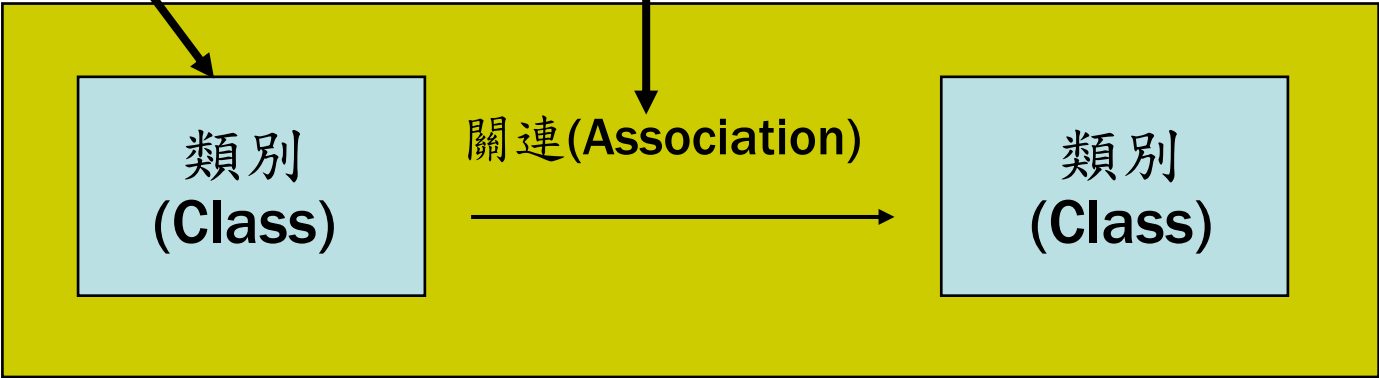


# GML 模型



真實世界中的  
“實體”或“現象”

類別之間的關連  
(其名稱的角色是描述之間的關係)

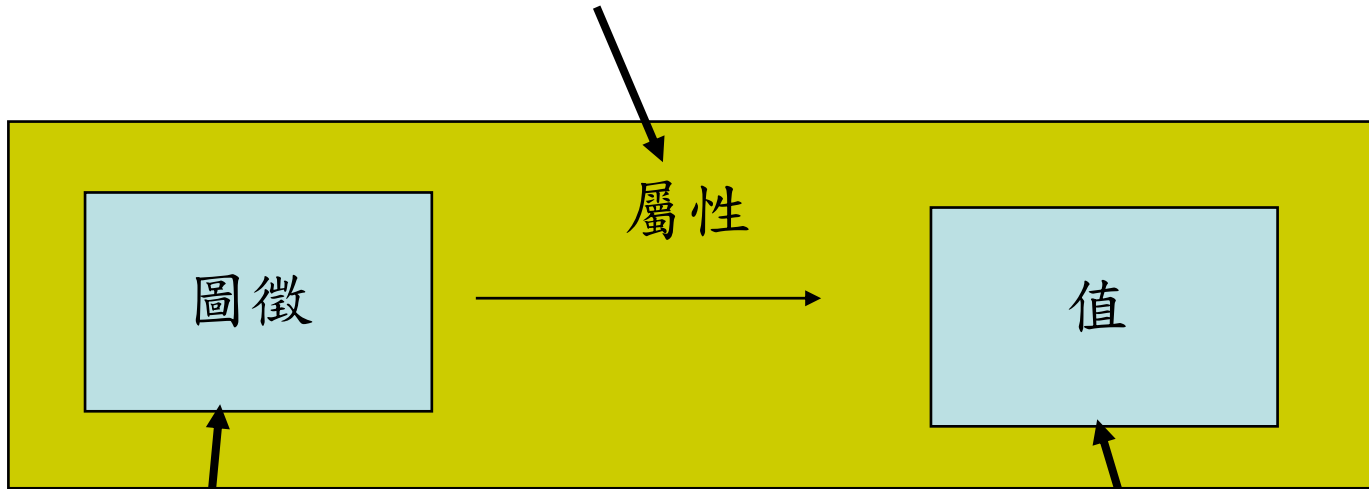


Ex.	忠孝東路	交叉	新生北路
	台北市	包含	信義區
	都市發展局	屬於	台北市政府



# GML 模型

屬性是用來描述圖徵



真實世界中的“實體”或“現象”

