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GeoSolutions AI Transparency Statement

GeoSolutions builds and supports open source geospatial software. We use artificial intelligence tools in parts of our work. This statement explains where we use them, what we do to keep our output reliable, and what we tell you about it. It is written to be checked, not to reassure.

Our role

GeoSolutions acts as a deployer of AI systems within the meaning of Regulation (EU) 2024/1689. We are not a provider of AI systems or of general purpose AI models. We do not develop, train or place AI models on the market.

The software we deliver, including GeoServer, GeoTools, MapStore, GeoNode and GeoNetwork, contains no AI functionality. Where a client contracts for an AI enabled component, that component is specified, documented and governed in the contract, and the applicable transparency obligations are addressed there.

Where we use AI

We use commercial generative AI services as a drafting and productivity aid. Typical uses are early drafts of marketing content, summarisation of long documents, code and configuration suggestions that an engineer then reviews, and translation support.

We do not use AI to make decisions about people. We do not use AI to generate engineering results that are shipped without human verification. We do not use AI to produce or alter data that is presented as observed or measured.

Human oversight and peer review

Content published under the GeoSolutions name is peer reviewed. Each published item has a named author and a named reviewer who is a different person, and the review covers factual claims, figures and technical accuracy. Author, reviewer and publication date are recorded in our internal editorial log.

Technical deliverables are produced and reviewed by the engineers who are responsible for them under the relevant contract. AI assistance does not change who is accountable for the result.

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What we label, and what we do not

We label where a reader could otherwise be misled about the nature or origin of what they are looking at. We do not label work products where our name is already the guarantee of authorship and responsibility. Blanket disclaimers on professional deliverables would tell a reader nothing useful and would blur accountability rather than clarify it.

Channel	Disclosure	What we do
Blog, LinkedIn, newsletter	Yes	Editorial note stating AI assistance, peer review and our editorial responsibility.
Images and video	Yes	Any realistic AI generated visual is labelled as such. Synthetic imagery is never presented as authentic Earth Observation data.
Offers, proposals, tender responses	On request	We answer truthfully and in the form the buyer requests. We do not apply a standing footer.
Technical deliverables and documentation	On request	These are professional work products. Our name on them is our warranty.
Contracts and legal documents	No	Drafted and reviewed by named people who carry responsibility for the text.
Software we deliver	Not applicable	Our products contain no AI functionality unless a client contracts for it explicitly.

Synthetic imagery

This is a hard rule. GeoSolutions never presents AI generated imagery as authentic Earth Observation, satellite, sensor or survey data, in any channel, including sales material and conference presentations. Realistic AI generated visuals carry a visible statement that they were generated with AI and do not represent real observation data.

Data protection

Confidential client data, personal data, credentials and contract text are not submitted to AI services outside the set of tools we have approved and covered by data processing agreements

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with standard contractual clauses. The approved tool list is maintained internally and reviewed regularly.

Alignment with the EU Code of Practice

We follow the principles of the EU Code of Practice on Transparency of AI-Generated Content. We are not a signatory of that Code, because our current activity does not fall within the deployer obligations of Article 50(4) of the AI Act: we publish no deep fakes and no AI generated text on matters of public interest, and our published content is subject to documented human editorial control. We will reconsider signature if that changes.

We do not claim to be AI Act certified. No such certification exists for our role.

Training

Staff who use AI tools in their work receive AI literacy training covering the limits of these tools, verification duties, data handling rules and the disclosure rules in this statement.

Governance and contact

This statement is owned by the Director and reviewed at least annually, and whenever our use of AI or the applicable regulation changes materially. AI regulatory status is a standing item in our management review.

Questions, or a correction to something we have published: infosec@geosolutionsgroup.com.