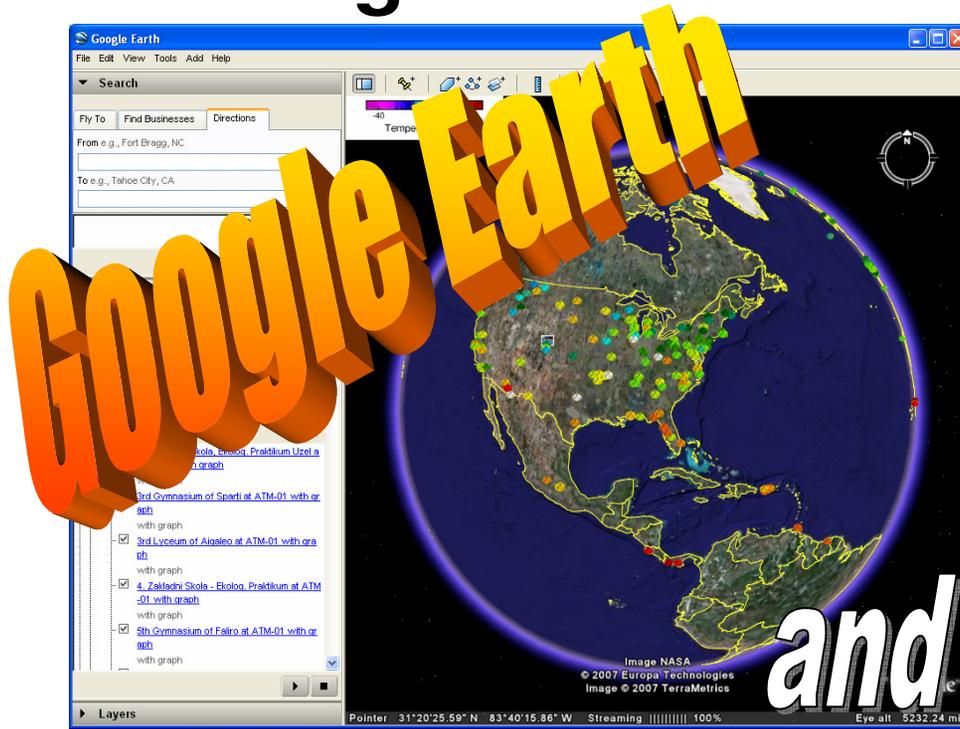


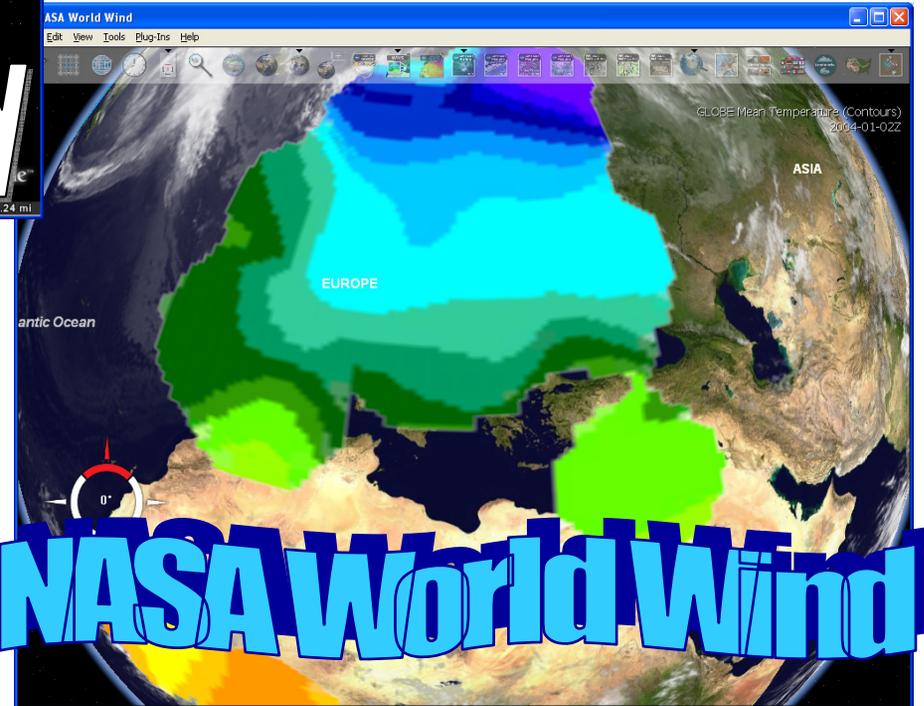
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Introduction

World Wind lets a user zoom from satellite altitude into any place on Earth, automatically selecting appropriate resolution satellite imagery and elevation data to create aerial views or views of flying across the world in any direction. It was designed to be easy to use, and the only control needed is a two button mouse. Navigation is accomplished with single mouse clicks and the ability to type in any location and automatically zoom to it.

World Wind also allows viewing of other datasets in its 3D environment, including GLOBE data, weather event animations developed by Goddard Space Flight Center, MODIS data updated daily, and various map reference layers such as country borders, city names, etc. Many of the datasets that can be displayed by World Wind are too large to download the entire dataset to the user's machine, so only the parts being viewed are downloaded and stored in compressed format.

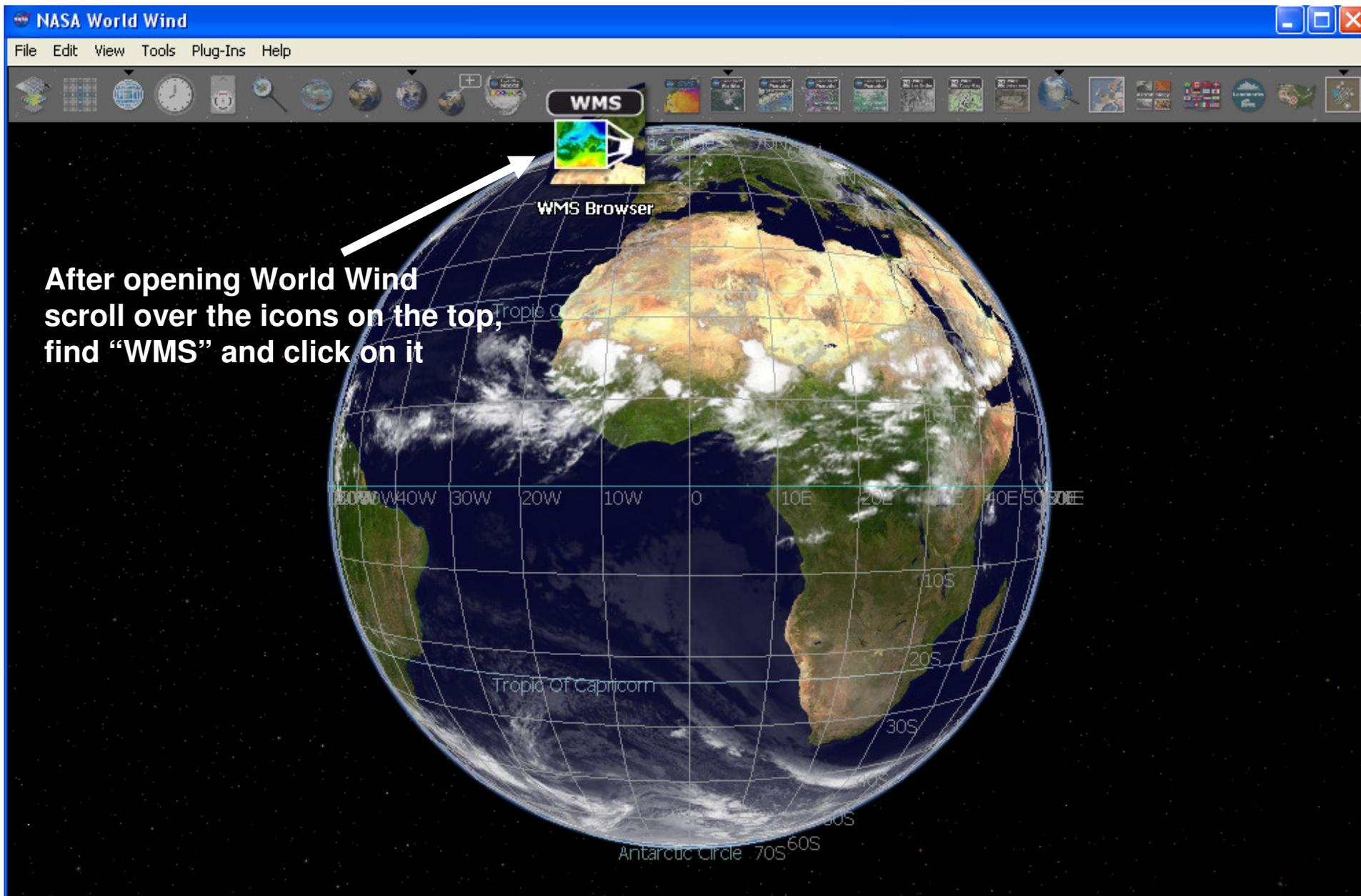
The World Wind application can be downloaded from NASA's World Wind web site:

<http://worldwind.arc.nasa.gov/download.html>, and can be used under the terms of the NASA Open Source Agreement. It requires a fairly high-end PC to run, including Windows 2000 or XP; Pentium 3, 1 GHz or higher; 256 MB of RAM; 3D graphics card; DSL/Cable internet connection or faster; 2 GB disk space.

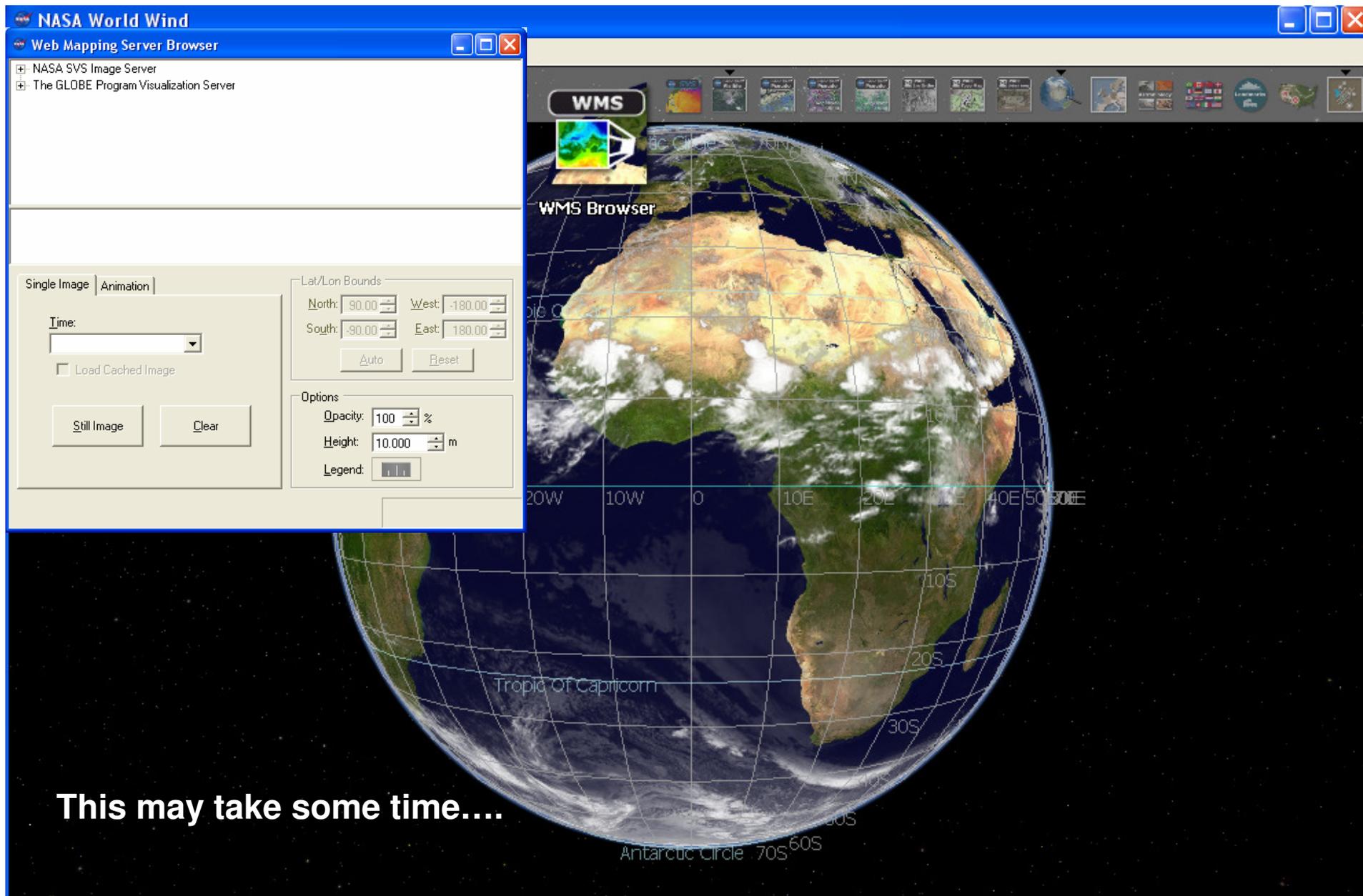
Viewing GLOBE data in World Wind

GLOBE data can be viewed in World Wind through WMS (Web Map Service) by these steps:

1. Start up World Wind with the world called "Earth". (This is the default; other available worlds include Jupiter, Mars, the Moon, SDSS, and Venus)
2. In the top menu bar, click "Tools" and scroll down to the "WMS Browser". This may take several minutes to load and brings up a window with two servers listed, NASA SVS Image Server and The GLOBE Program Visualization Server.
3. Click the "+" sign next to The GLOBE Visualization Server to expand the hierarchy, then click the "+" sign next to the data category of interest (e.g. Air Temperature, Rainfall, etc.).
4. Once a dataset is selected, you can either:
 - * View the dataset for a particular date by clicking the "Still Image" button; or
 - * Animate the dataset over some length of time by choosing the "Animation" tab in the lower half of the box; select a date range and click on the play button at the bottom of the box.
5. The data points are now being displayed on the world image. As you click on the Earth it will turn or spin in the direction of the click and will display the new data points as they are available.