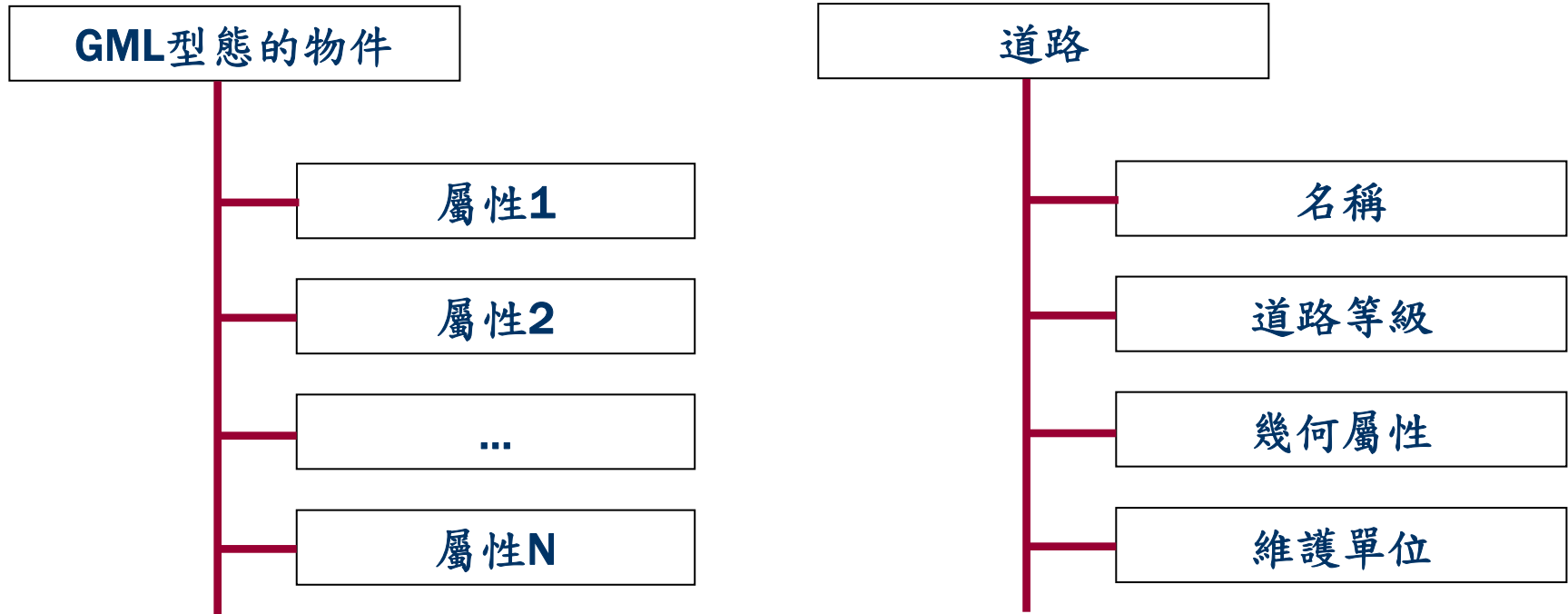
值可以是簡單型態(如整數)、複雜型態(如幾何)或甚至是其它的圖徵。

Ex. 台北101

高度

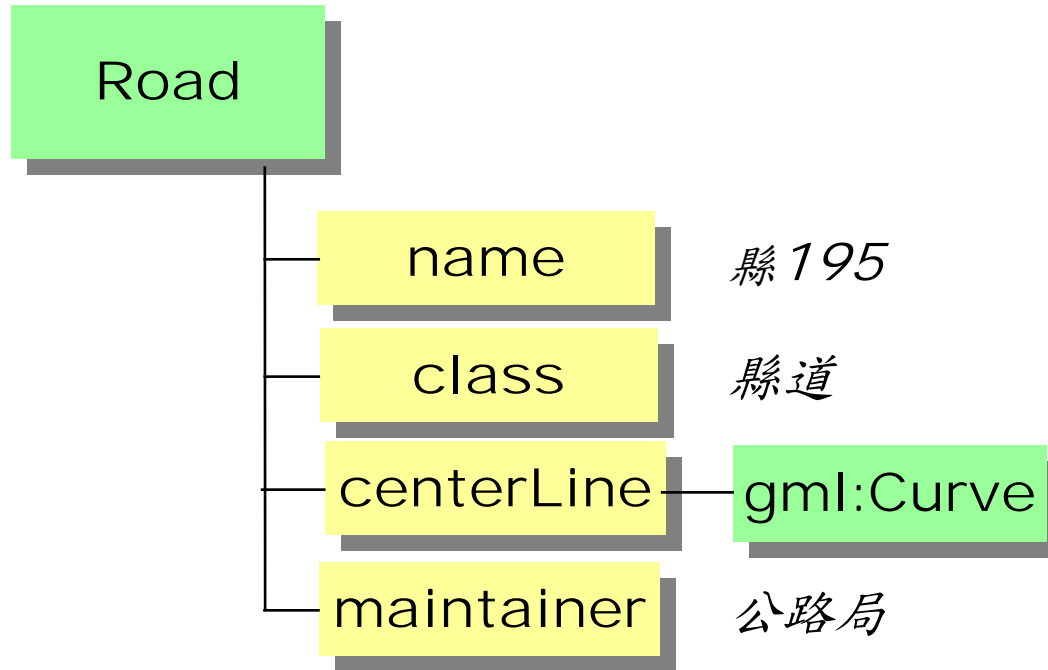
584公尺

# GML 模型



GML物件是由一系列的屬性來描述。

# 模式化的圖徵型態



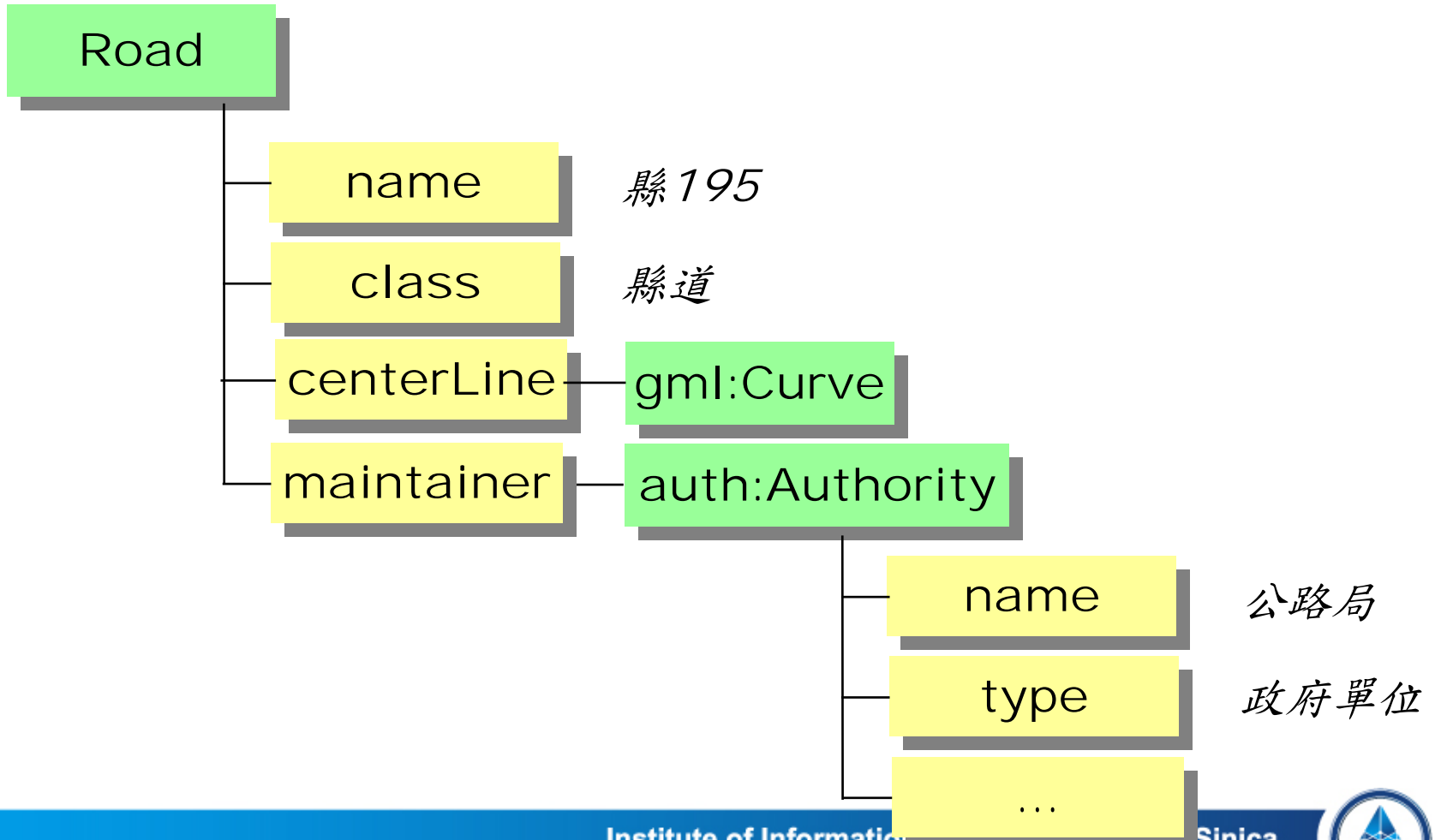
建構一個資訊社群 → 達到語彙(圖徵型態和它們的屬性)一致。



# 模式化的圖徵型態

```
<Road gml:id="CR195">  
  <name>縣195</name>  
  <class>縣道</class>  
  <centerLine>  
    <gml:Curve>...</gml:Curve>  
  </centerLine>  
  <maintainer>公路局</maintainer>  
</Road>
```

# 模式化的圖徵型態



# 模式化的圖徵型態

```
<Road gml:id=" CR195">  
  <name>縣195</name>  
  <class>縣道</class>  
  <centerLine>  
    <gml:Curve>...</gml:Curve>  
