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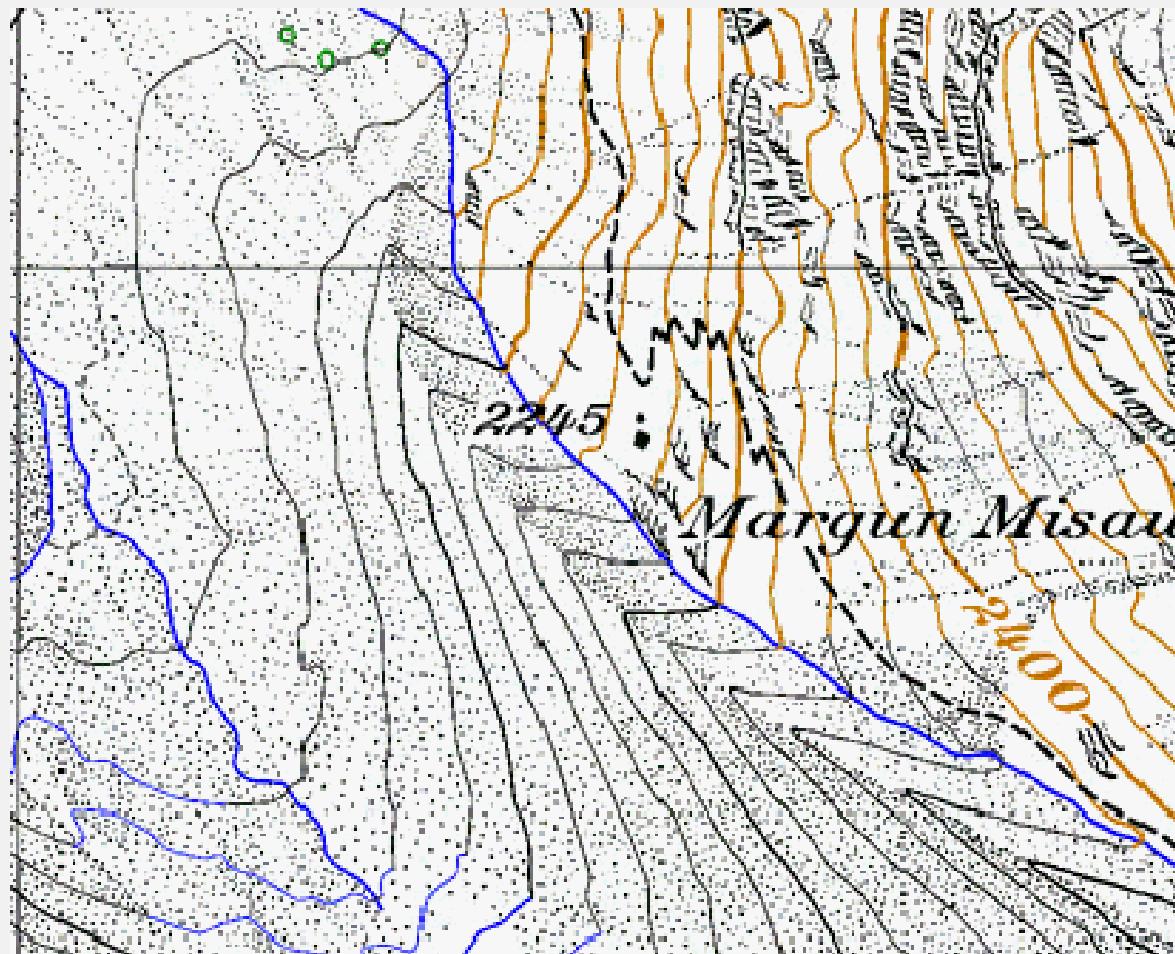
**From the field  
sheet to the complete  
digital workflow**

**from nature ...**



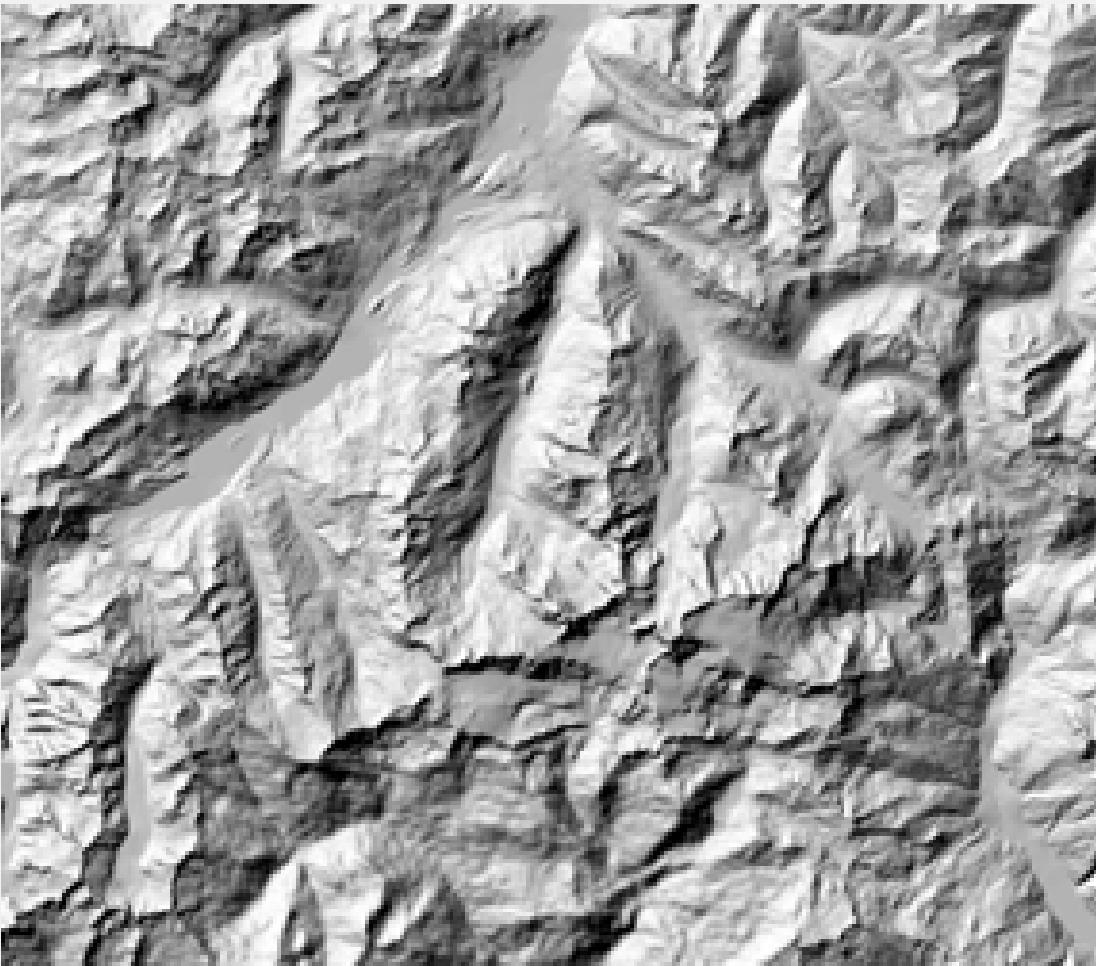
Tschierva glacier

# ... to the map



1:25'000

# ... or a digital model



# „side“ product



# technology



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# **from reality to models and representations**