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This may take some time....

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The screenshot shows the NASA World Wind application interface. A 'Web Mapping Server Browser' window is open, displaying a tree view of data layers under 'The GLOBE Program Visualization Server'. The layers include Context Layers, Physiography, Air Temperature, Pressure and Wind, Rainfall (Liquid Precipitation), Snowfall (Solid Precipitation), and Cloud Observation. Below the tree view are controls for 'Single Image' and 'Animation' modes, including a 'Time' dropdown, a 'Load Cached Image' checkbox, and 'Still Image' and 'Clear' buttons. To the right of these controls are 'Lat/Lon Bounds' fields (North: 90.00, West: -180.00, South: -90.00, East: 180.00) with 'Auto' and 'Reset' buttons, and 'Options' for 'Opacity' (100%), 'Height' (10,000 m), and a 'Legend' button. The main window displays a 3D globe of Earth with a grid overlay, labeled 'WMS Browser'. A small 'WMS' icon is visible in the top left of the globe area. A white arrow points from the text below to the small '+' icon next to 'The GLOBE Program Visualization Server' in the tree view.

**Click on the small “+” and the selection of GLOBE data will open;
now comes the difficult decision of which protocol....**

The screenshot displays the NASA World Wind application window. On the left, the 'Web Mapping Server Browser' panel is open, showing a tree view of data layers. The 'Air Temperature' layer is selected, with sub-layers for 'Maximum Temperature', 'GLOBE Maximum Temperature', 'Minimum Temperature', 'GLOBE Minimum Temperature', 'GLOBE Current Temperature', and 'GLOBE Mean Temperature'. Below the tree, the 'Single Image' tab is active, showing a 'Time' dropdown menu, a 'Load Cached Image' checkbox, and 'Still Image' and 'Clear' buttons. To the right of the browser, the 'Lat/Lon Bounds' section has input fields for North (90.00), South (-90.00), West (-180.00), and East (180.00), along with 'Auto' and 'Reset' buttons. The 'Options' section includes 'Opacity' (100%), 'Height' (10,000 m), and a 'Legend' button. The main window shows a 3D globe of Earth with a grid overlay. A 'WMS Browser' icon is visible in the top left of the globe area. The globe shows a temperature overlay, likely representing the selected 'Air Temperature' layer. The text 'Let's try Air Temperature, Mean Temperature, and then Contours.' is overlaid at the bottom of the screenshot, with arrows pointing from the text to the 'Air Temperature' and 'GLOBE Mean Temperature' layers in the browser panel.

Let's try Air Temperature, Mean Temperature, and then Contours.

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- Air Temperature
 - Maximum Temperature
 - GLOBE Maximum Temperature
 - Minimum Temperature
 - GLOBE Minimum Temperature
 - GLOBE Current Temperature
 - GLOBE Mean Temperature
 - Points
 - Contours
 - Points and Contours
 - GI ORE Temperature Range

Contours of interpolated station data.

Single Image | Animation

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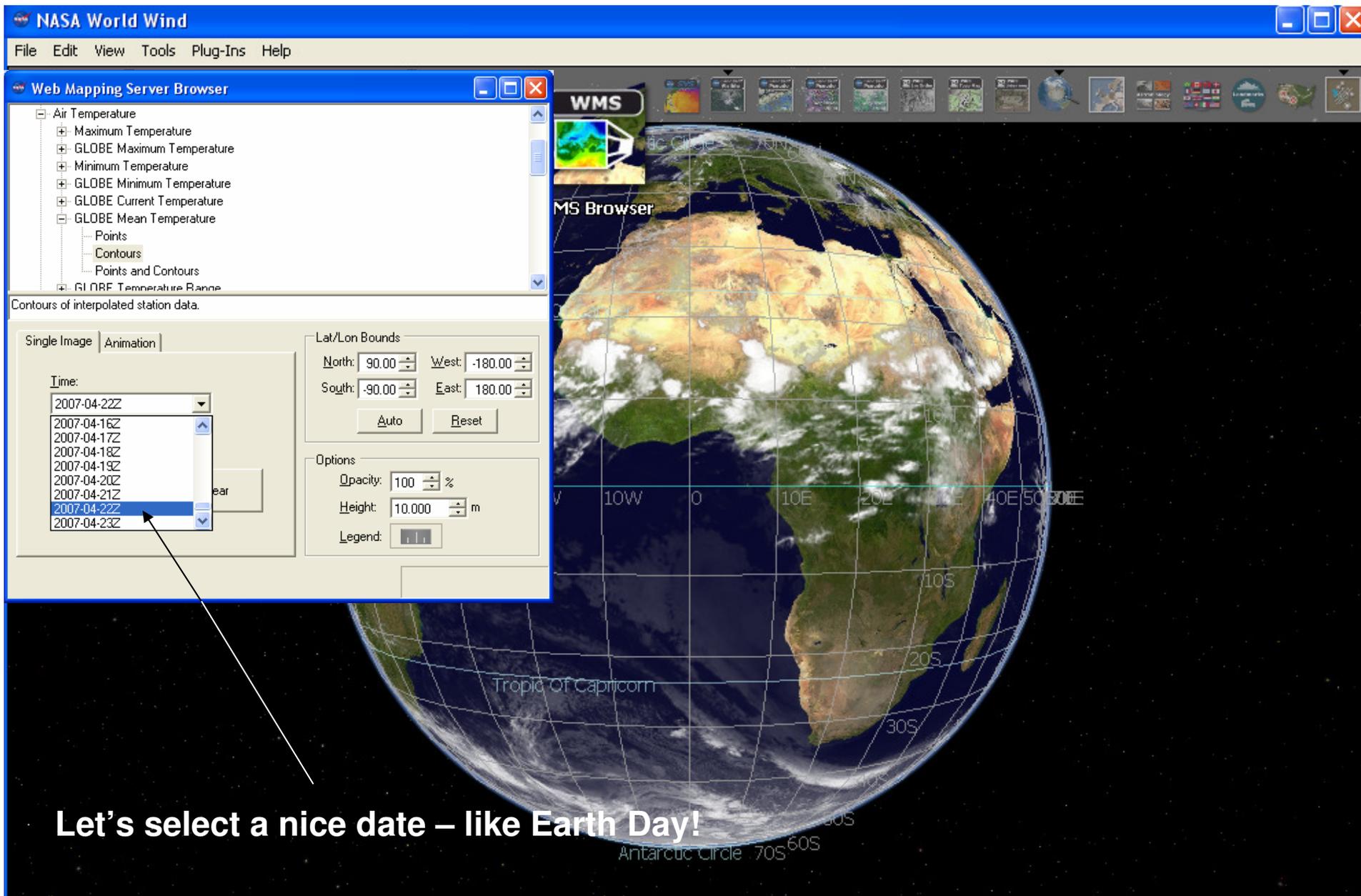
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Legend:



Let's select a nice date – like Earth Day!

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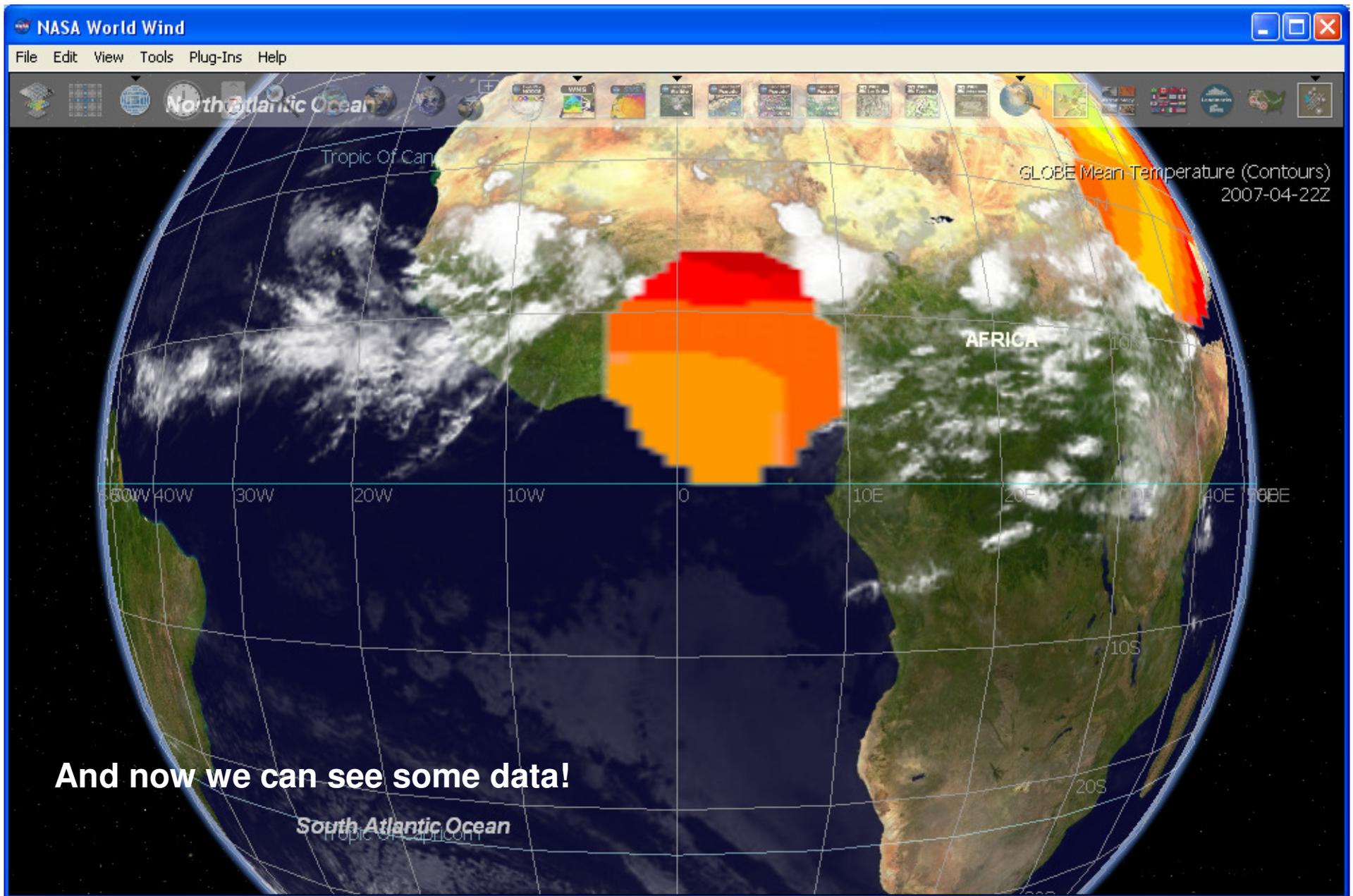
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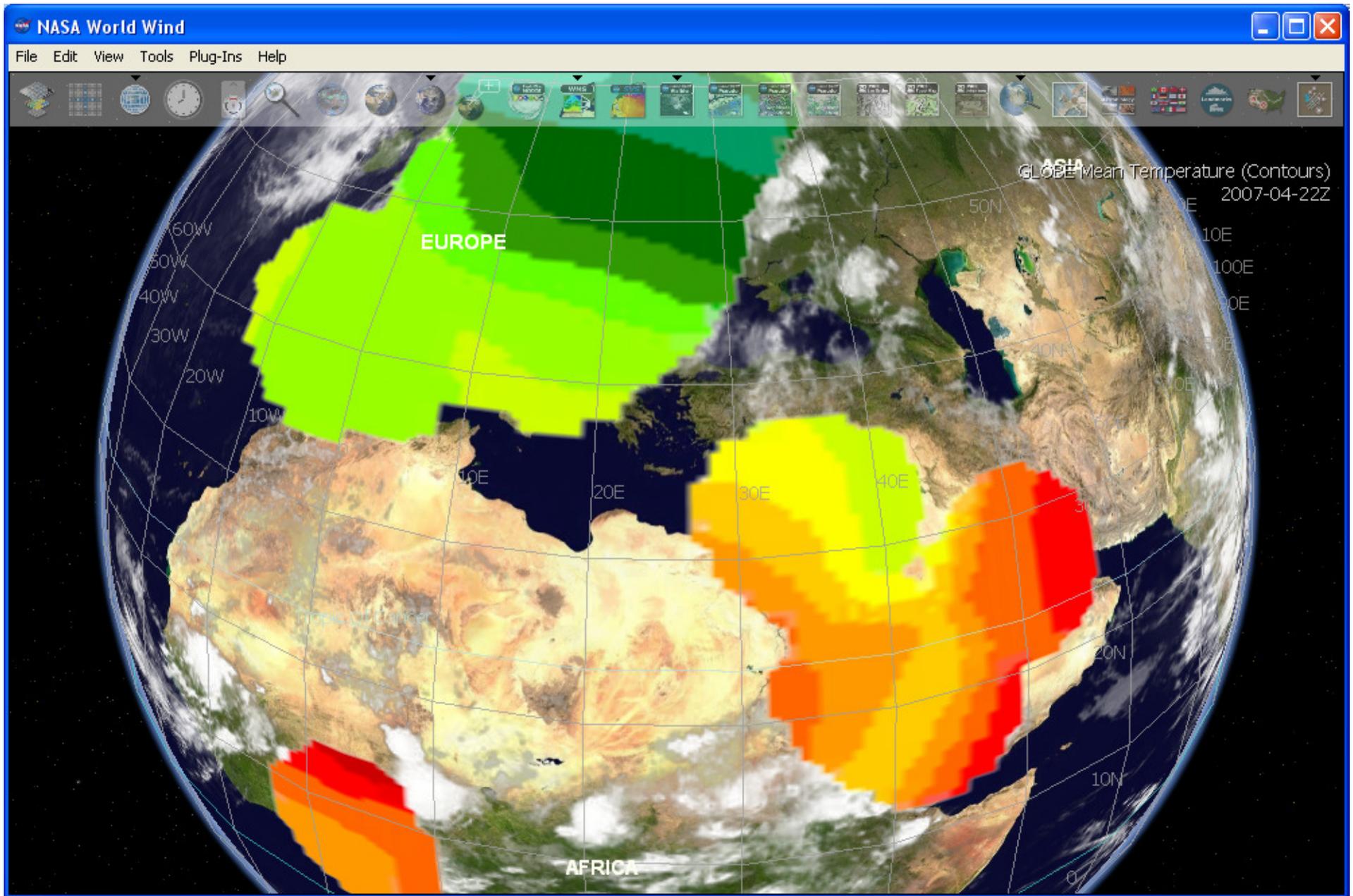
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Click on "Still Image" - and wait a bit....