  </centerLine>  
  <maintainer>  
    <auth:Authority gml:id= "AU028">  
      <name>公路局</name>  
      <type>政府單位</type>  
    </auth:Authority>  
  </maintainer>  
</Road>
```

# 模式化的圖徵型態

```
<Road gml:id= "CR195">  
  <name>縣195</name>  
  <class>縣道</class>  
  <centerLine>  
    <gml:Curve>...</gml:Curve>  
  </centerLine>  
  <maintainer xlink:href="urn:x-auth:AU028" />  
</Road>
```

- 屬性的子元素亦可是“物件”，且可透過xlink:href來取得。
- xlink:href以連結方式來關連其它物件的屬性值。
- 所要關連的物件可以是同一份GML文件的一部份或任何網際網路和內部網路之中。

# GML 模型

基礎模型是圖徵型態/屬性

<圖徵型態名稱>

<屬性名稱1>

<型態名稱> ... </型態名稱>

</屬性名稱1>

...

<屬性名稱N>

...

</屬性名稱N>

</圖徵型態名稱>

# GML 模型

<圖徵型態名稱>

<屬性名稱1>

<型態名稱> ...</型態名稱>

</屬性名稱1>

<屬性名稱2>

<型態名稱>

</屬性名稱>

...

</屬性名稱>

</型態名稱>

</屬性名稱2>

...

<屬性名稱N>

...

</屬性名稱N>

</圖徵型態名稱>

屬性/型態可被巢狀化，可無限延伸至你想要

# GML 模型

簡單屬性型態

```
<abc:House>
```

```
<abc:numRooms>8</ abc:numRooms >  
<abc:address>1234 Main St</abc:address>  
<abc:type>Town house</type>
```

```
<gml:extentOf>
```

```
<gml:Polygon srsName = " ... " />
```

```
<gml:exterior>
```

```
<gml:LinearRing>
```

```
<gml:coordinates>... </gml:coordinates>
```

```
</gml:LinearRing>
```

```
</gml:exterior>
```

```
</gml:Polygon>
```

```
</gml:extentOf>
```