**landscape  
survey**

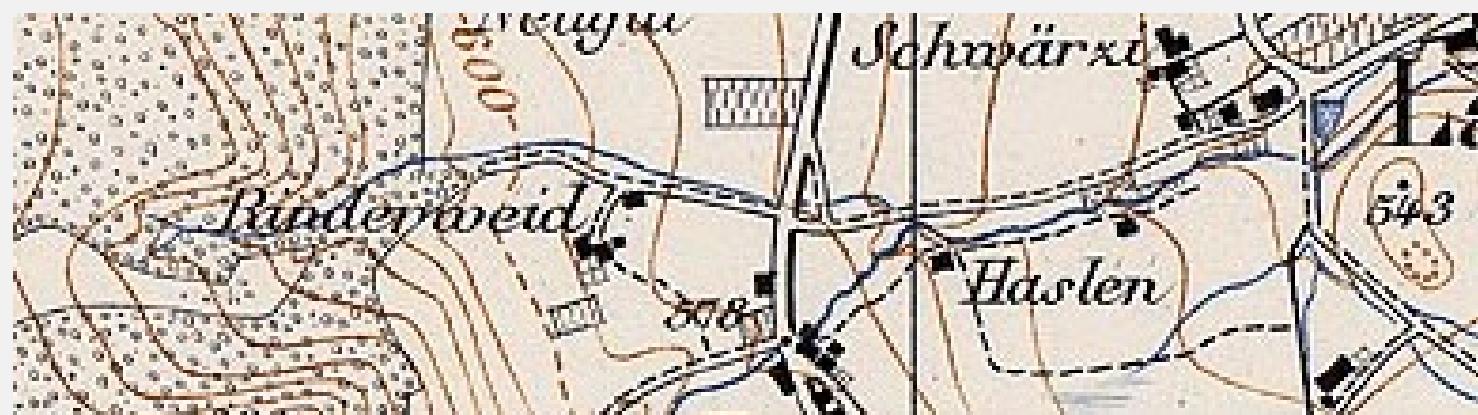
**selection and editing                          data bank**  
**cartographic treatment      visualization**  
**reproduction**  
**publication**

# plane table survey

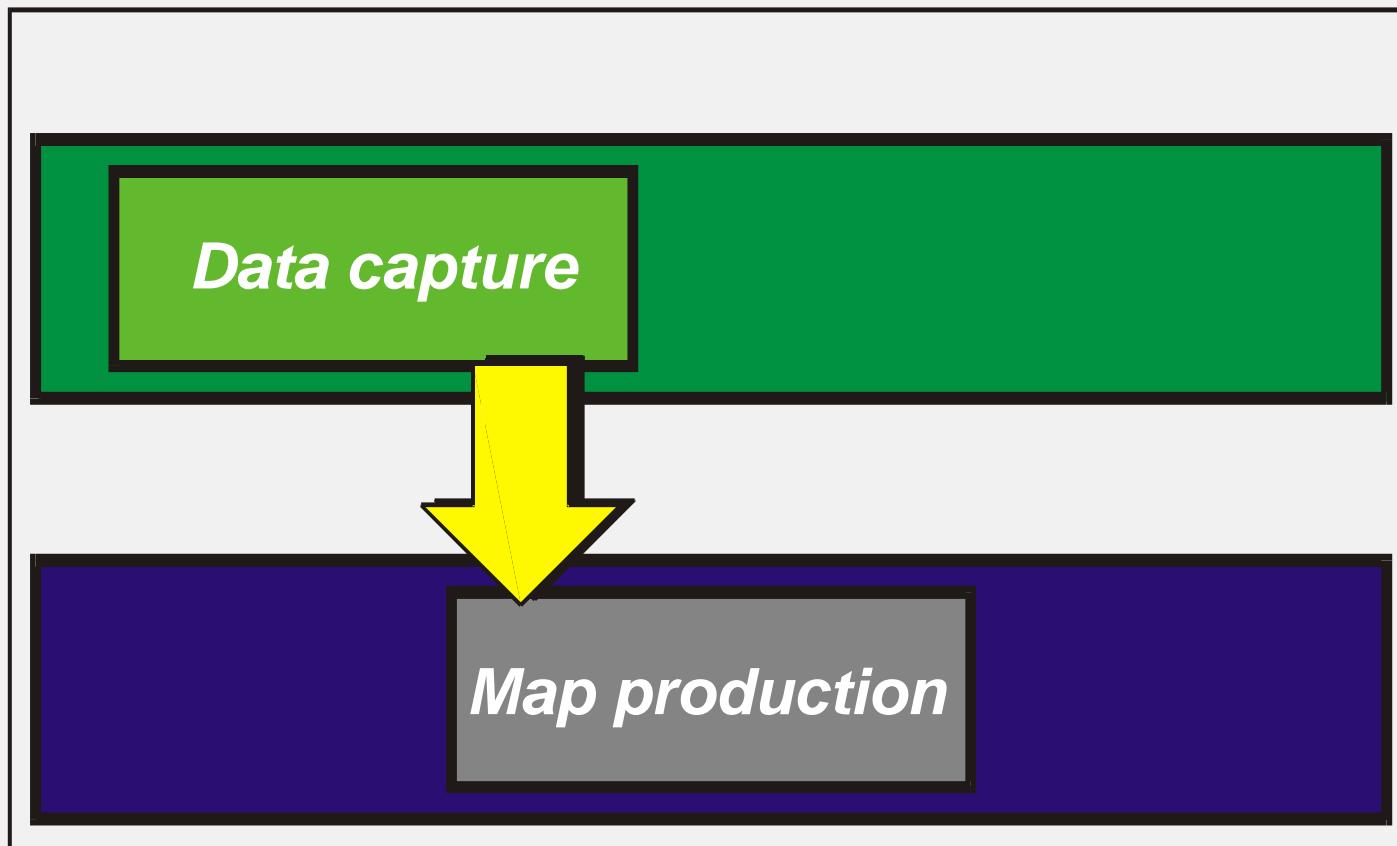


- rules as „data model“
- direct measures
- instant classification
- storage on sketch map

# maps of the 19th century



# map production



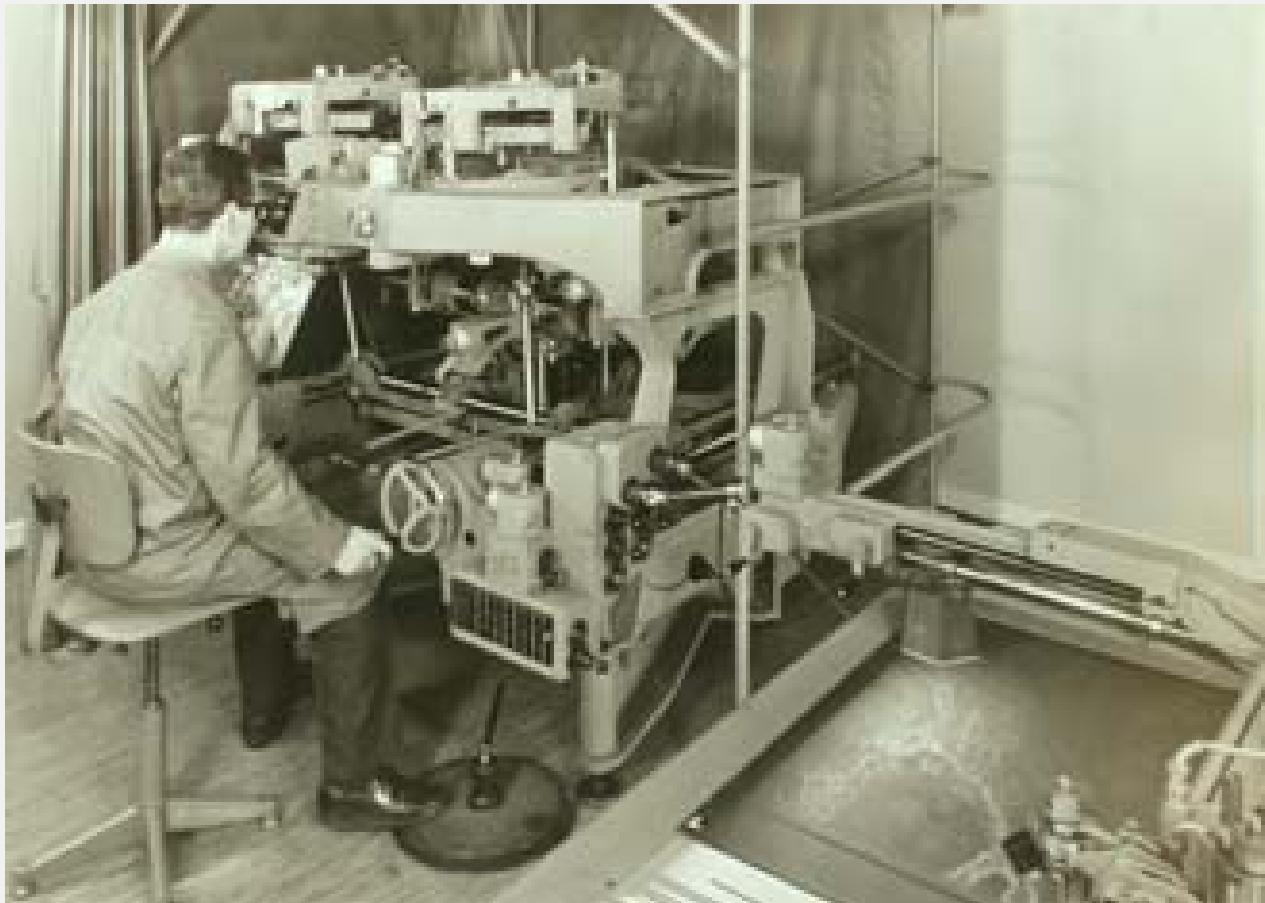
# map production 1960

- **cadastral base map 1:10'000**
- **updated with aerial photographs**
- **field check**
- **scribing on glass plates**

