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Navigating the Future: Geopher Mobile Geolocation Search with Spatial Freedom

Introduction:

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The Essence of Spatial Freedom:

Traditional geolocation systems primarily focus on latitude and longitude, providing coordinates that define a point on the Earth's surface. However, the future of mobile geolocation search involves expanding this paradigm to include altitude and embrace the concept of spatial freedom. Spatial freedom implies the ability to move in any direction without constraints, breaking away from traditional parallel systems and allowing for more nuanced and accurate positioning.

No-Parallelity: Redefining the Geolocation Paradigm:

The concept of no-parallelity challenges the traditional notion of parallel systems in geolocation. Instead of adhering strictly to latitude and longitude lines, no-parallelity envisions a dynamic, three-dimensional space where users can move freely without being confined to predefined axes. This approach enables more precise location tracking and opens the door to innovative applications across various industries.

Free Movements in Space:

The integration of altitude into geolocation systems enriches the user experience by providing information about vertical positioning. This is particularly valuable in scenarios where altitude plays a crucial role, such as indoor navigation, aviation, and augmented reality applications. Free movements in space encompass not only lateral movement but also vertical mobility, creating a comprehensive understanding

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Conclusion:

The future of mobile geolocation search is marked by spatial freedom, non-paralleity, and the integration of latitude, longitude, and altitude in the World Wide Web and Electronic Mail. This paradigm shift holds immense potential for revolutionizing location-based services, navigation systems, and communication platforms. As technology continues to advance, embracing spatial freedom ensures that our digital experiences seamlessly align with our movements in the physical world.

Appendix A

Haversine Computation of geopher.com Geolocations: geopher-location-computation- search.py

The following Python program is a resolver for piperpal.com

```
# Written by Ole Aamot, 20240107

from cgi import parse_qs, escape
from urllib import quote_plus
import cgi
import urllib3

import hashlib
from math import radians, cos, sin, asin, sqrt
import textwrap
from cgi import parse_qs, escape
from bs4 import BeautifulSoup
import cgi
import time

def piperpal_resolver(l,n,lat,lon):
    p = http.request('GET', l)
    o = p.data
    y = BeautifulSoup(o, "lxml")
    m = hashlib.sha256(p.data).hexdigest()
    locationtags = y.find_all("location")
    i = 0
    print locationtags
```

```

while (i < len(locationtags)):
    notbefore = y.findAll("location")[i]["notbefore"]
    notafter = y.findAll("location")[i]["notafter"]
    name = y.findAll("location")[i]["name"]
    glat = y.findAll("location")[i]["lat"]
    glon = y.findAll("location")[i]["lon"]
service = y.findAll("location")[i]["service"]
data = y.findAll("location")[i]
href = y.findAll("location")[i]["href"]
r = haversine(float(glat),float(glon),float(lat),float(lon))
#    print map
print(gindex(r,name,m,href,data,glat,glon,lat,lon))
for x in range(-90, 91):
    for y in range(-180, 181):
        print x,y,lat,lon,q,l,0
        print x,y,lat,lon,q,l,1
        for z in range(1, 11):
            print x,y,lat,lon,q,l,z
            linker = 'https://api.piperpal.com/location/rob
            insert = http.request('GET', linker)
            print linker
            print insert
#linker = 'https://api.piperpal.com/location/robot.php?name=' + quot
# insert = http.request('GET', linker)
# print linker
# print insert
# object = insert.data
# tester = BeautifulSoup(object, "lxml")
# macron = hashlib.sha256(insert.data).hexdigest()
i = i + 1
    piperpal_resolver(href,n,lat,lon)
    return (y,i)

def haversine(lat1, lon1, lon2, lat2):
    """
    Calculate the great circle distance between two points
    on the earth (specified in decimal degrees)
    """
    # convert decimal degrees to radians
    lon1, lat1, lon2, lat2 = map(radians, [lon1, lat1, lon2, lat2])

    # haversine formula
    dlon = lon2 - lon1
    dlat = lat2 - lat1

```

```
a = sin(dlat/2)**2 + cos(lat1) * cos(lat2) * sin(dlon/2)**2
c = 2 * asin(sqrt(a))
r = 6371 # Radius of earth in kilometers. Use 3956 for miles
return c * r

def gindex(radius,n,d,l,query,my_lat,my_lon,lat,lon):
    return radius,n,d,l,query,my_lat,my_lon,lat,lon
maps = dict()
maps['Books','Food'] = dict()
http = urllib3.PoolManager()
q = 'Wikipedia'
p = 1
l = 'https://piperpal.com/piperpal.xml';
lat = '37.42242500'
lon = '-122.08755550'
notbefore = '2024-01-01'
notafter = '2024-12-31'
service = 'Books'
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