

Resource Summary Report

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Simple Features

RRID:SCR_023393

Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <https://CRAN.R-project.org/package=sf>

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Description: Software R package as set of standards that specify common storage and access model of geographic features made of mostly two dimensional geometries used by geographic information systems. Standardized way to encode spatial vector data. Formalized by Open Geospatial Consortium and International Organization for Standardization.

Abbreviations: sf

Synonyms: Simple Feature Access, simple features

Resource Type: software resource, software toolkit

Keywords: common storage, access model, geographic features, two dimensional geometries, geographic information systems

Availability: Free, Available for download, Freely available

Resource Name: Simple Features

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Alternate URLs: Also <https://r-spatial.github.io/sf/>, <https://github.com/r-spatial/sf/>

License: GPLv2, MIT + file license

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Simple Features.

No alerts have been found for Simple Features.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 11 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

Tomasovic LM, et al. (2026) Mapping the Geographic Distribution of Lung Transplant Centers and Smoking-Associated Diseases Across the United States. Transplantation proceedings.

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