# cadastral base map 1:5000 (or 1:10'000)



# stereo plotting



# field check



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# scribing on glass plates



# National Map Series 1:25'000



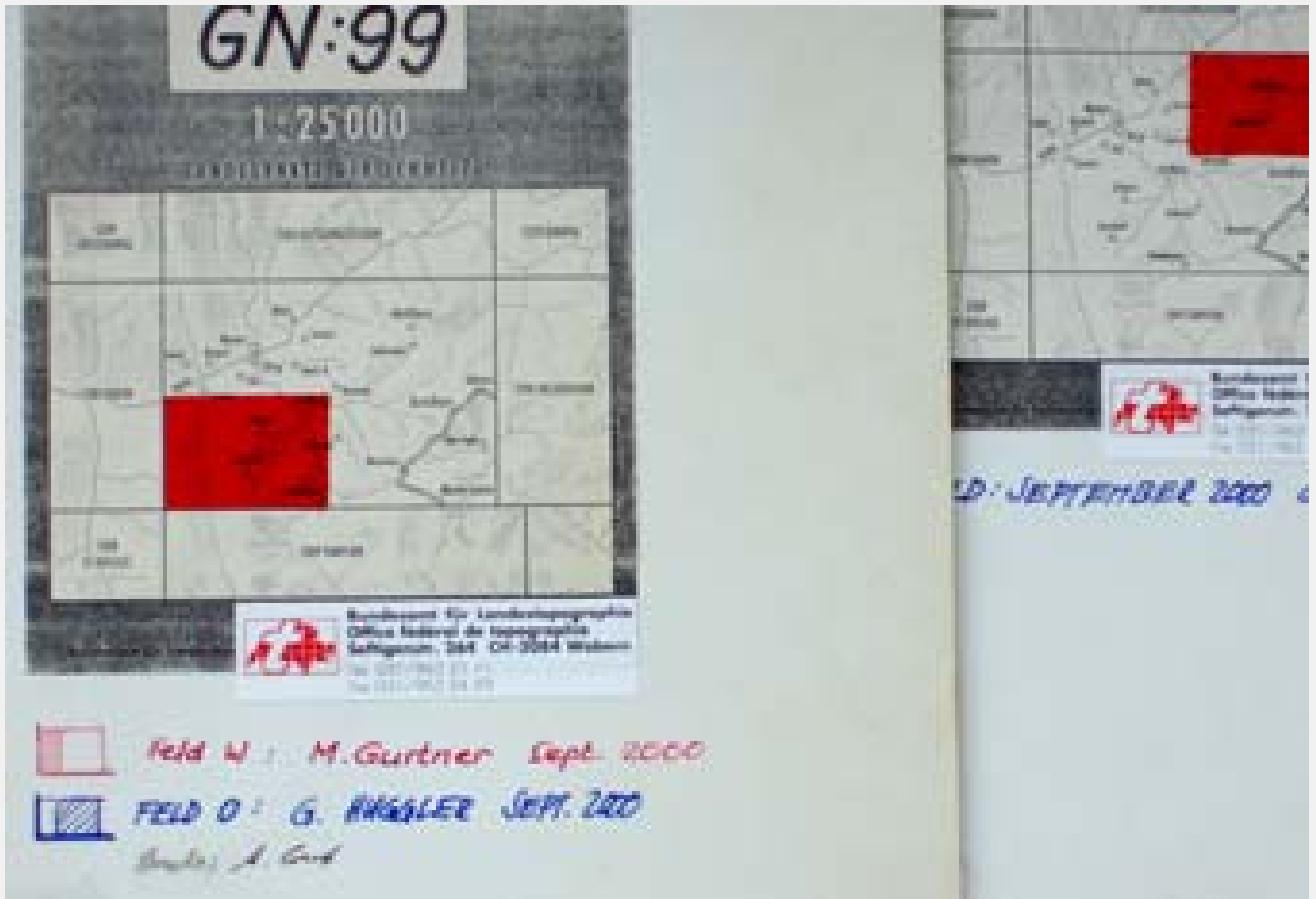
