Section: GeoNode Answers to section modules.

Module Name GeoNode Overview

Question: What is GeoNode

Answer: A spatial data management system and publishing platform

Question: What functionality does GeoNode provide

Answer: Answer a. and Answer b.

Module Name User Accounts

Question: Which of the following statements regarding GeoNode user accounts is the

most correct

Answer: Both are true, but are optional settings controlled by system administrators

Question: Which of the following statements about GeoNode user accounts is false <u>Answer</u>: Registered user accounts allow users to delete any content on GeoNode

Module Name Uploading Layers

Question: Can a user who is not logged into GeoNode upload their layers Answer: No, your user account needs to be granted the relevant permissions to be able to upload data by a GeoNode administrator

Question: Can I upload a zipped file containing raster data into GeoNode

Answer: No, this functionality is specific to vector data

Question: Can I upload a proprietary raster format in GeoNode

Answer: Yes, if you can view it in QGIS then it is possible

Module Name Creating Layers

Question: Is it possible to configure GeoNode to use satellite imagery as a basemap

Answer: Yes, an administrator can easily do this

Question: Can you setup snapping in GeoNode like you would in QGIS or ArcGIS

Answer: No

Question: Which of the following statements regarding layer creation is false

Answer: There is a limit to the number of attribute fields that can be applied to a layer

Module Name Managing Resources

Question: -

Module Name Layer Metadata

Question: Which statement is false regarding metadata standards

Answer: It helps users to understand the data characteristics

Question: Metadata generated from other platforms, such as the QGIS MetaTools plugin, can be ingested in GeoNode despite being produced with different toolsets.

Why is that?

Answer: They all produce metadata that adhere to some common standard

Module Name Layer Symbology

Question: Can you also symbolize raster data using SLD Answer: Yes, SLD can be used for multiple spatial data types

Question: Is it possible to symbolize point layers with complex icons using SLD, such

as Hospitals

Answer: Yes, you can generate quite complex symbology with SLD

Question: Which of the following statements is false

Answer: Raster data cannot be symbolized in the GeoNode GUI like vector layers

Module Name Layer Attributes

Question: Is it possible to edit the attributes of raster data

Answer: No, GeoNode does not expose the attributes of raster layers

Question: Is it possible to replace a vector layer with a raster layer

Answer: No, their data models are completely different

Question: Is it possible to also edit the geometry of an existing feature whilst in edit

mode for attributes

Answer: You can edit an existing geometry to some extent

Module Name Layer Filters

Question: Why is it important to filter your data when creating a map Answer: To extract some interesting pattern from a dataset based on some defined criteria or a particular area of interest

Question: When creating maps can I also filter a raster layer using the attributes Answer: GeoNode has not exposed this option because of it's complexity

Module Name Content Permissions

Question: Which of the following statements best describes permission management in GeoNode

<u>Answer</u>: GeoNode permissions are granular and are defined by action and user or group

Question: How can you change permissions once they are set <u>Answer</u>: Any user with content management permissions on a GeoNode object can change the permissions using the controls in the object details page

Module Name GeoNode Groups

Question: Can any registered user create a user group on GeoNode <u>Answer</u>: *No, only system administrators can create new user groups*

Question: Which of the following statements is not true of GeoNode user groups <u>Answer</u>: Groups contain controls to prevent other platform users from sending them messages

Module Name Map Basics

Question: Why would you create a map after logging in vs when not logged in <u>Answer</u>: The ability to store your map on the GeoNode instance is only available when logged in

Question: Why would you not create a map with layers from South Africa and Brazil Answer: The map produced will have a large extent and the layers will not overlap

Question: How would I go about adding another basemap layer like Google Hybrid to GeoNode

Answer: You need to be a developer and change a few lines of code to incorporate this

Module Name Map Widgets

Question: -

Module Name Map Annotations

Question: What are map annotations in GeoNode

Answer: User defined geometry elements overlayed on a map

Question: True or false, you can have many annotation layers in a map

Answer: False, annotations are represented as a single map layer

Question: Is it possible to export annotations for use in other GIS software

Answer: Yes, it should technically be possible, but it requires manual reconfiguration of

the annotation data

Module Name Querying Features

Question: Is it possible to only show a subset of the attributes when identifying

features Answer: *Yes*

Question: If I wanted to view the identify results as a table I would

Answer: Use the custom templates and write some custom HTML to achieve this

Question: Why would a user want to give an attribute name a new label

Answer: To give meaningful decsription for attribute columns.

Module Name Sharing Maps

Question: What permissions should you set if you want to share a map on FaceBook

Answer: 'Anyone view' access

Question: When you share a map, what are you downloading or sharing

Answer: A link to a GeoNode web map service

Question: What content types can be shared using the GeoNode sharing utilities

Answer: All of the above

Module Name GeoNode Documents

Question: What is the significance of associating documents with layers

Answer: To publish additional information about the layer beyond the metadata

Question: What is a standalone document

Answer: A document that is of a specific type, such as .pdf

Question: Can a Document be associated to multiple layers

Answer: Yes

Module Name GeoNode Search

Question: What is the difference between searching for layers when logged into

GeoNode vs not logged in

Answer: When logged in there are more search options available

Question: What is a remote service

Answer: Vector layers that can be accessed from the internet

Question: Can you search for non-spatial content and maps in GeoNode

Answer: Yes

Module Name External Metadata

Question: Why would a user choose GeoCatBridge plugin over native QGIS metadata

editor to generate metadata for use in GeoNode

Answer: QGIS does not export the metadata into a format that GeoNode understands

Question: Metadata generated from both InaSAFE and GeoCatBridge can be ingested

in GeoNode, despite being produced by different tools. Why is that

Answer: They all produce metadata that adhere to some common standard

Module Name Remote Services

Question: What remote service types does GeoNode support

Answer: WMS and ArcGIS REST MapServer services

Question: True or false, only system adminstrators can add remote services

Answer: True, regular users may add any remote service layers as long as they are

from publicly accessible sources

Module Name External Applications

Question: What kind of OGC service do you use if you need to edit the raster <u>Answer</u>: The raster cannot be edited in QGIS, you need to re-upload the raw raster in GeoNode after making your modifications

Question: What is produced when you click service info in MetaSearch and what

details does it contain

Answer: It produces a list of all geospatial data available in GeoNode excluding

documents

Question: Why is it desirable to put your username, password when setting up

connection endpoint in MetaSearch

Answer: It allows access to layers with restricted access from the GeoNode

Module Name Python Administration

Question: What components make up GeoNode Answer: GeoServer, Django, and PostgreSQL

Question: Why would you want to use the command line management commands vs admin interface accessible on the browser

Answer: The command-line allows a user to do more tasks in an automated way which

the admin interface will not be able to achieve

Question: Can users execue the command line management tools

Answer: Yes, but only only if you have installed some form of management software

like rancher

Module Name Assessment

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Module Name Theming GeoNode

Question: Is it possible to hide the text "Search for Data" from the main page using

the theme customations options Answer: No, It is not possible

Question: Which of the following statements is true

Answer: Admin users can only change the look and feel of the site

Module Name Advanced Publishing data in GeoServer

Question: Which of the following statements is true

Answer: SQL Views can be created only for vector data stores in GeoServer

Question: Layers generated using SQL views are not editable in GeoNode

Answer: False

Question: Which of the following statements is true <u>Answer</u> : SQL view are used to generate new output without altering the original data
Module Name Vector temporal series
Question: -
Module Name Raster temporal series
Question: -