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Move the Earth a bit with your cursor (or mouse) to see more data....

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Auto Reset

Options

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Legend:

Okay – now find the WMS and click on Animation; then choose 2 dates close together (so that it doesn't take so long), and what will we see...

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Using GLOBE Data with Google Earth

A 3D Earth-viewing application developed by Google

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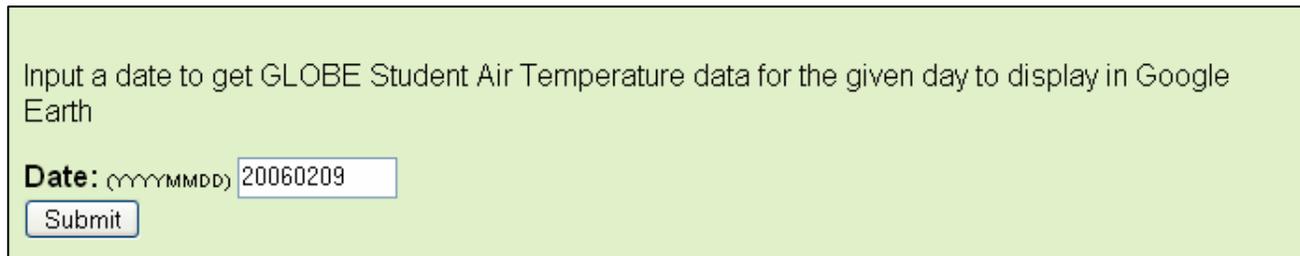
Google Earth is a GIS program that allows users to overlay datasets of their own choosing. GLOBE is creating datasets that allow you to overlay GLOBE data with other Google Earth datasets so that you can analyze and compare your student data with other data.

The Google Earth application can be downloaded from <http://earth.google.com>. System requirements can be viewed at <http://earth.google.com/download-earth.html>.

Viewing GLOBE data in Google Earth:

Currently only GLOBE student data for Air Temperature can be viewed in Google Earth; different types of GLOBE data will be available at a later date.

Input the date desired into the box as shown below (with default date in the box):



Input a date to get GLOBE Student Air Temperature data for the given day to display in Google Earth

Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)

Click on the Submit button; the GLOBE database will send a file back to your browser with a prompt to open or save up the file in Google Earth. Click on Open with Google Earth.

Once the data is loaded into Google Earth you can click any of the small GLOBE logos to get details about that site. You can also choose which data to display by clicking the appropriate checkbox or radio button under the "Place" pane on the left side of the Google Earth application window.

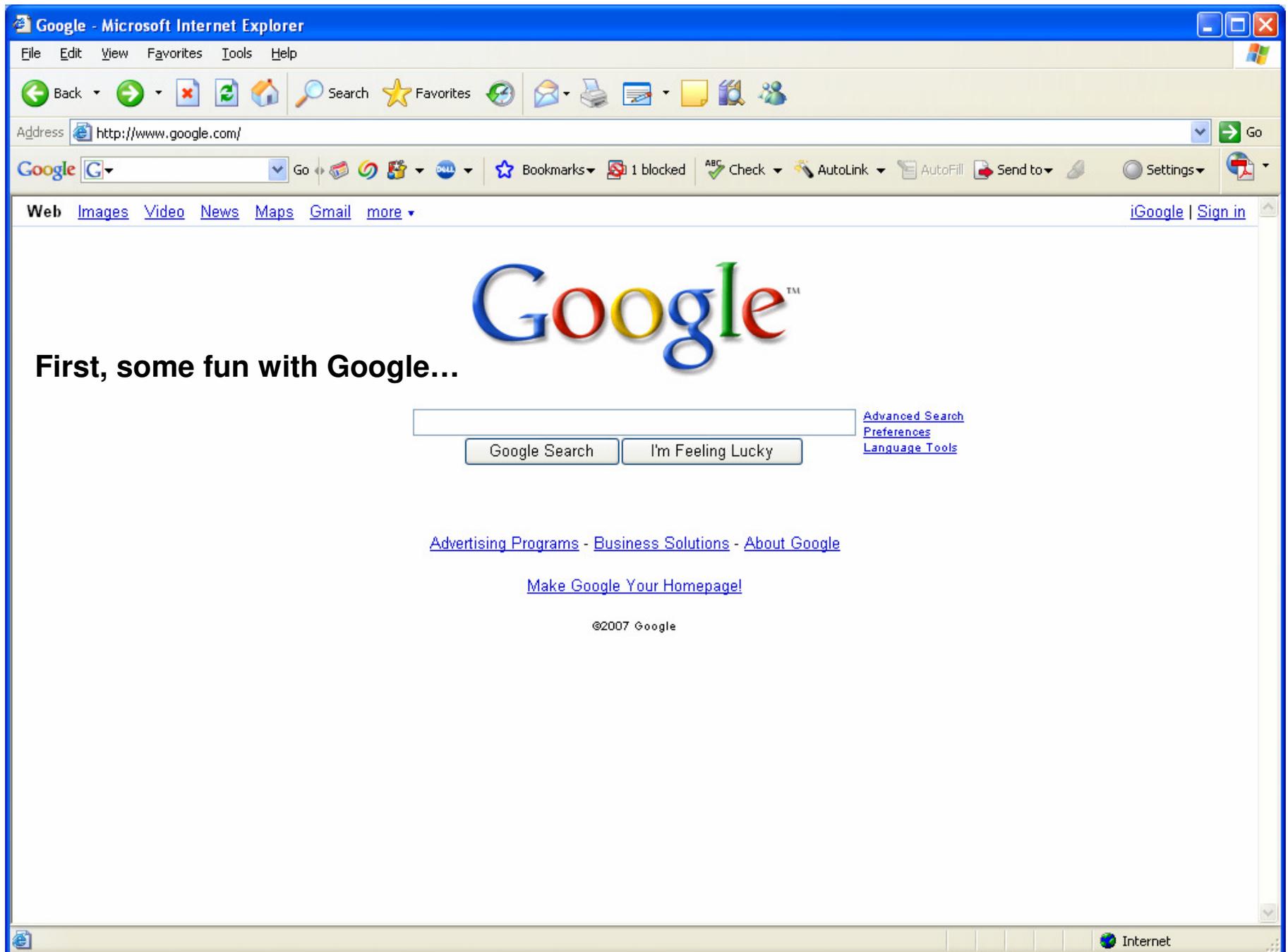
A video tutorial on using GLOBE Data with Google Earth is available at: www.globe.gov/docs/vid/GE_minutut1.wmv.

Links to further information:

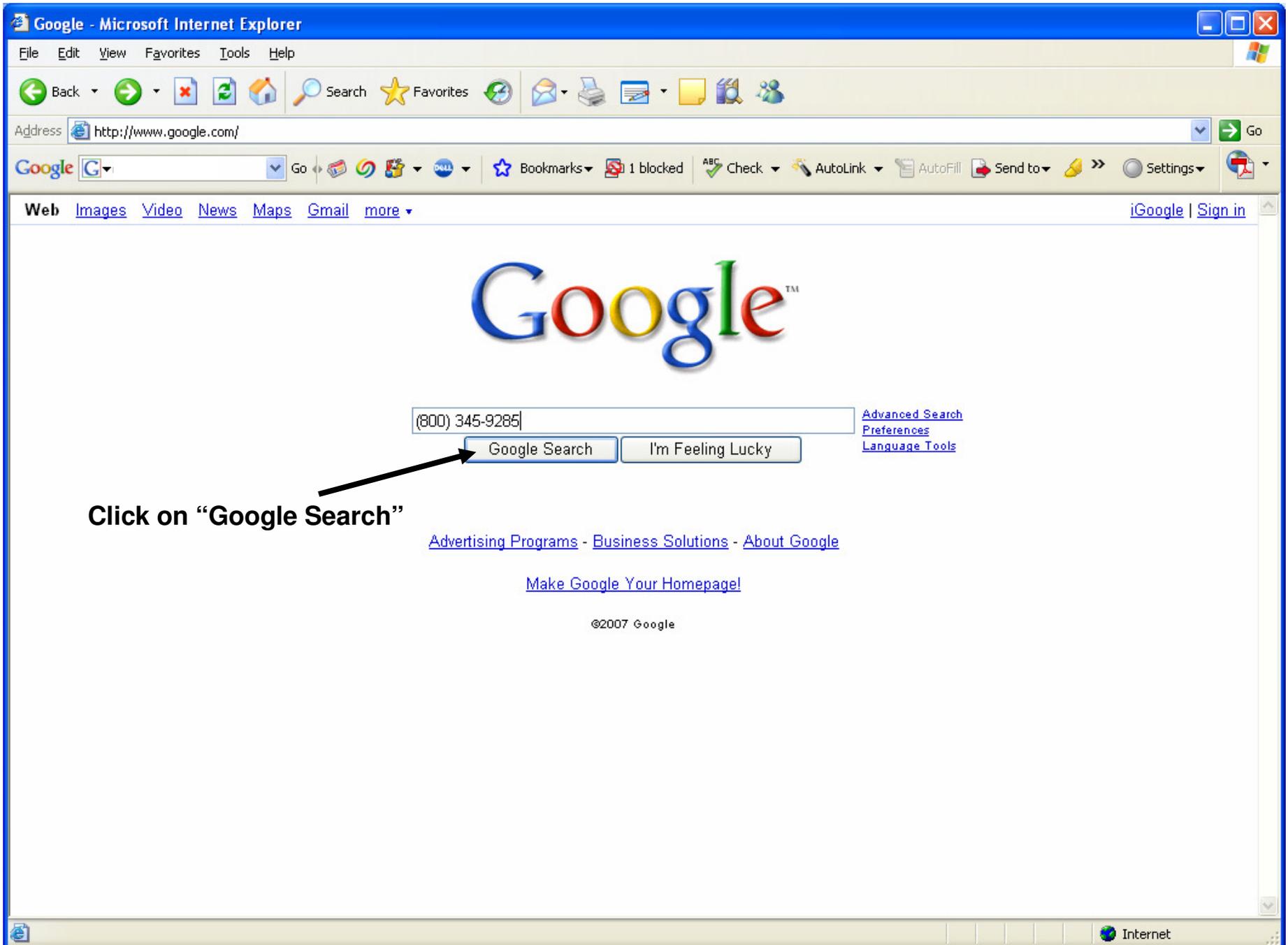
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8. Slight **left** to merge onto **I-37 N/ US-281 N** 1.0 km
9. Take exit **142A** to merge onto **I-35 N** toward **Austin** 344 km