# map revision 1980



# field check



# field sheets



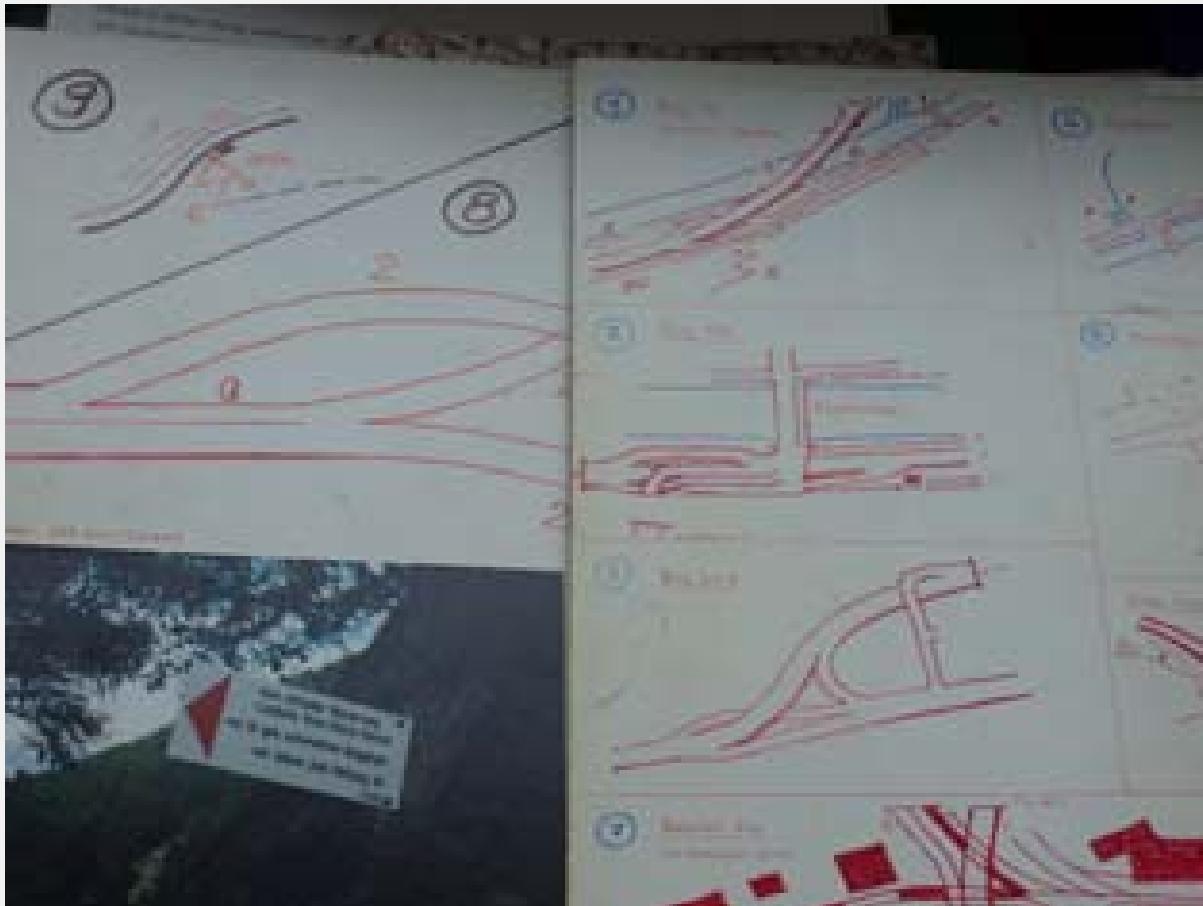
# additions and deletions



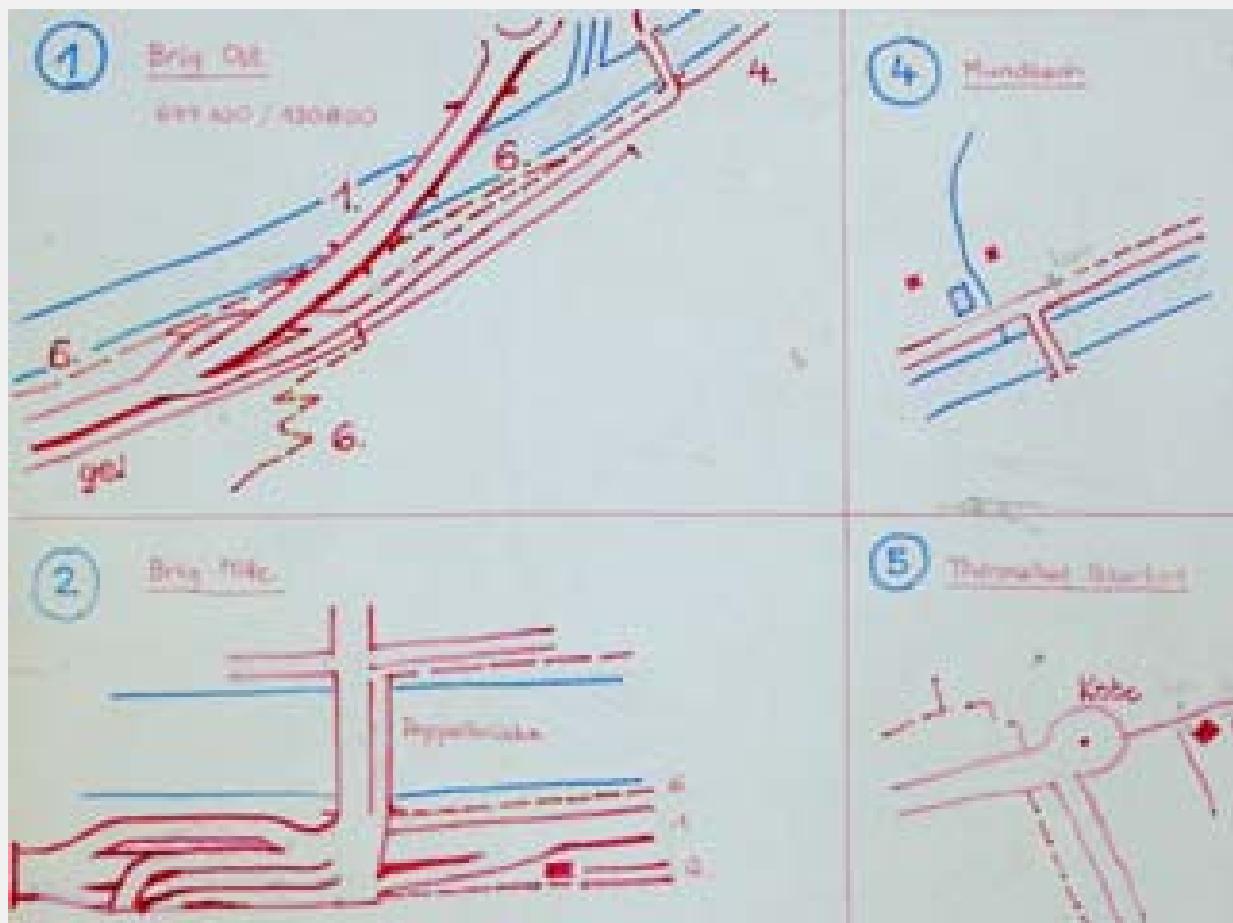
# comments



# details



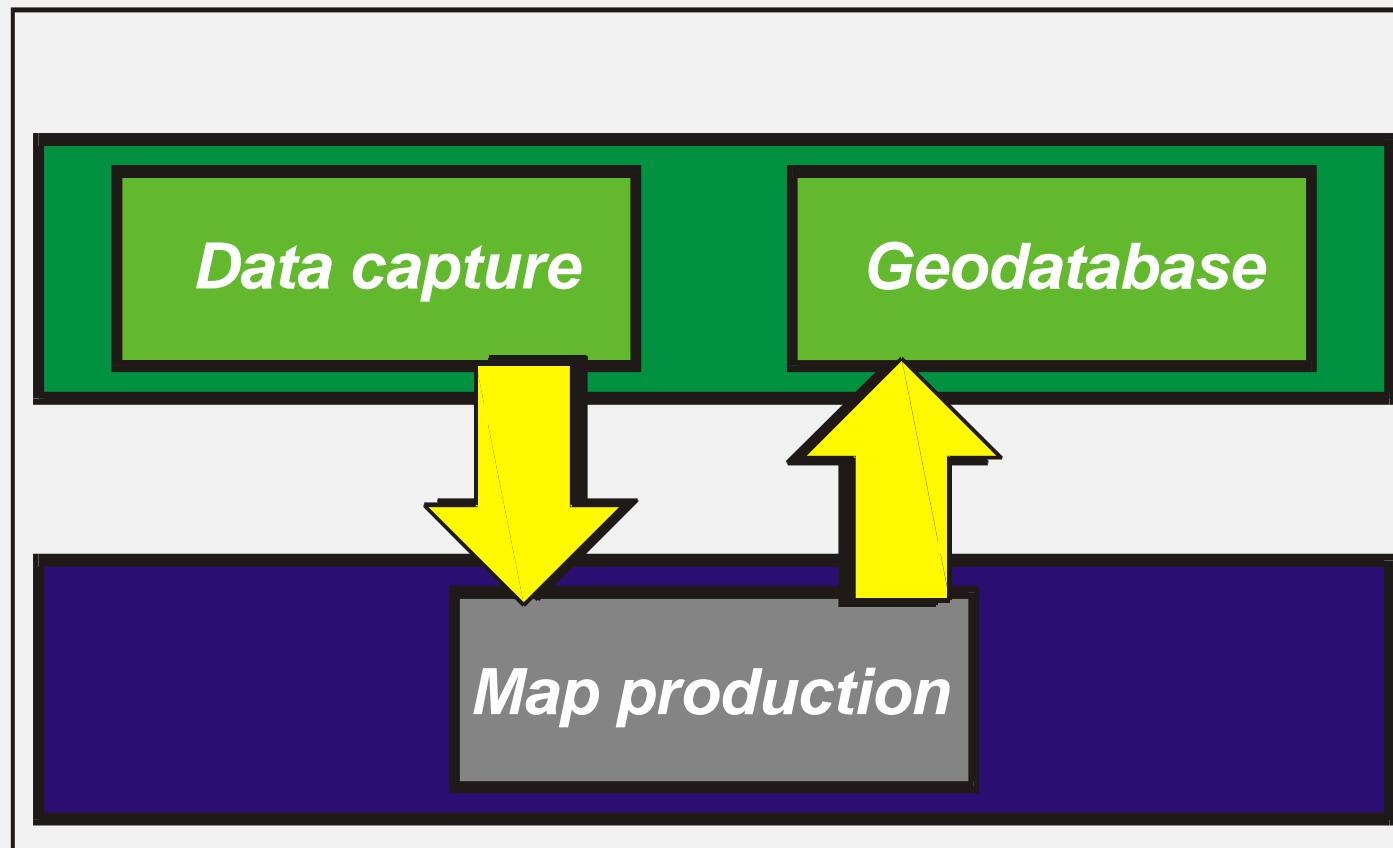
## details (2)



