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# FIONA - SDI with PostgreSQL/PostGIS, GeoServer, UMN MapServer and Mapbender

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Both GeoServer and UMN MapServer access the same database PostgreSQL /

PostGIS. Load distribution is implemented for the WMS services only. The WMS has to handle approximately 10 times more requests than the GeoServer.

The Mapbender portal manages user access and orchestrates the OGC services GeoServer and MapServer. The imagery served by MapServer WMS is overlaid with features served by GeoServer WFS.

This presentation shall give an overview on FIONA and the cooperation of the different components and a live demo will be provided.

You can get an overview about the project:  
[http://www.mapbender.org/index.php/FIONA\\_-\\_Online\\_Agricultural\\_Subsidy\\_Application\\_System](http://www.mapbender.org/index.php/FIONA_-_Online_Agricultural_Subsidy_Application_System)

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