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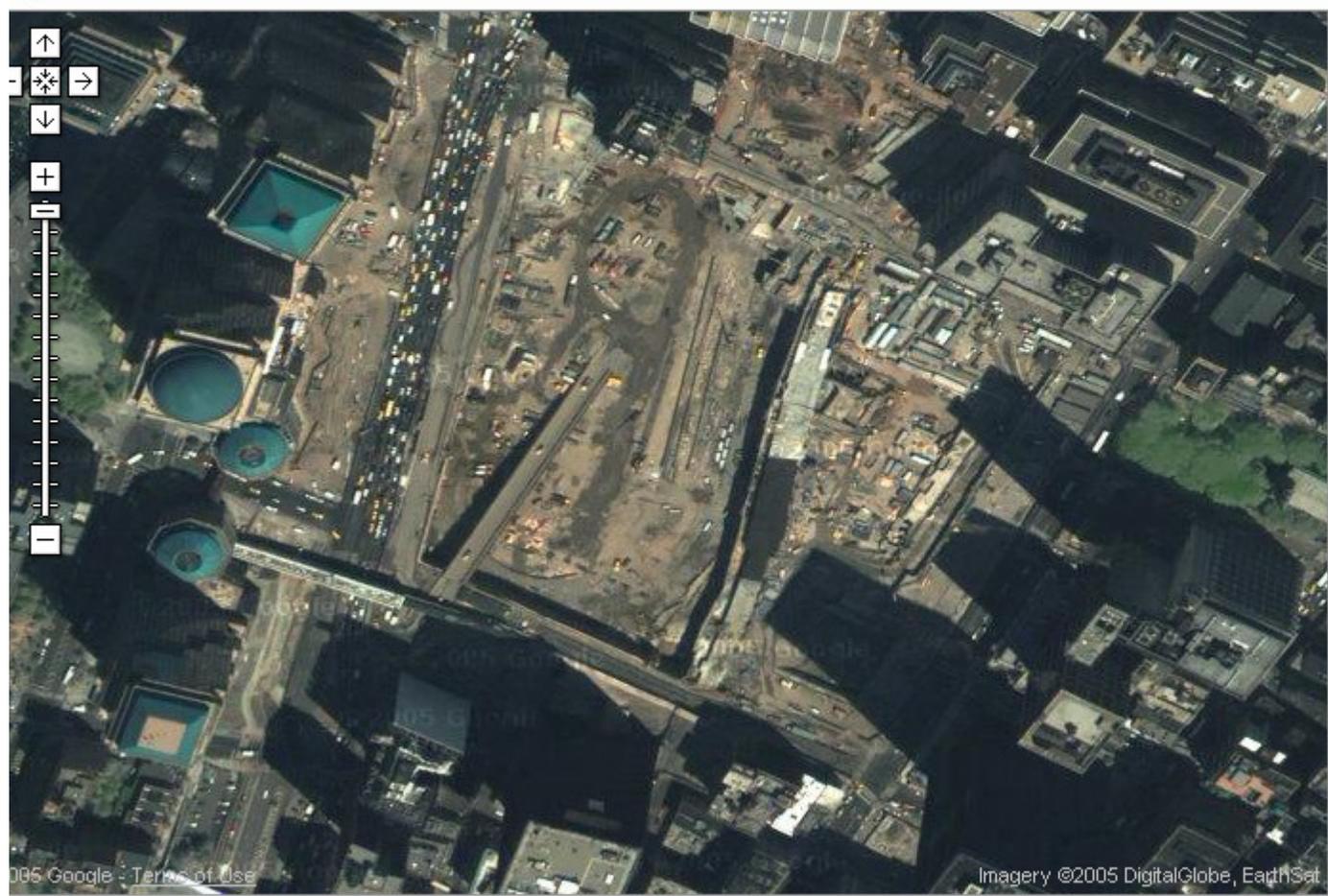
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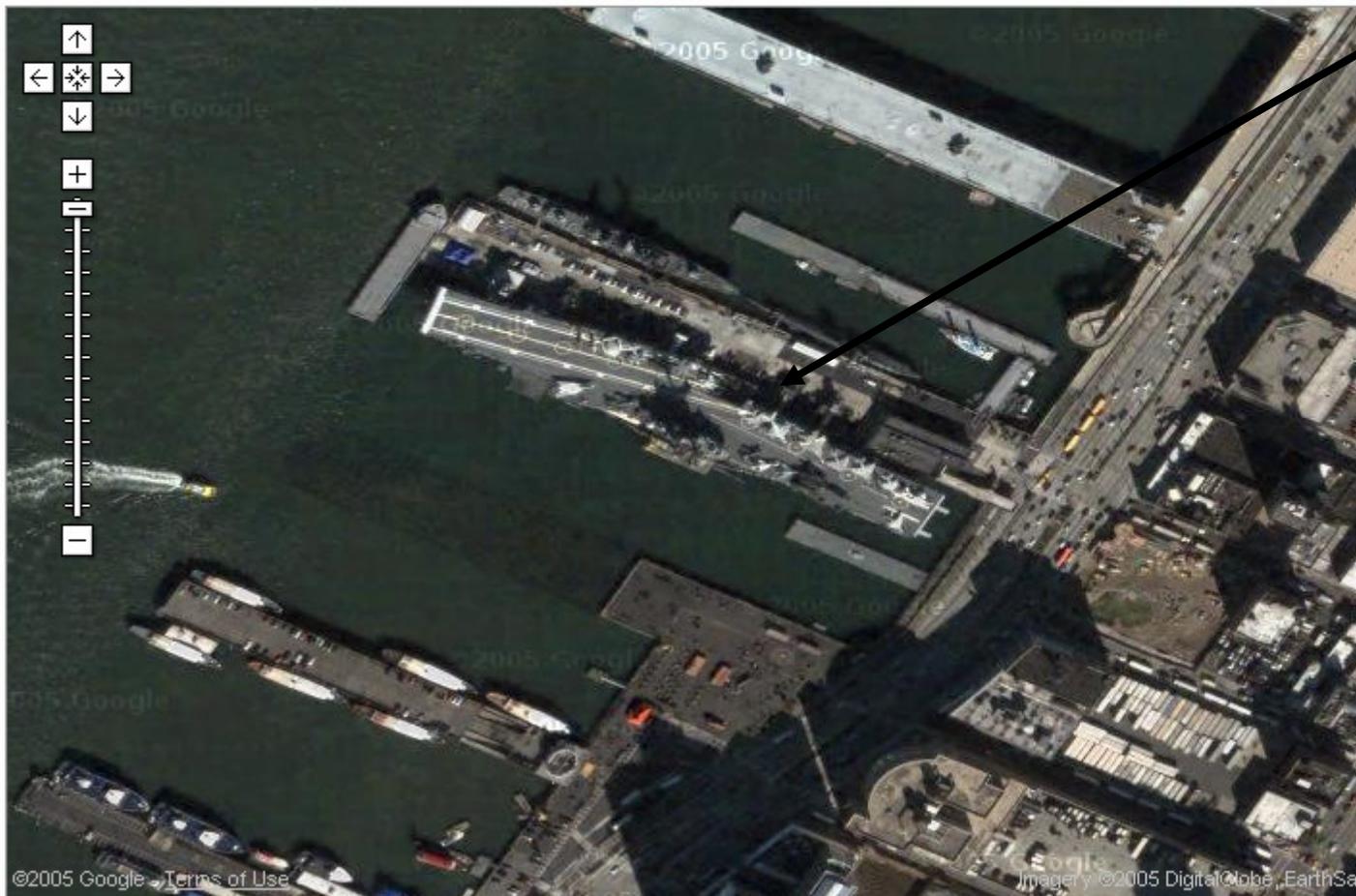
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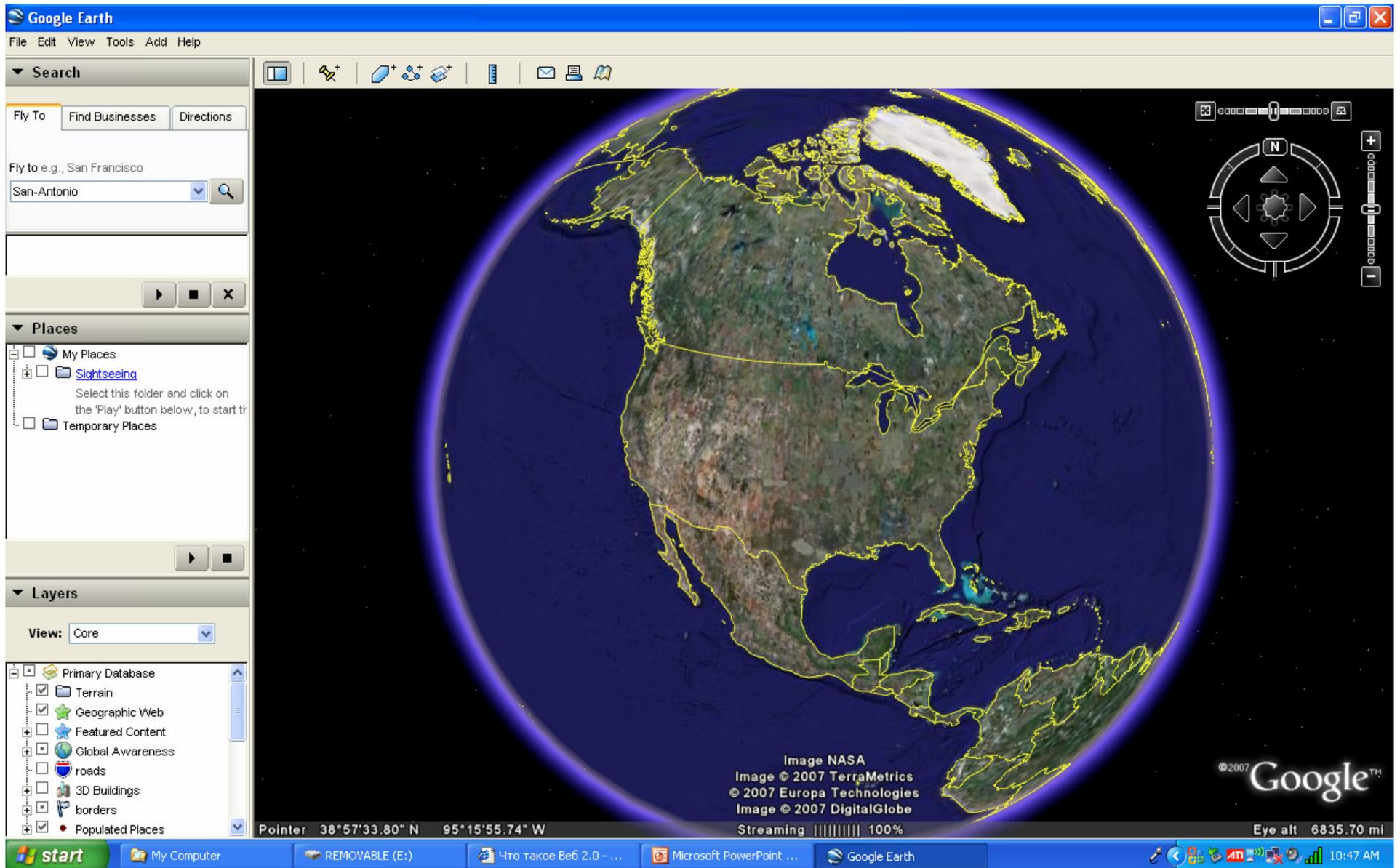
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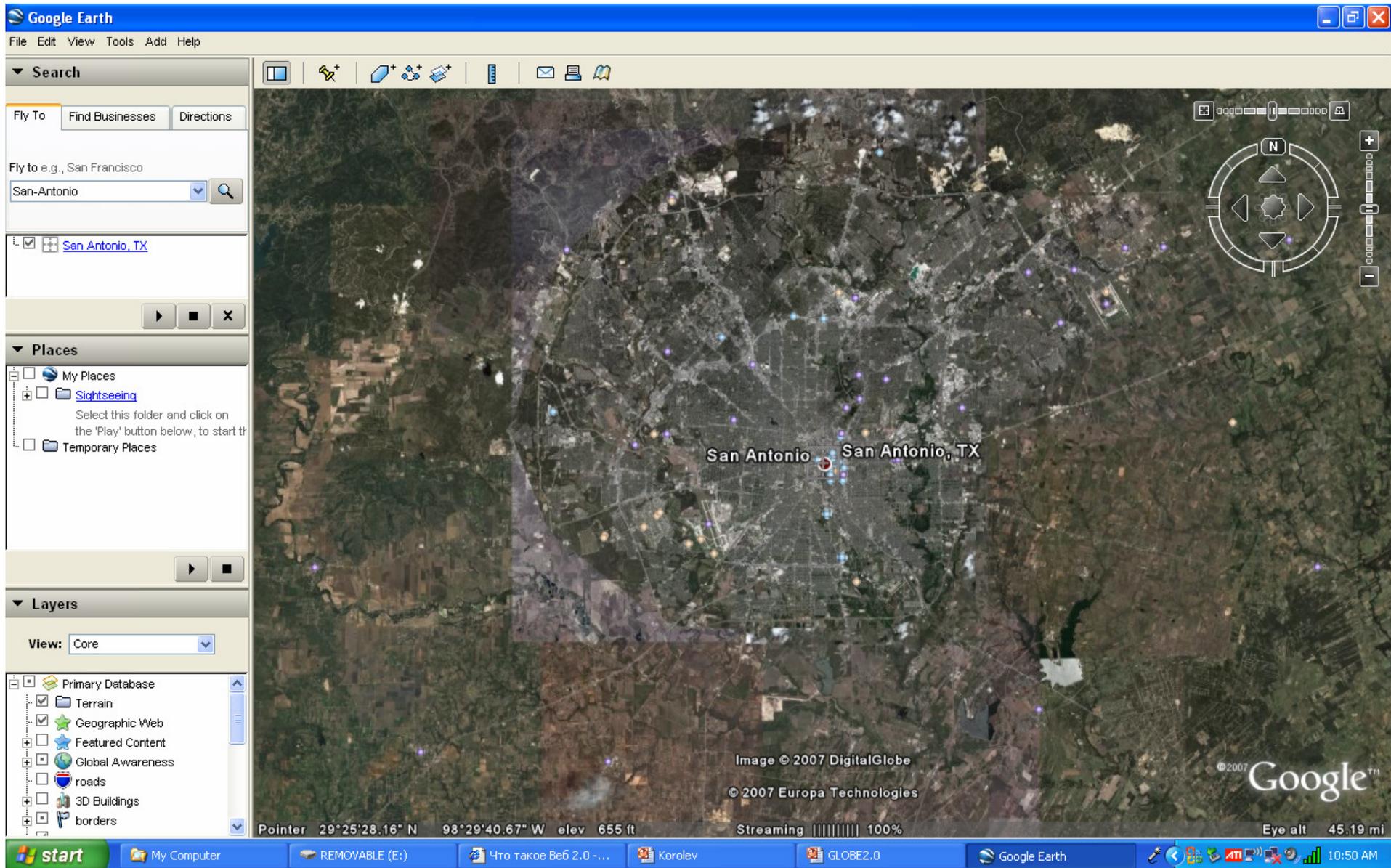