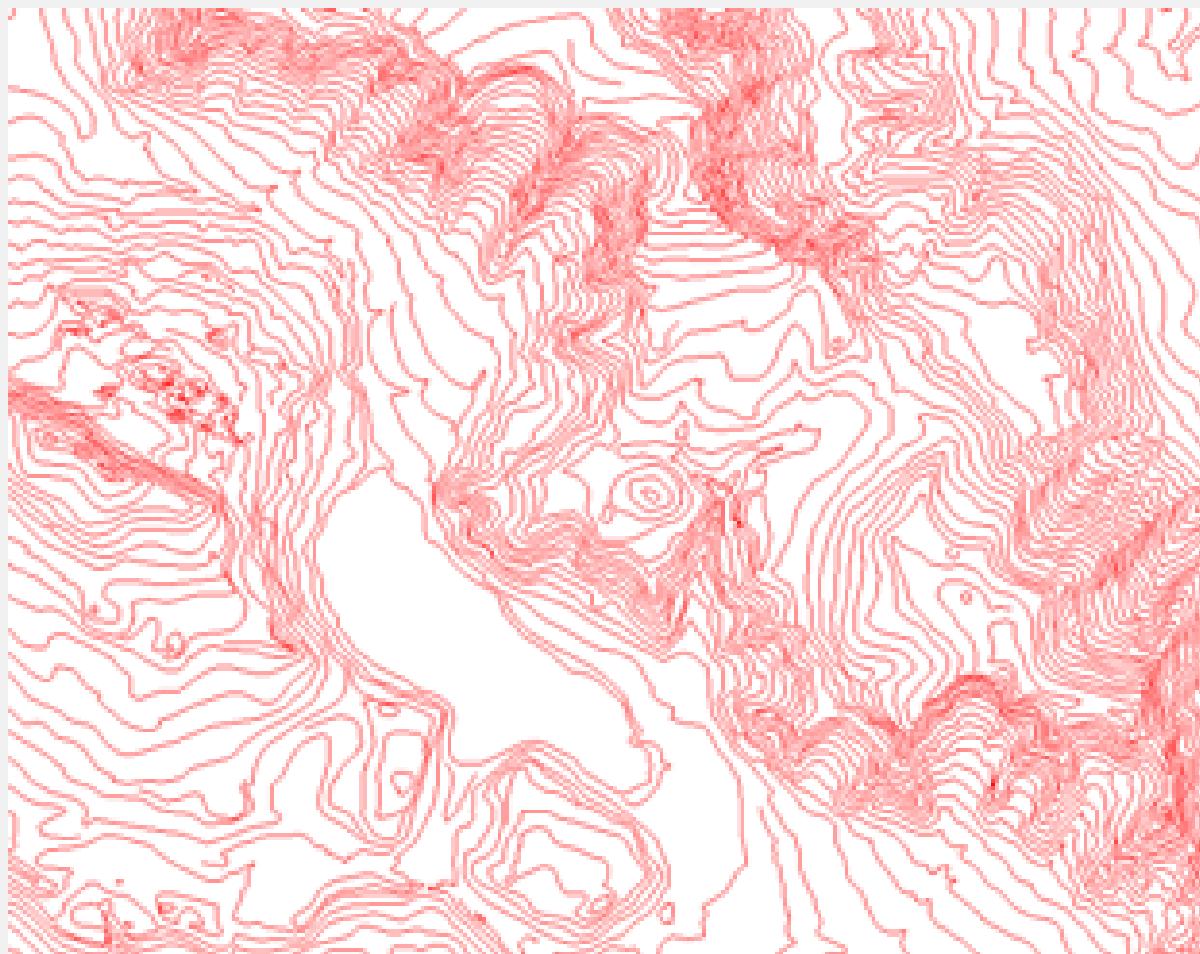
# map revision 1990



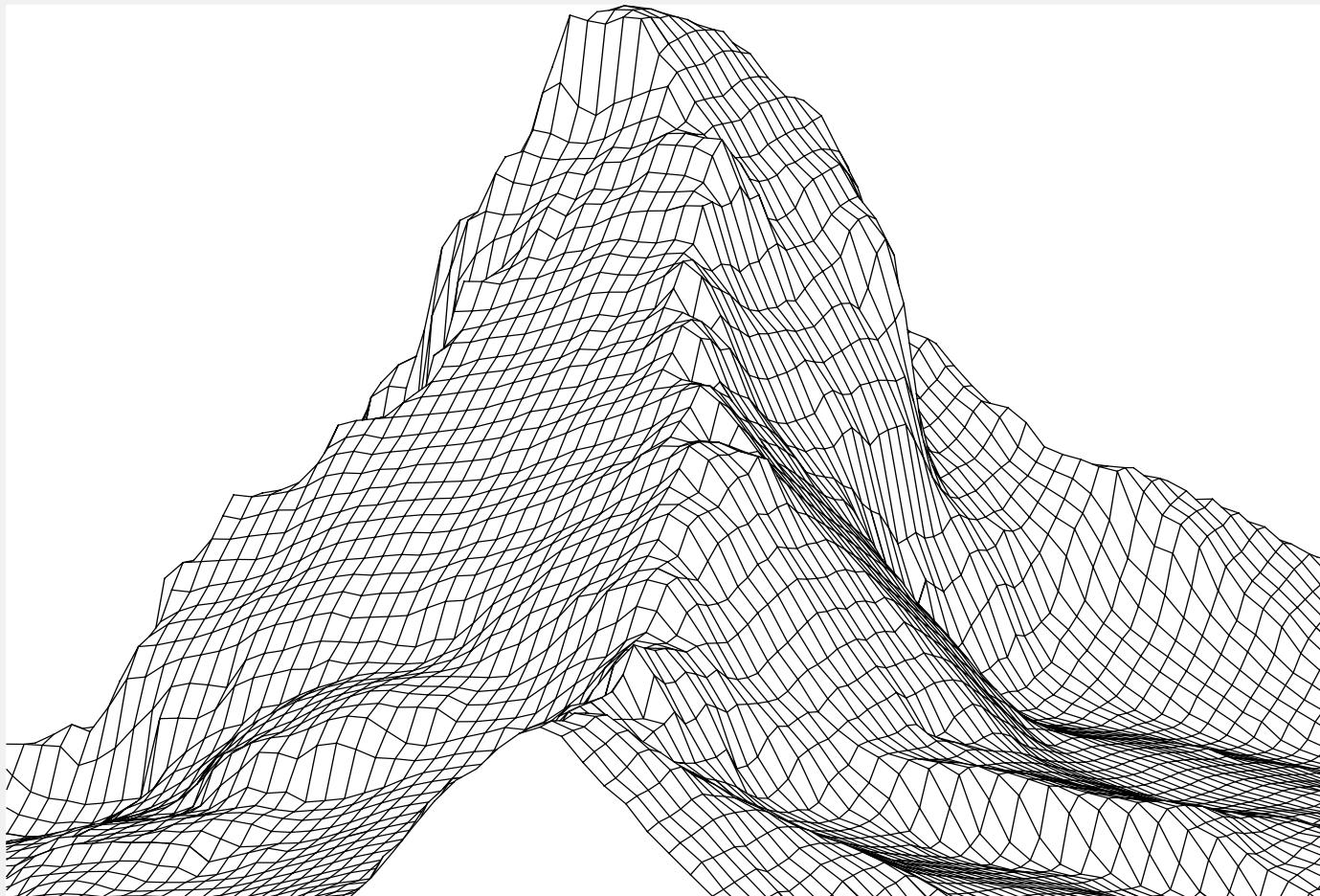
# first digital models



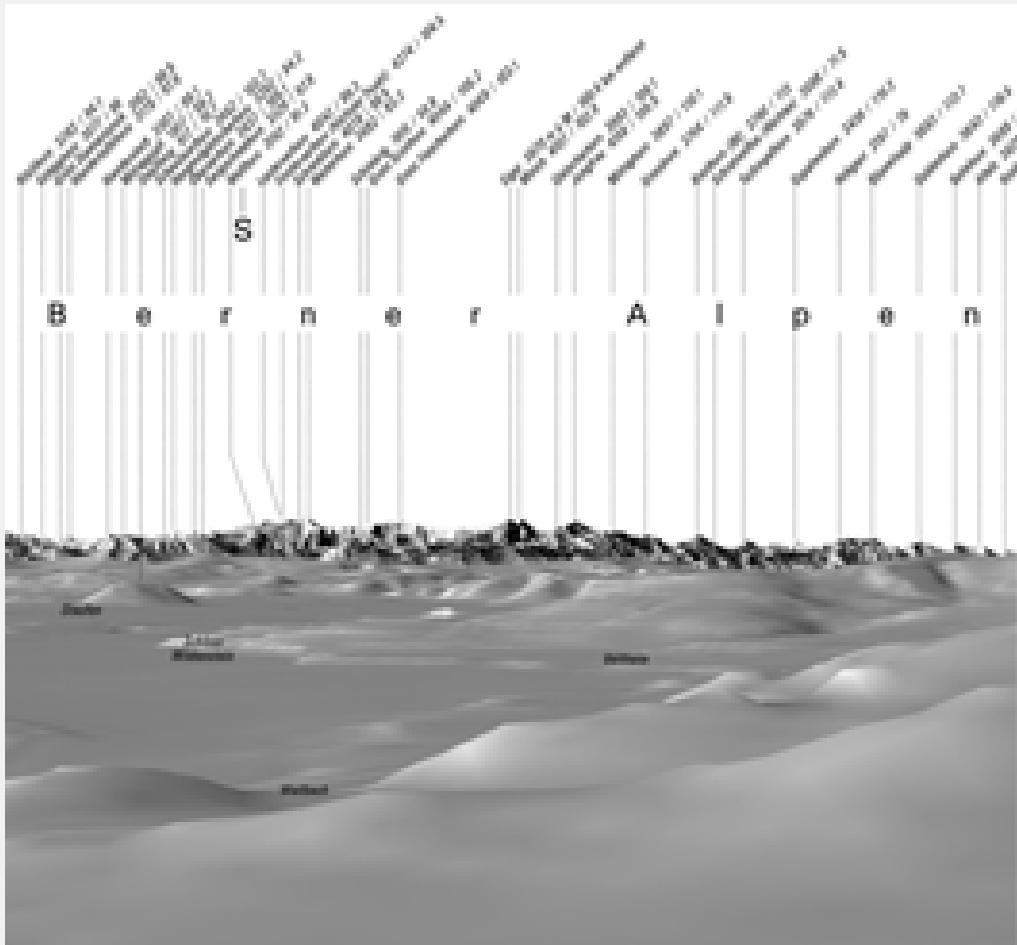
# digital elevation model



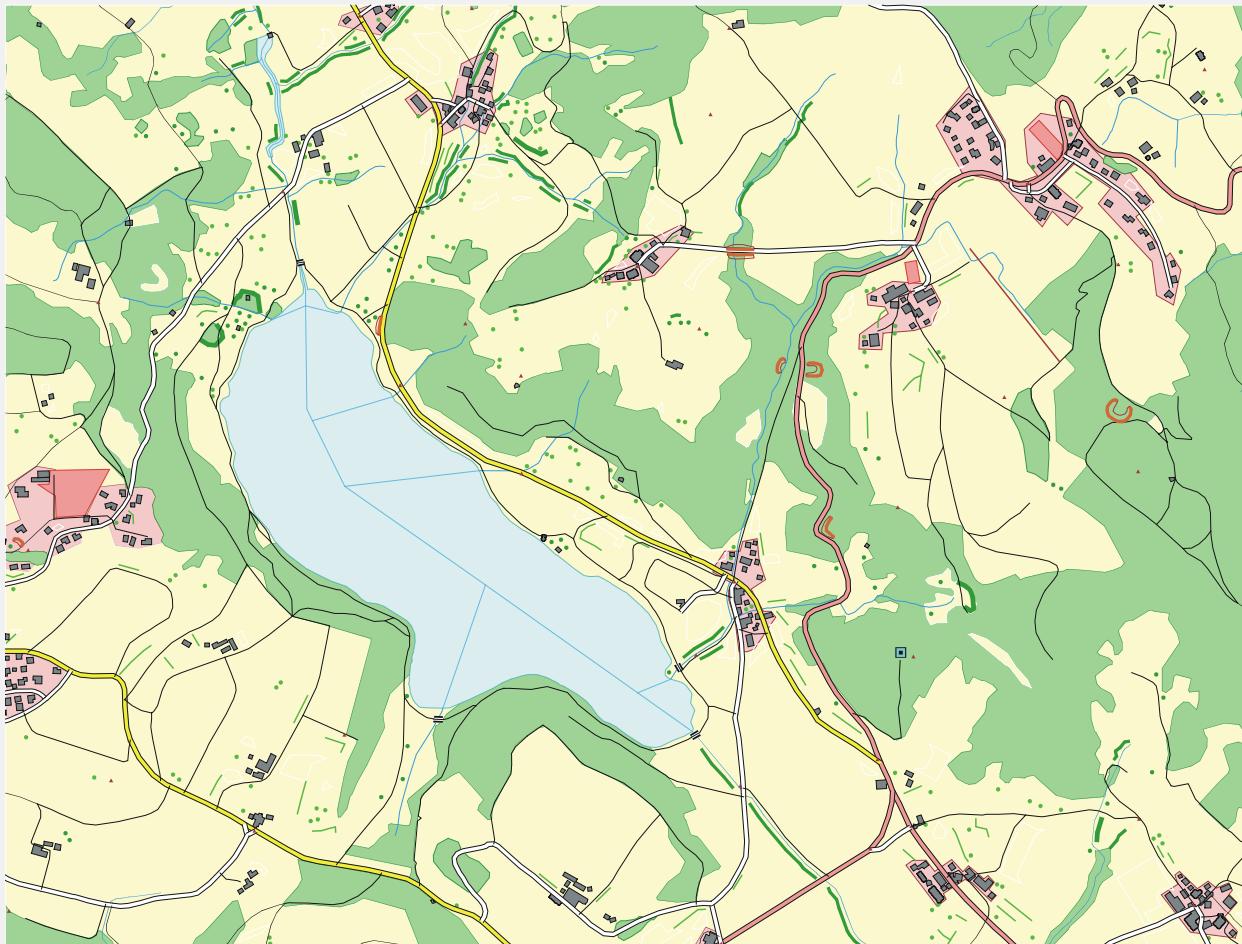
# „wire frame“



# panoramas



# vector25

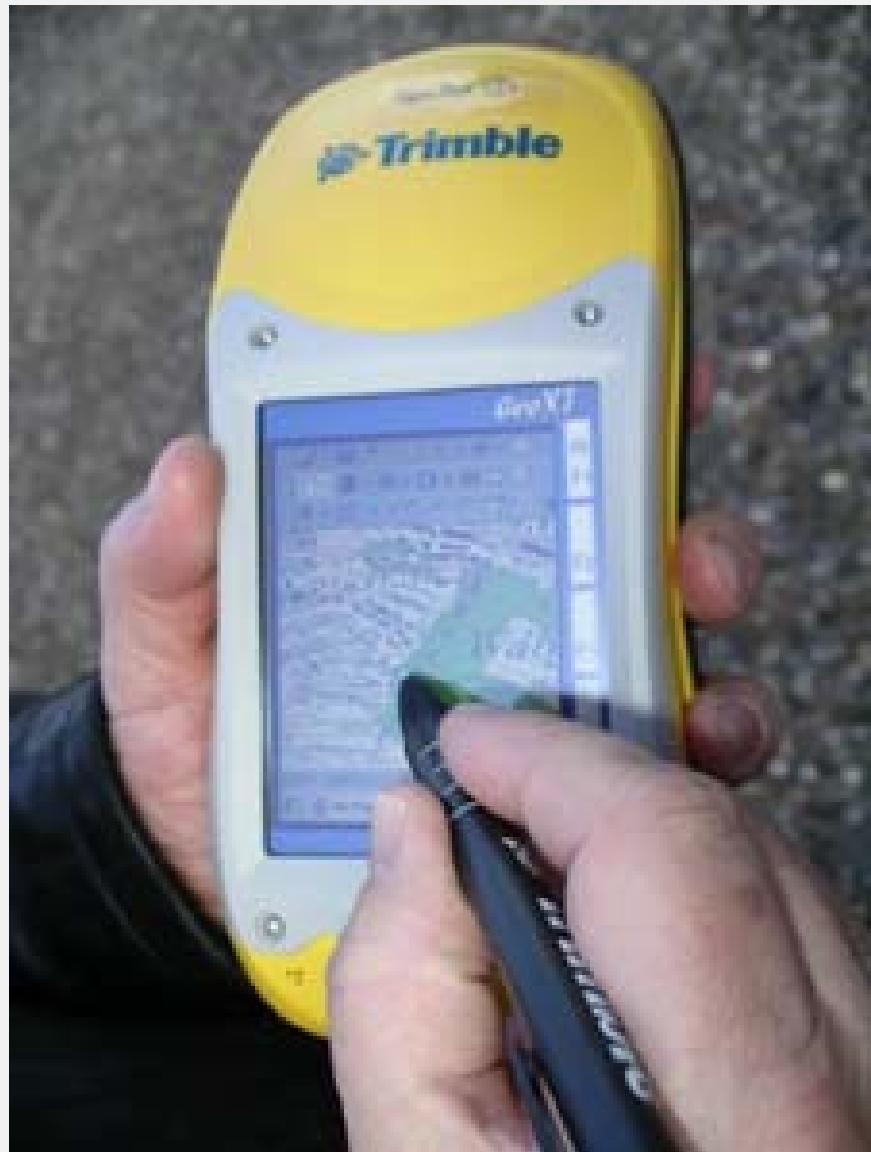


# data capture 2005

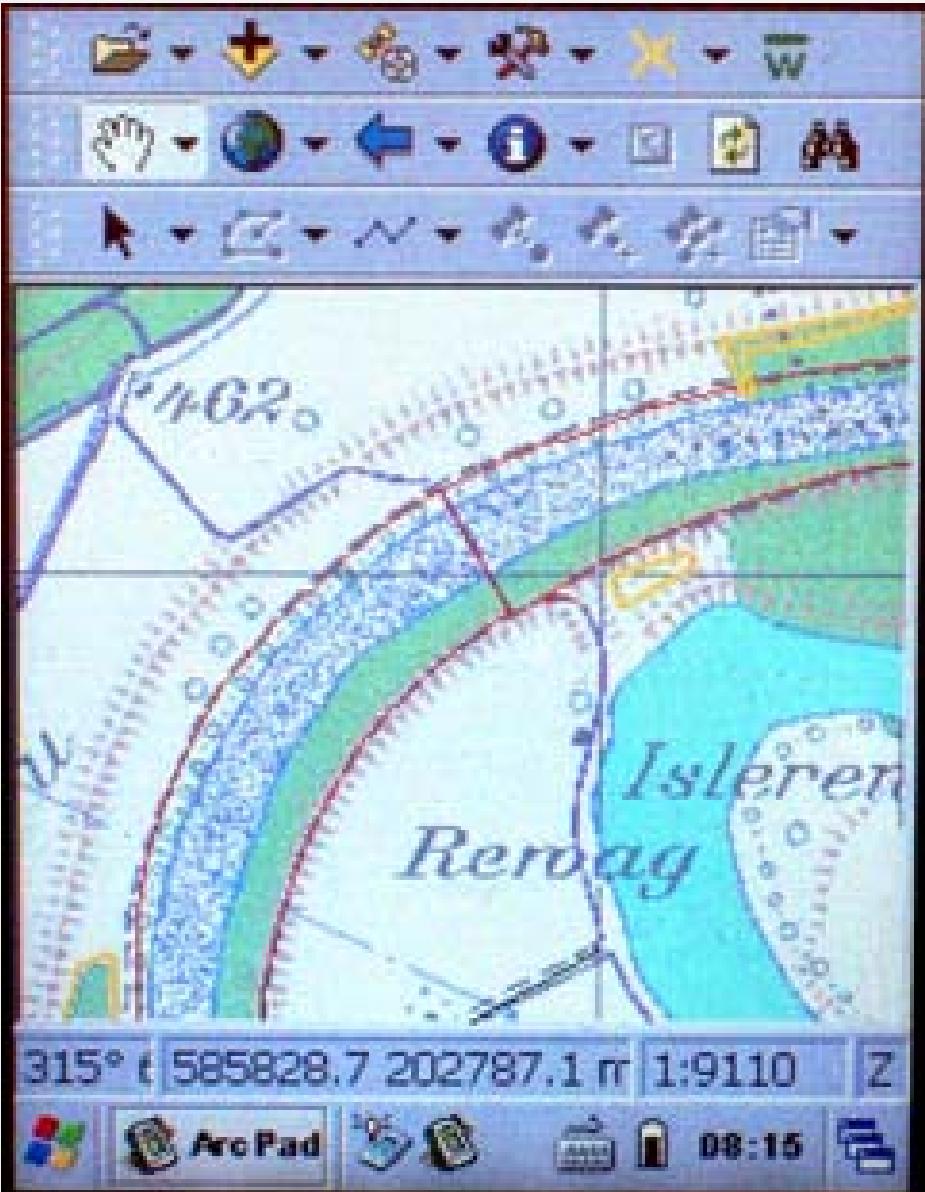


# field check



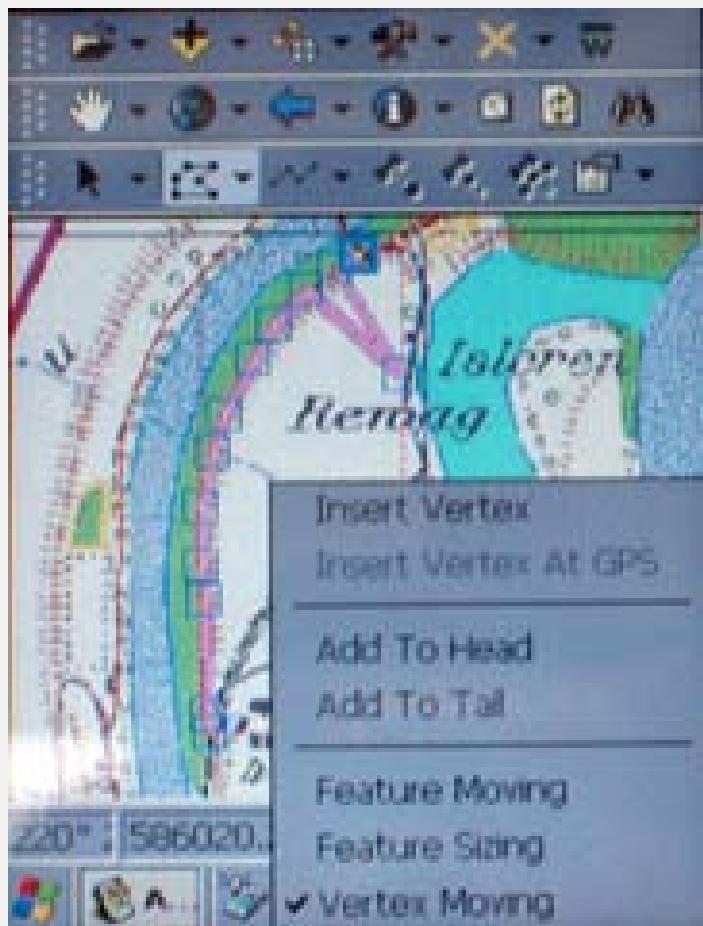


# GPS and vector editing



## TopoPad

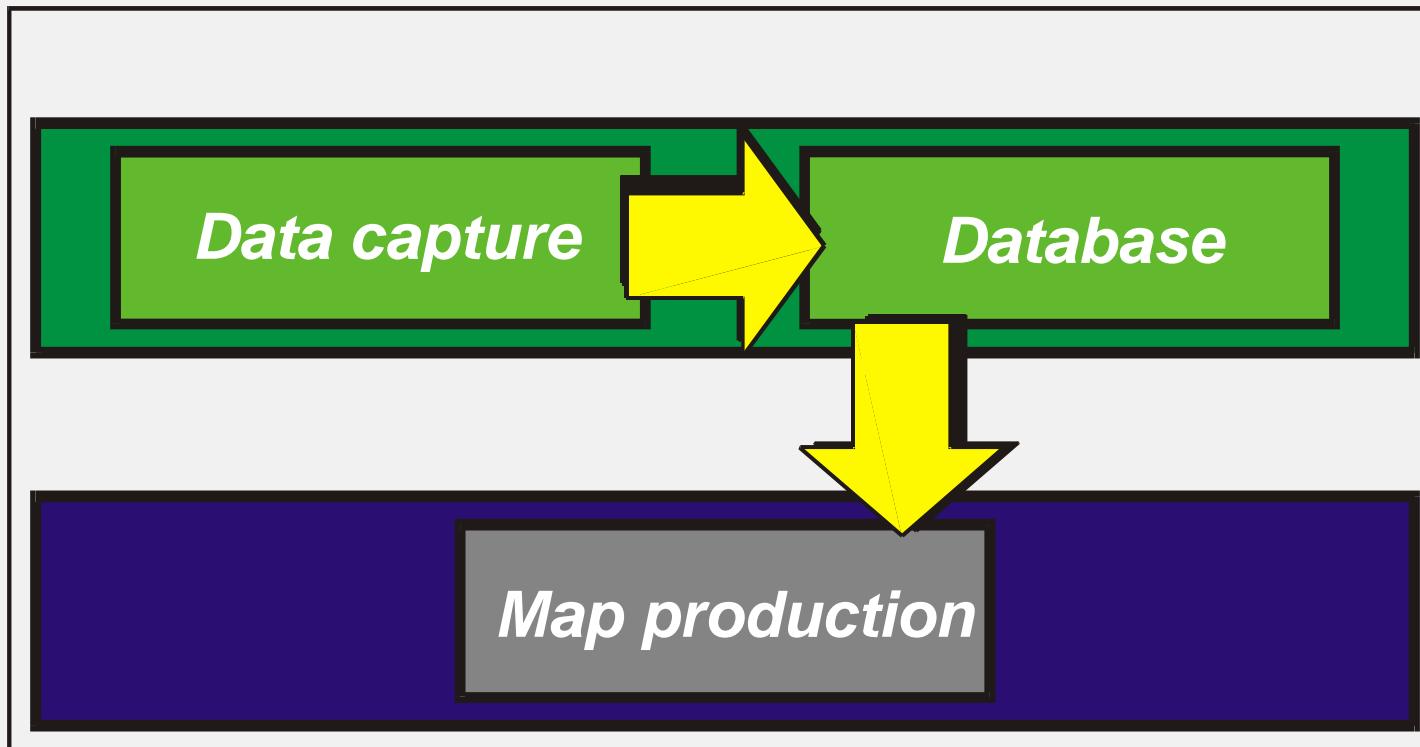