...

```
</ abc:House >
```

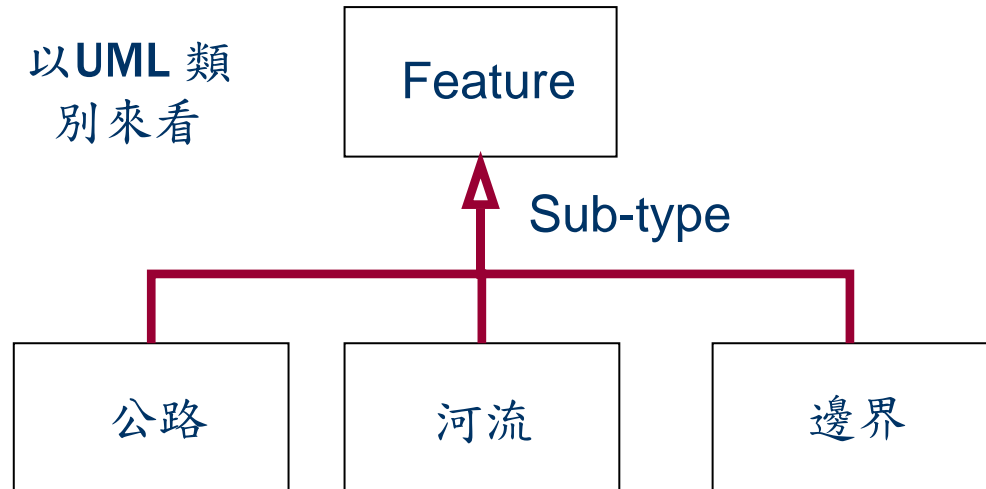
複雜屬性

# GML – 圖徵



在此的圖徵是一個有意義的物件或觀念

以UML類別來看



公路、河流和邊界是圖徵的子類別(subclass)



# An example of feature collection

```
<Rivers>
  <name>淡水河</name>
  <gml:featureMember>
    <Segment id="001">
      <gml:centerLineOf>
        <gml:curveProperty>
          ...
        </gml:curveProperty>
      </gml:centerLineOf>
    </Segment>
  </gml:featureMember>
  <crossArea>
    <Town>三重市</Town>
    <Town xlink:type = "simple" xlink:href = "#淡水鎮"/>
  </crossArea>
</Rivers>
```

# The GML application schema for above example

```
<element name="Rivers" type="Rivers"
substitutionGroup="gml:_FeatureCollection"/>
<complexType name="Rivers">
  <complexContent>
    <extension base="gml:AbstractFeatureCollectionType">
      <sequence>
        <element name="name" type="string"/>
        <element name="gml:featureMember"/>
        <element name="crossArea" type="crossAreaType"/>
      </sequence>
    </extension>
  </complexContent>
</complexType>
```

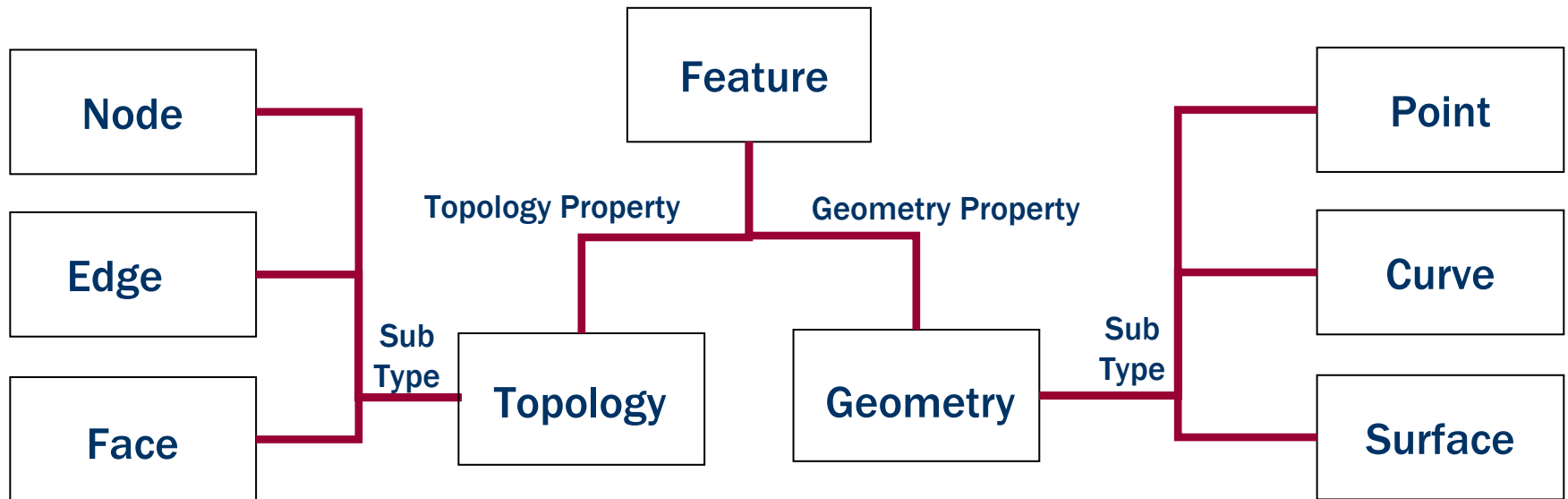
# 基於FeatureCollection的GML文件

```
<abc:FeatureCollection>  
  <abc:featureMember>  
    < .. 一些圖徵 .. >  
  </abc:featureMember>  
  <abc:featureMember xlink:href="http:// ..."/>  
  <abc:featureMember>  
    < .. 一些圖徵 .. >  
  </abc:featureMember>  
  <abc:featureMember>  
    < .. 圖徵集合中的其它屬性 .. >  
</abc:FeatureCollection>
```