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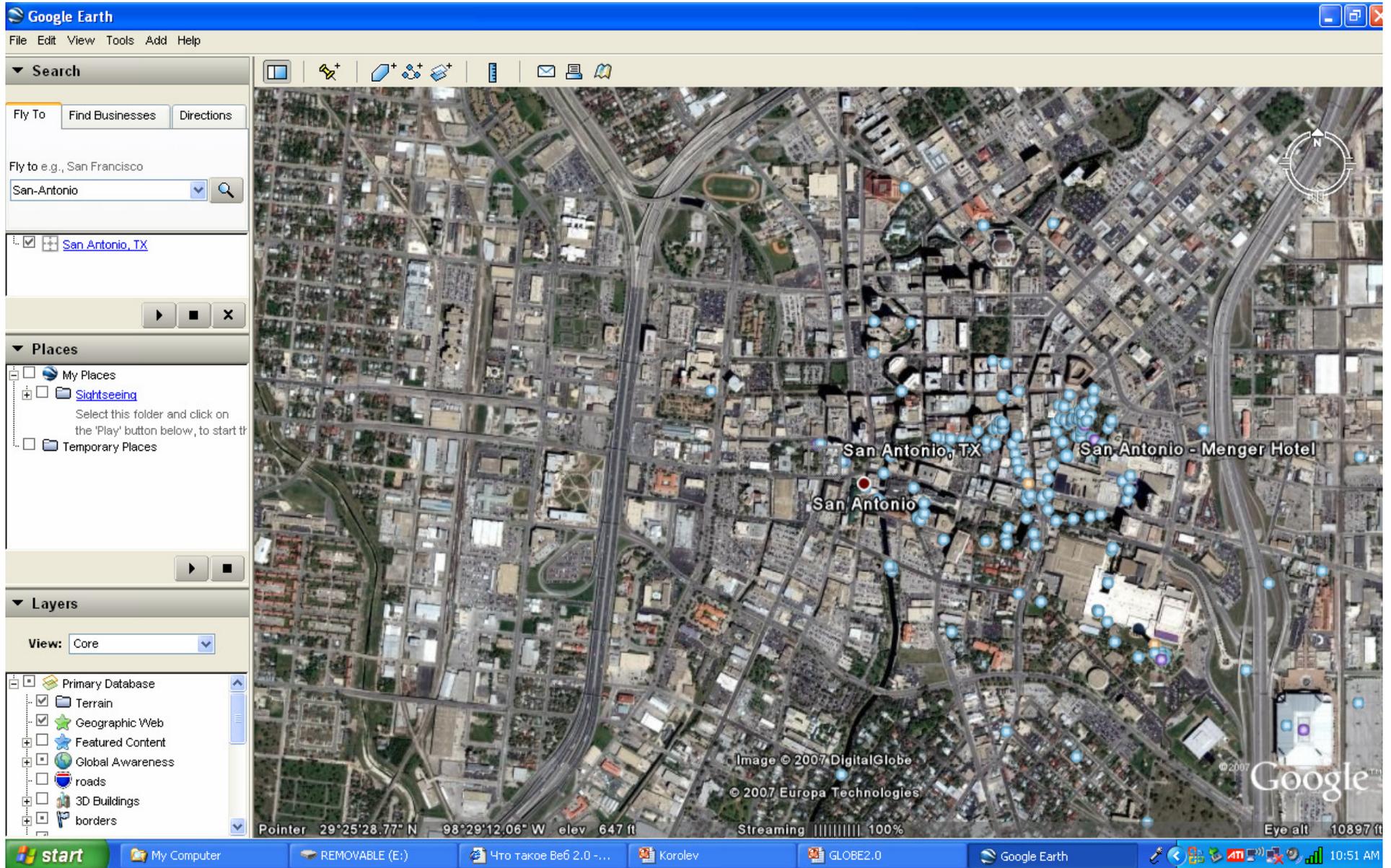
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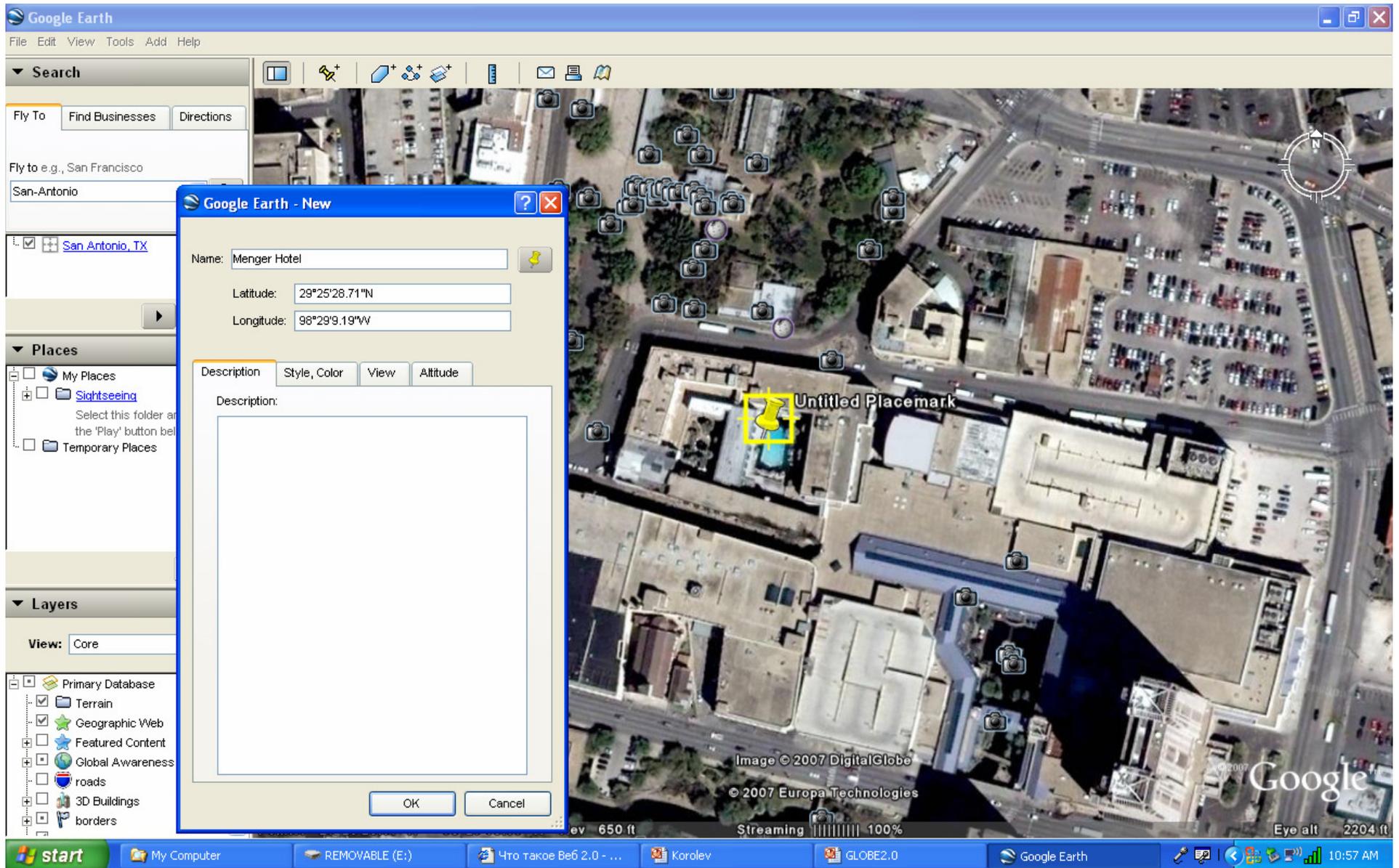
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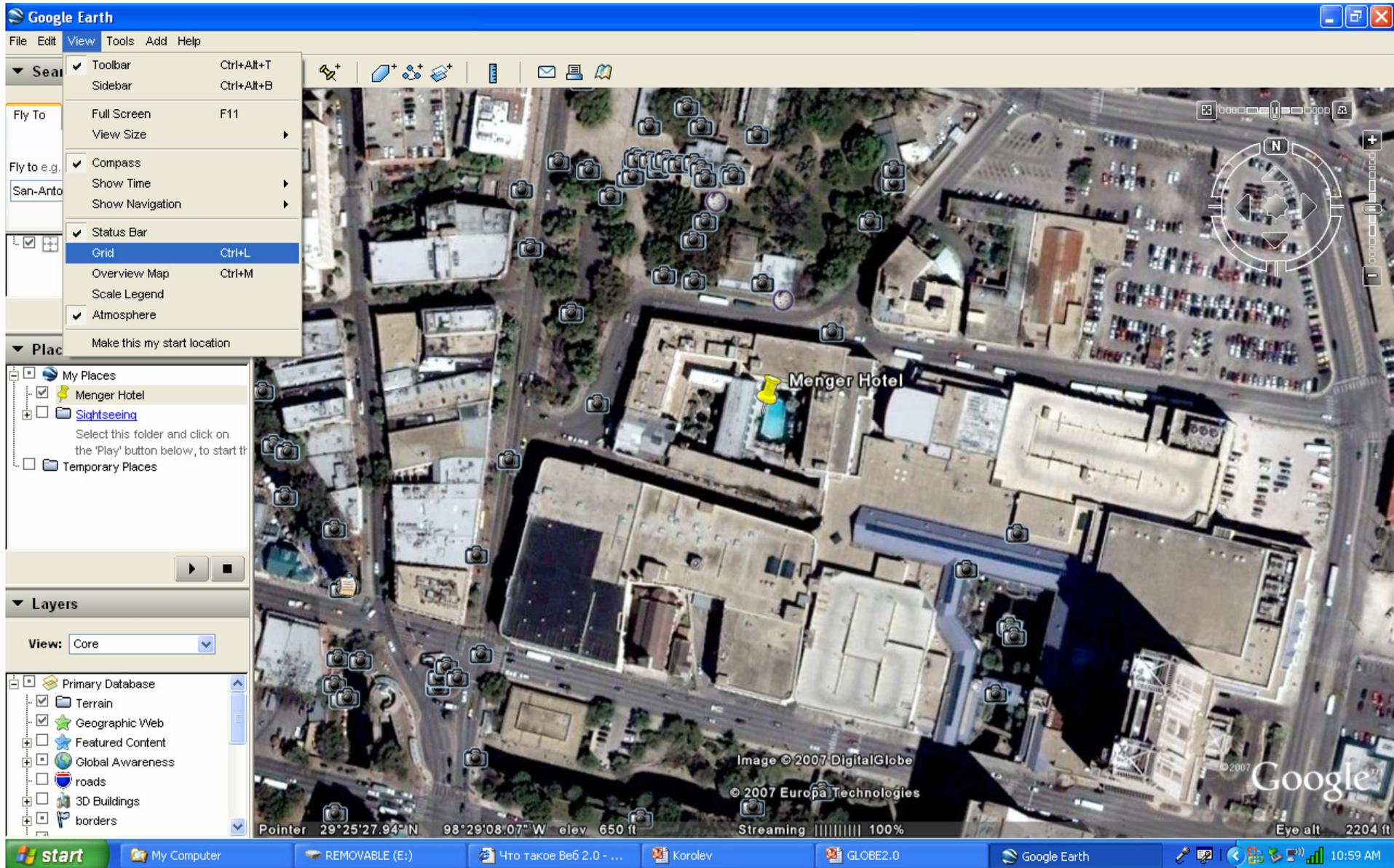
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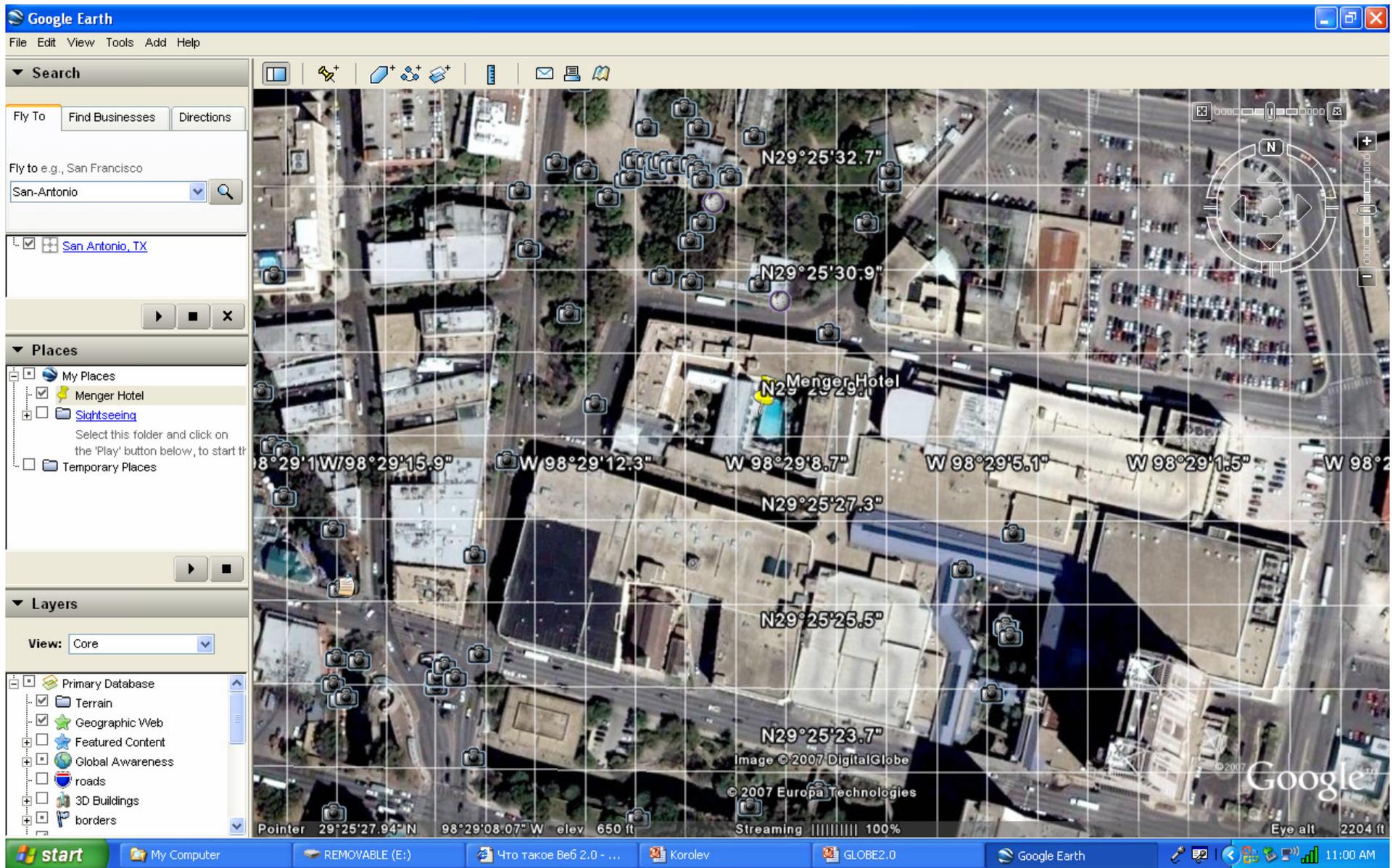
