Quality assessment of location metadata in archive records.

Location metadata in archive records are used to link a record to a specific geographical location. This location is expressed using geographical names (also known as toponyms) or coordinates (e.g. point, line or area). Adding location metadata to archive records enables services as geographic information retrieval and visualization using interactive maps. The quality of these services strongly depends on the accuracy and resolution of the location metadata.

Research Questions: How is location metadata captured (source) and stored (standards) in archive records? Which services of (digital) archive records using location metadata exist (state-of-practice) or are under development (state-of-the-art)? What are the requirements with respect to quality, accuracy, and resolution of location metadata?

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