其中 `<abc:FeatureCollection>` 是一個元素(element)，它的內容模式(content model)是由 `gml:AbstractFeatureCollectionType` 衍生。

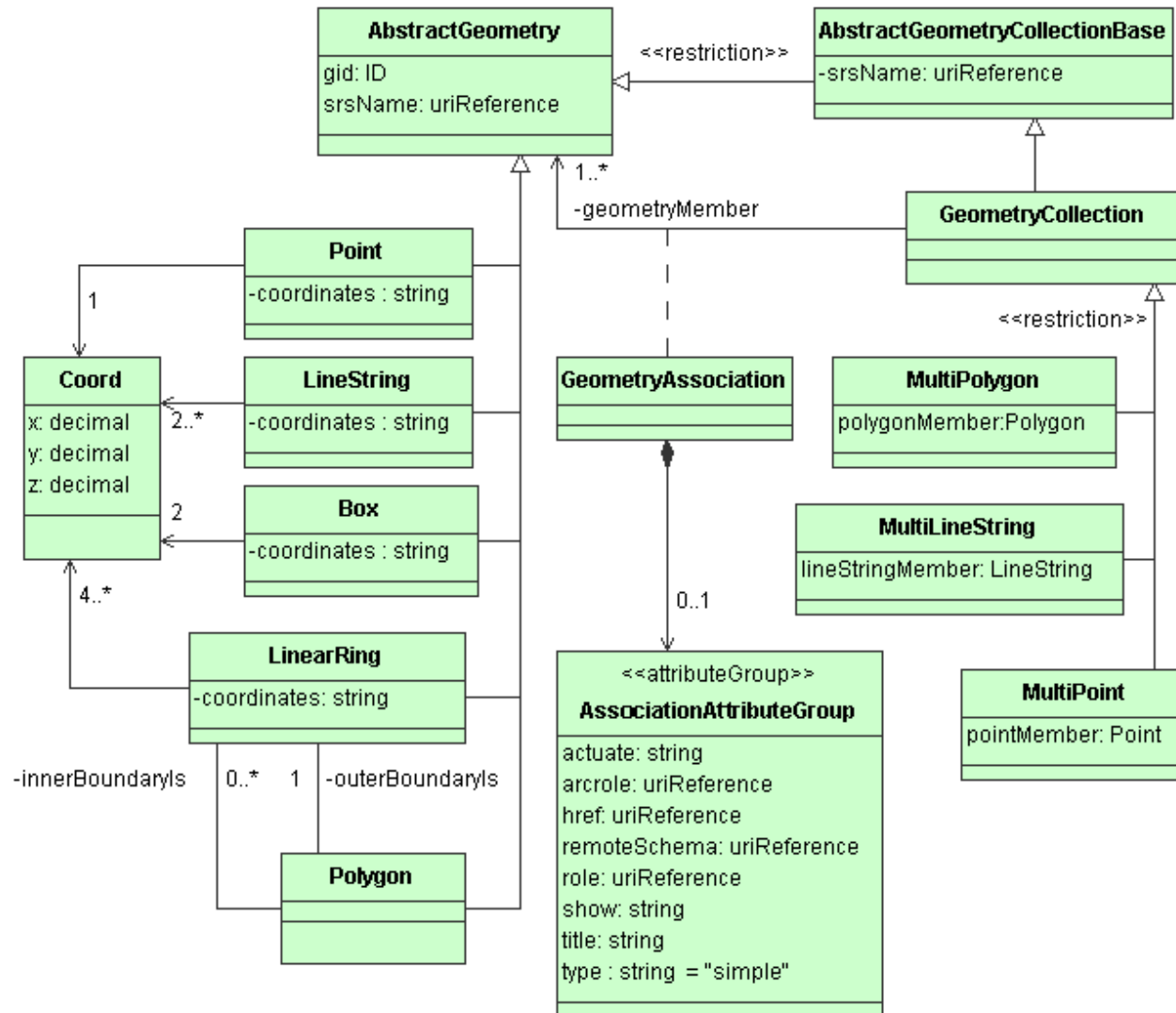


# 模式化地理資料 – 圖徵(Features)



圖徵可有3D幾何或拓撲屬性。

# GML 幾何模型



# 幾何屬性

GML提供幾何屬性的想法。

幾何屬性是“幾何的值”(“geometry-valued”.)