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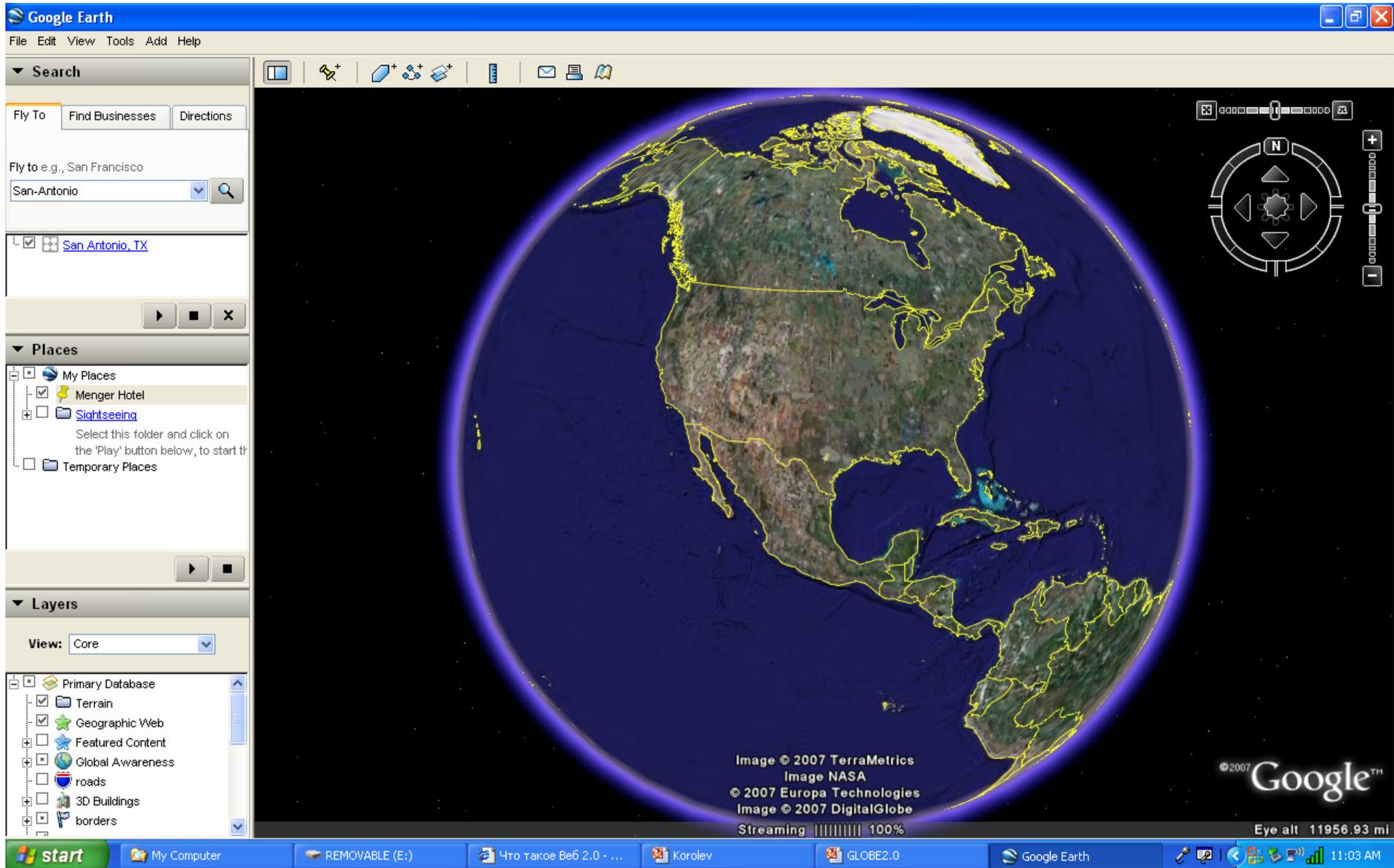
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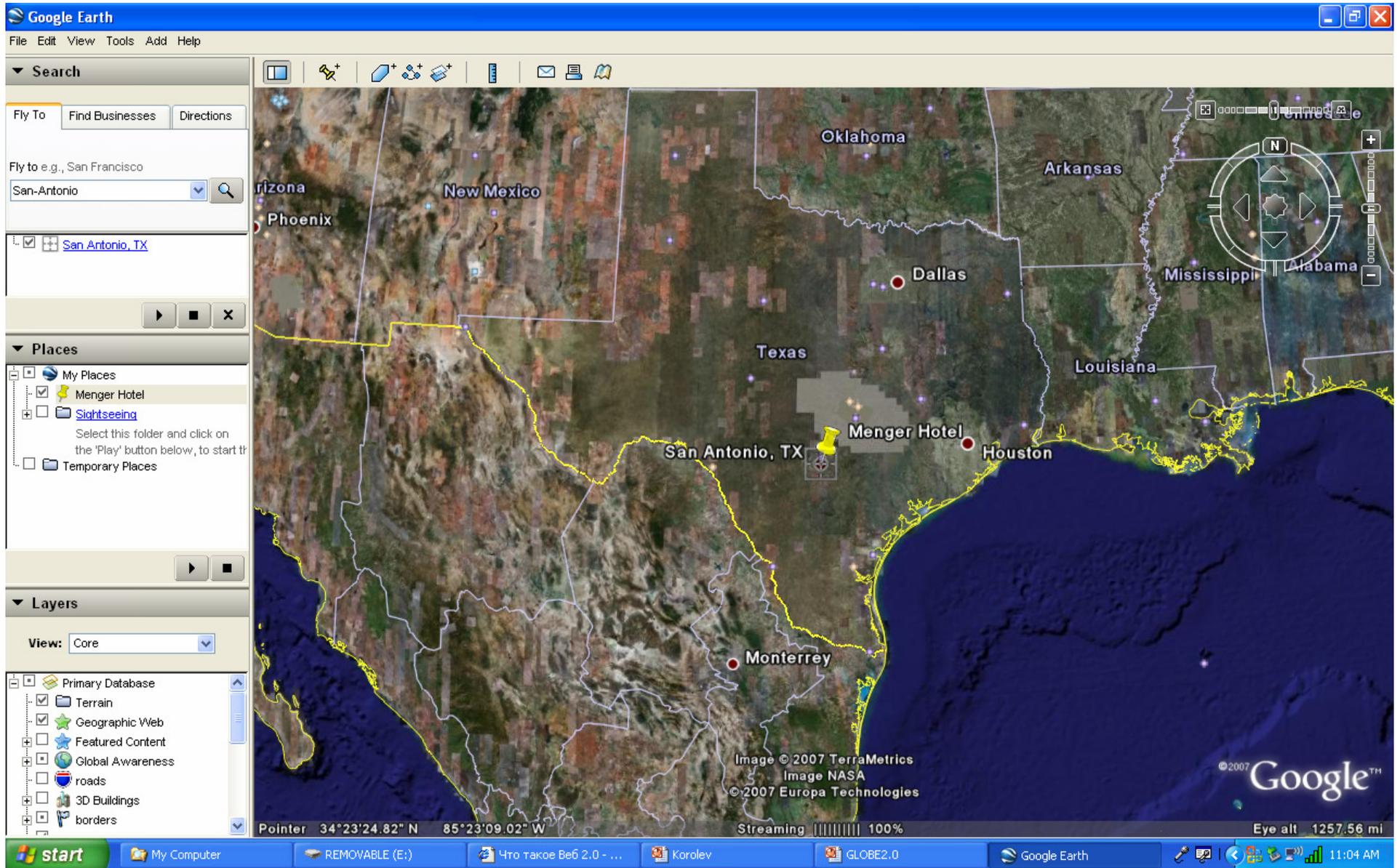
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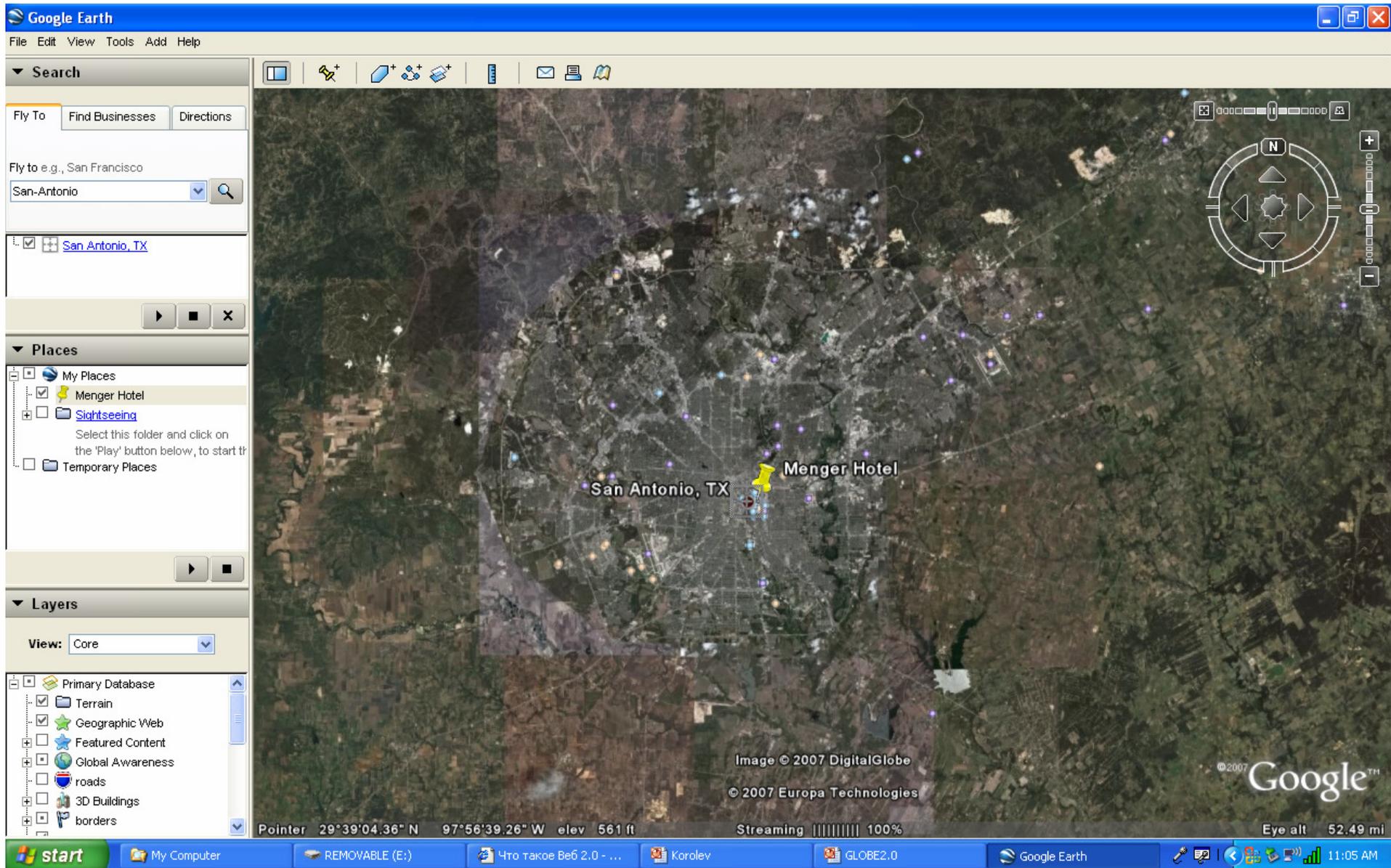