# editing



# cartography



# updating the database 2010



# aerial photography



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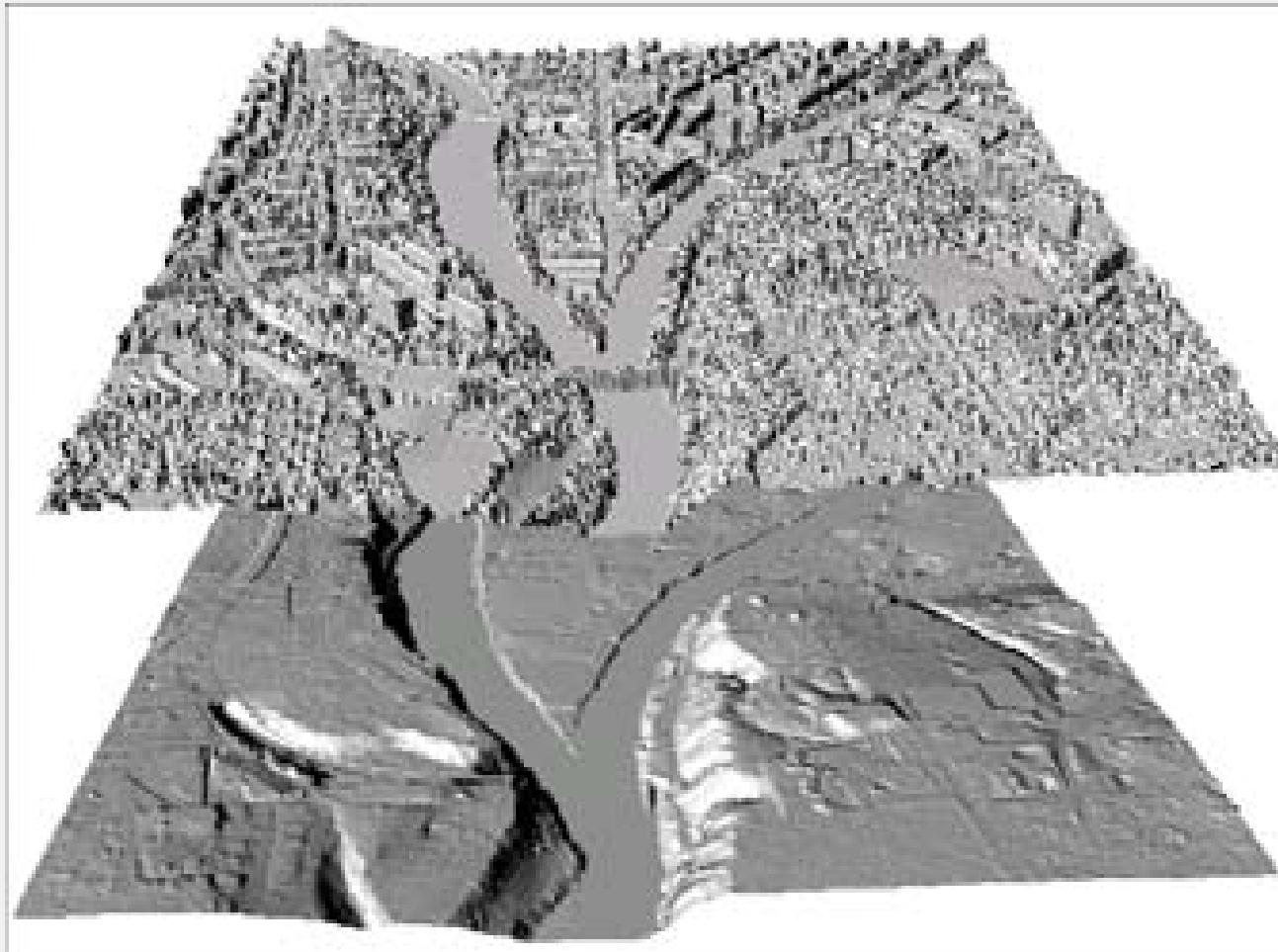
# stereo plotting



# new vehicle ?



# terrain / surface models



# digital cartographic model



# test sheet 2005



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	<b>Data model</b>	<b>Data capture</b>	<b>Data storage</b>	<b>Cartographic treatment</b>	<b>Publication</b>