屬性名稱描述在圖徵關係中屬性角色

e.g.

```
<百貨公司 gml:id = “台北101”>  
  <gml:centerOf> ←  
    <gml:Point srsName = “...” > ...  
  </gml:Point>  
</gml:centerOf>  
</百貨公司>
```

# GML圖徵幾何

```
<tgml:建物 gml:id = “台北101”>  
  <tgml:樓層數>101</tgml:樓層數>  
  <tgml:土地使用>商業區</tgml:土地使用>  
  <tgml:面積 uom=“#m2”>100000</tgml:面積>  
  <tgml:相鄰街道>市府路</tgml:相鄰街道>  
  <tgml:街號>45</tgml:街號>  
  <gml:location>  
    <gml:Point srsName = “ ... ”>  
      <gml:coordinates>55661.1454,  
        454656.67</gml:coordinates>  
    </gml:Point>  
  </gml:location>  
</tgml:建物>
```

# 幾何屬性

GML提供一些已定義的幾何屬性值：

## 點(point-valued)屬性

- centerOf
- location
- position

## 線(curve-valued)屬性



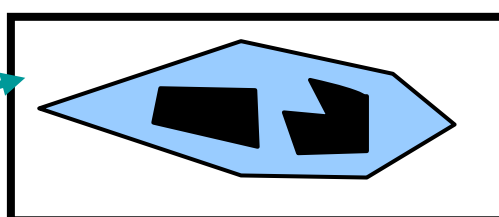

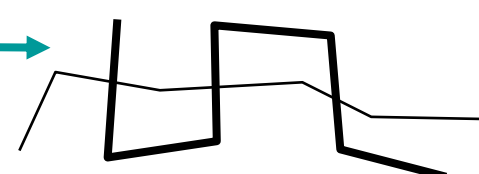

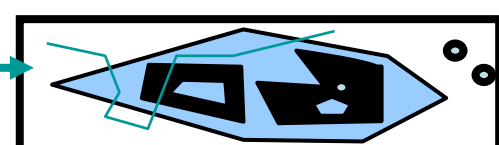
- centerLineOf
- edgeOf

## 面 (Surface Valued) 屬性

- extentOf
- coverage



# 一般被使用的 GML 幾何類別

- Point 
- Line String (linear) 
- Polygon (linear) 
- MultiPoint 
- MultiLineString 
- MultiPolygon 
- MultiGeometry 

# Point

```
<gml:pointArrayProperty>
```

```
  <gml:Point>
```

```
    <gml:coordinates>311153,2770508</gml:coordinates>
```

```
  </gml:Point>
```

```
</gml:pointArrayProperty
```

# Line

```
<gml:curveProperty>  
  <gml:Curve>  
    <gml:segments>  
      <gml:LineStringSegment>  
        <gml:coordinates>311176,2770535  
311177,2770530..</gml:coordinates>  
      </gml:LineStringSegment>  
    </gml:segments>  
  </gml:Curve>  
</gml:curveProperty>
```

# Polygon

```
<gml:PolygonProperty>
  <gml:Polygon>
    <gml:exterior> (若是中空的多邊形之內框, 則用gml:interior)
      <gml:Ring>
        <gml:curveMember>
          <gml:Curve>
            <gml:segments>
              <gml:LineStringSegment>
                <gml:coordinates>311030,2770504 .. 311030,2770504
            </gml:coordinates> (第一個座標值和最後一個座標值是相同)
              </gml:LineStringSegment>
            </gml:segments>
          </gml:Curve>
        </gml:curveMember>
      </gml:Ring>
    </gml:exterior>
  </gml:Polygon>
</gml:PolygonProperty>
```

# Some examples

- The ESRI's GML document
- The example of GeoWeb Workshop
- 台北市政府地籍資料

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