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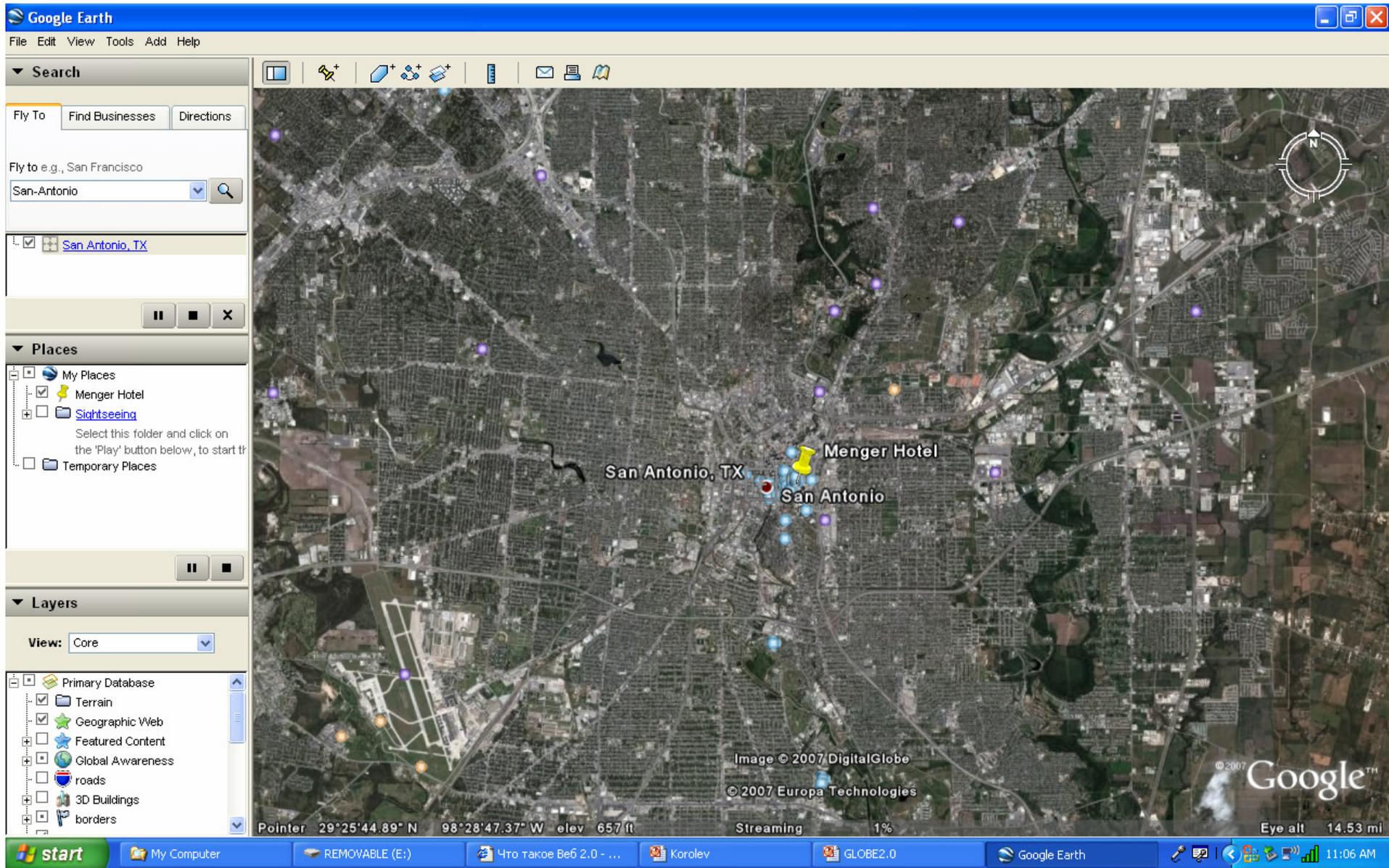
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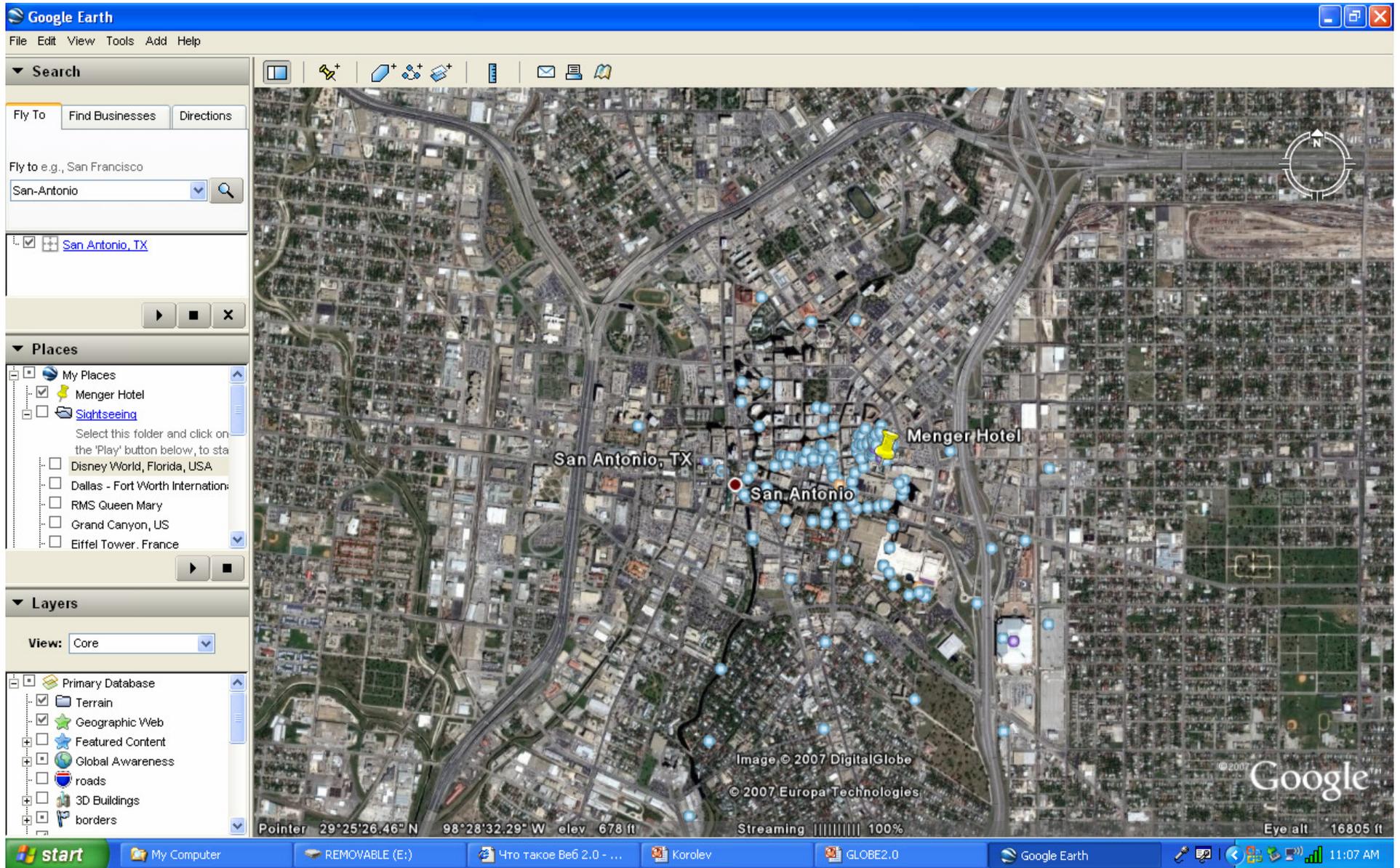
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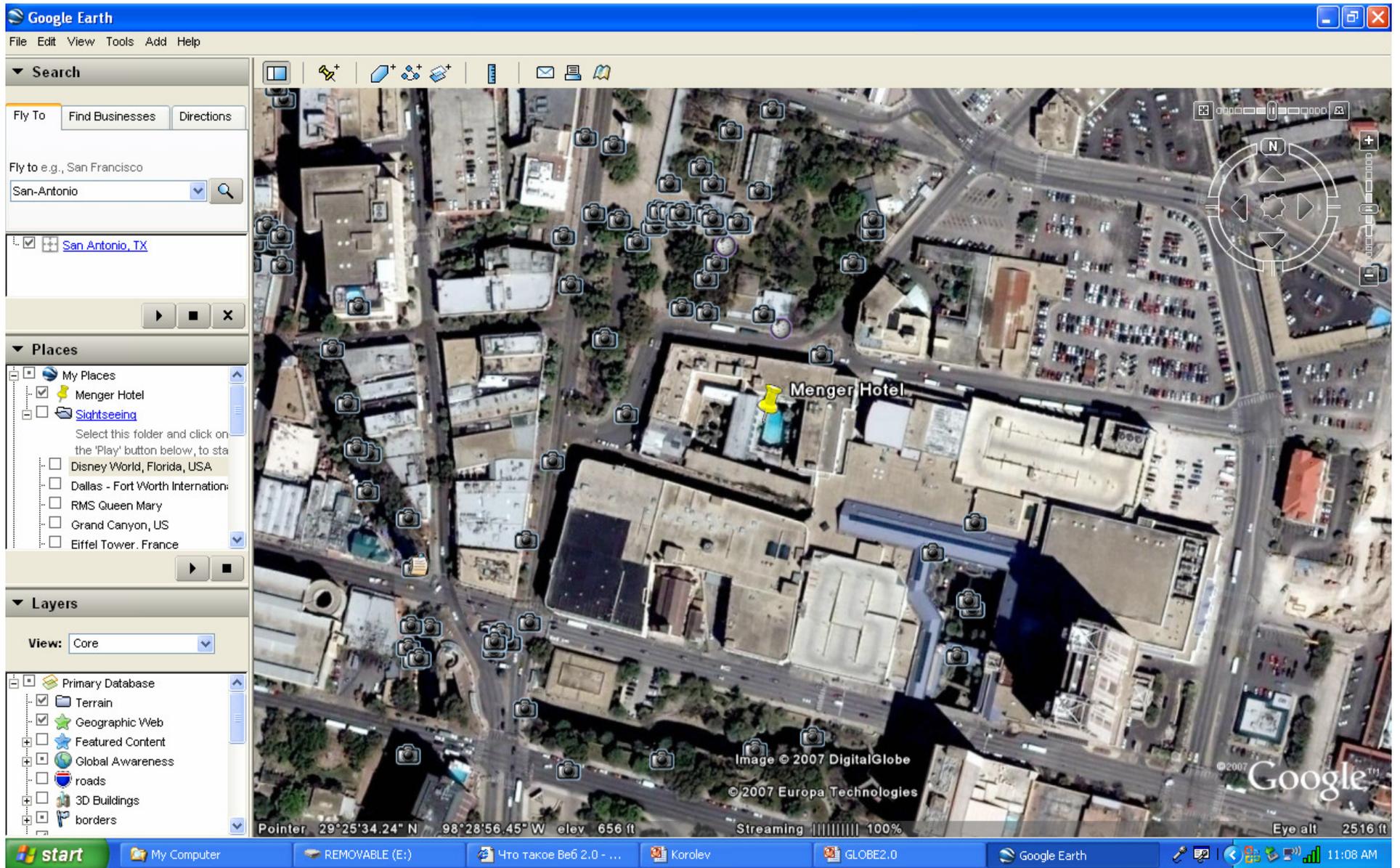
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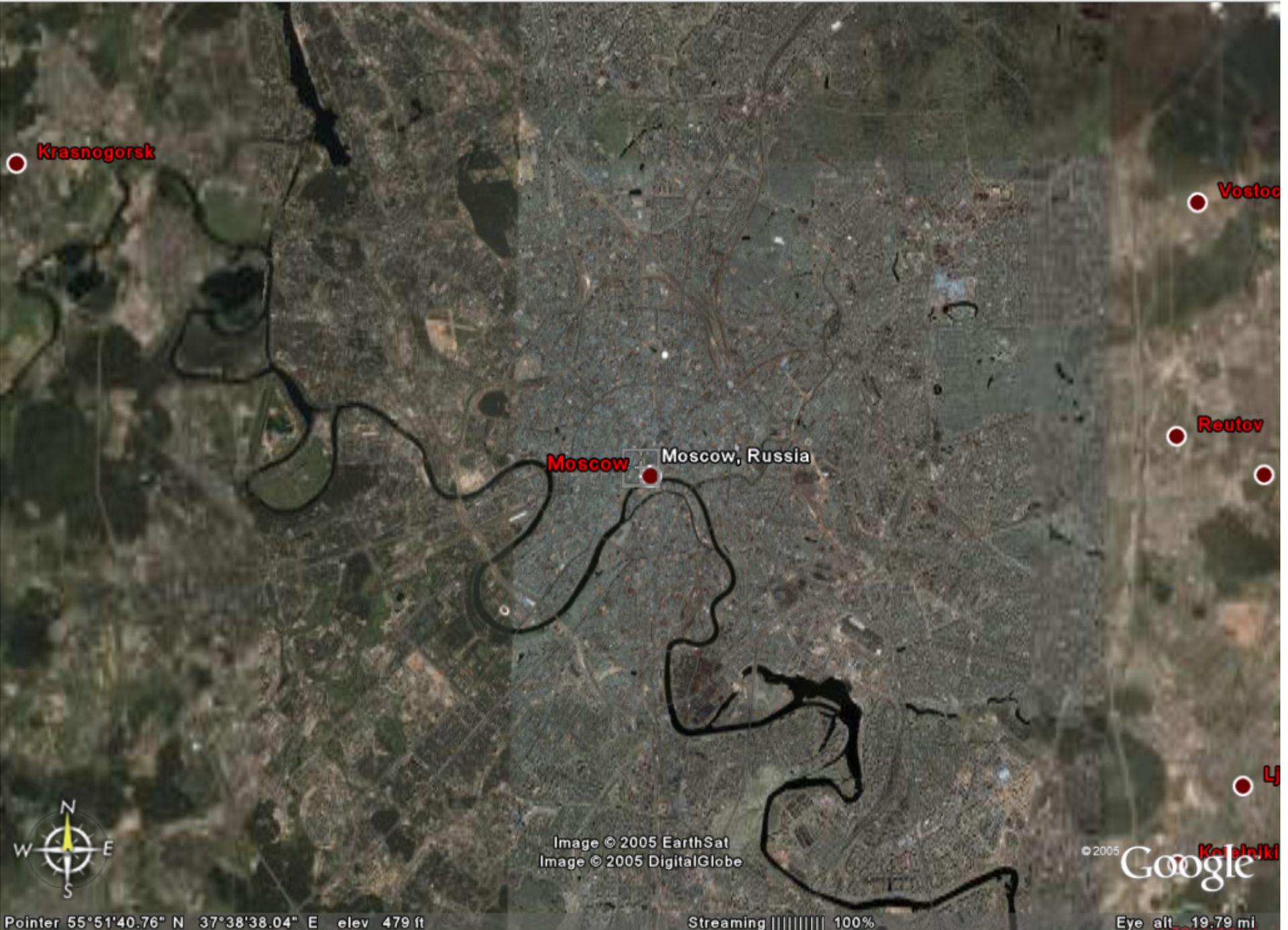