1920	Dufour and Siegfried	plane table survey	sketch map	copper engraving	paper maps
1960	National Map Series	aerial photogrammetry, field check	glass plates	scribing on glass plates	aerial photographs, paper maps
2000	National Map Series, VECTOR25	analytical plotter, field check	analogue and vectors	completely digital (bitmaps)	orthophotos, vectors, paper maps, pixel maps
2010	topographic landscape model	digital stereo plotter, field check	vectors	digital (vector graphics)	orthophotos, vectors, vector maps, paper maps, pixel maps

# **additional information for tourists**

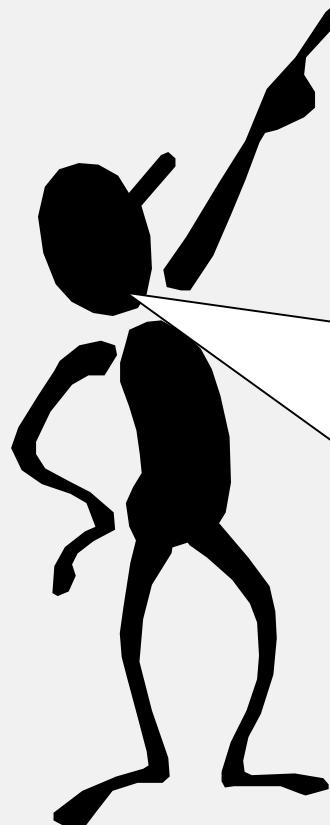


- public transport
- informations centres and panels
- marked trails
- tracks for prams, bicycles, ...
- accommodation
- other supplies

# conclusion

a thorough **field check**  
– combined with data collected  
from other sources –  
can provide **reliable information**  
for maps and topographic data bases  
to be used by tourists.

# map quality



*The best map  
is the one that offers  
no surprises  
to the user!*

# synthetical „view“