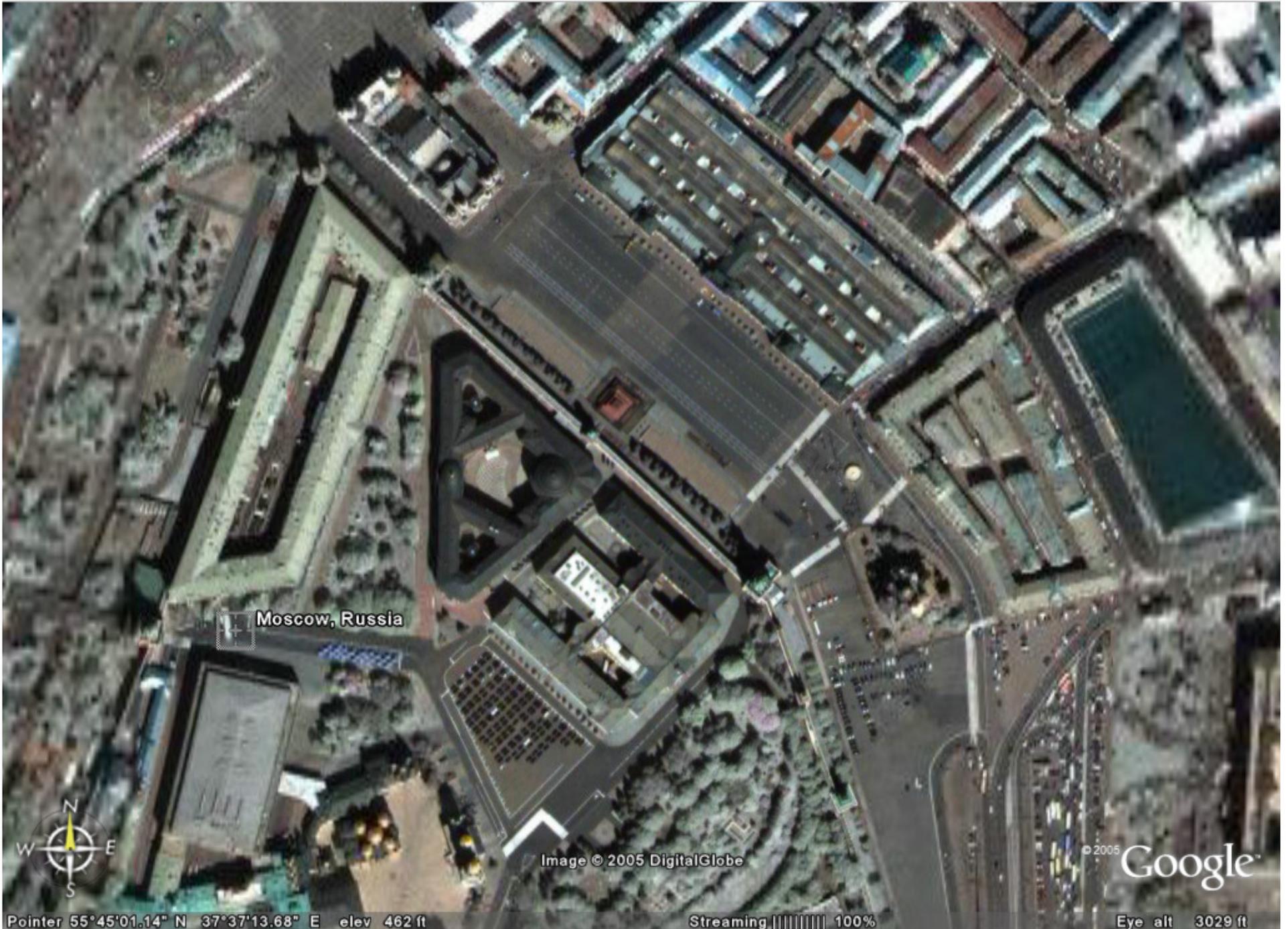
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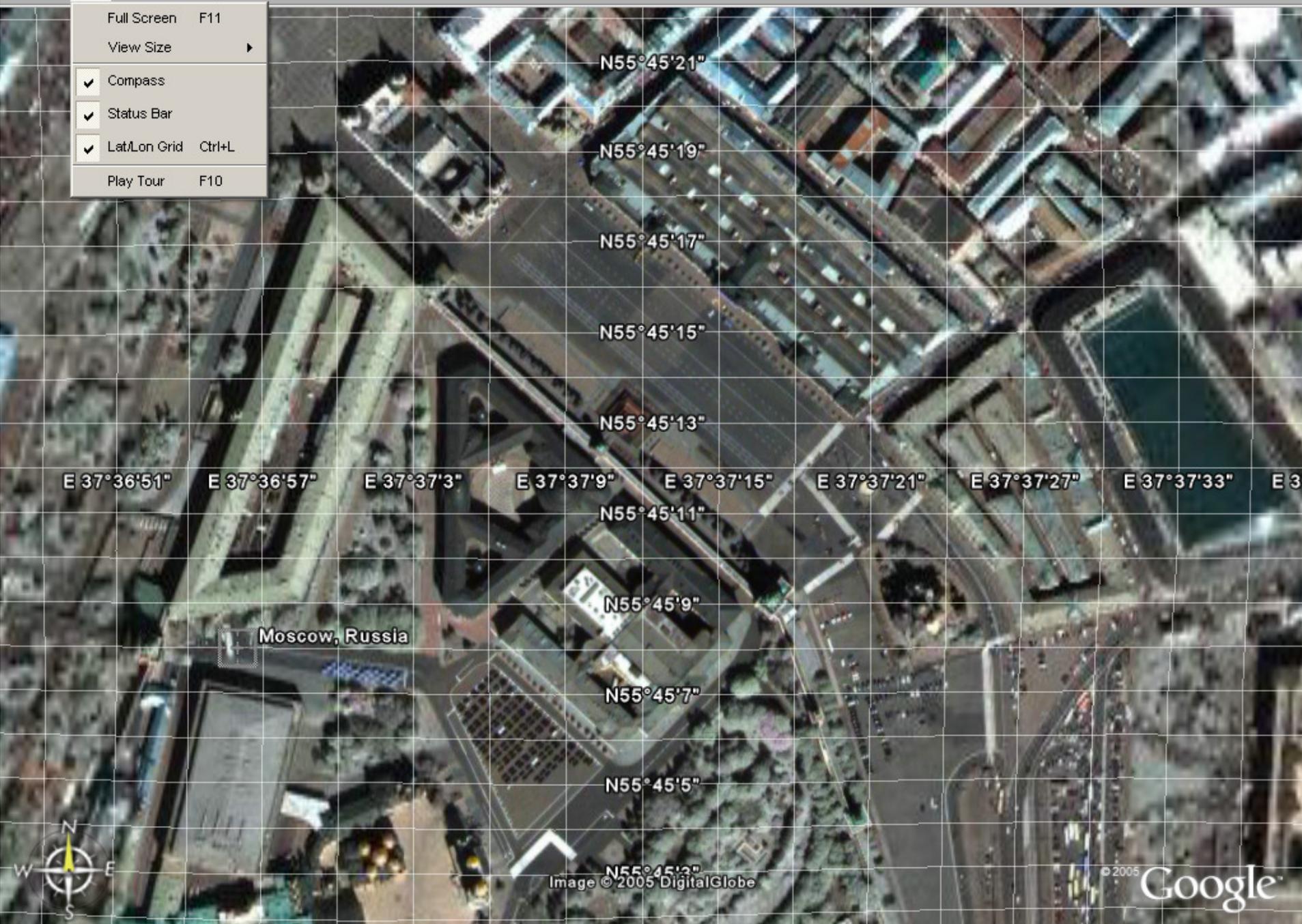
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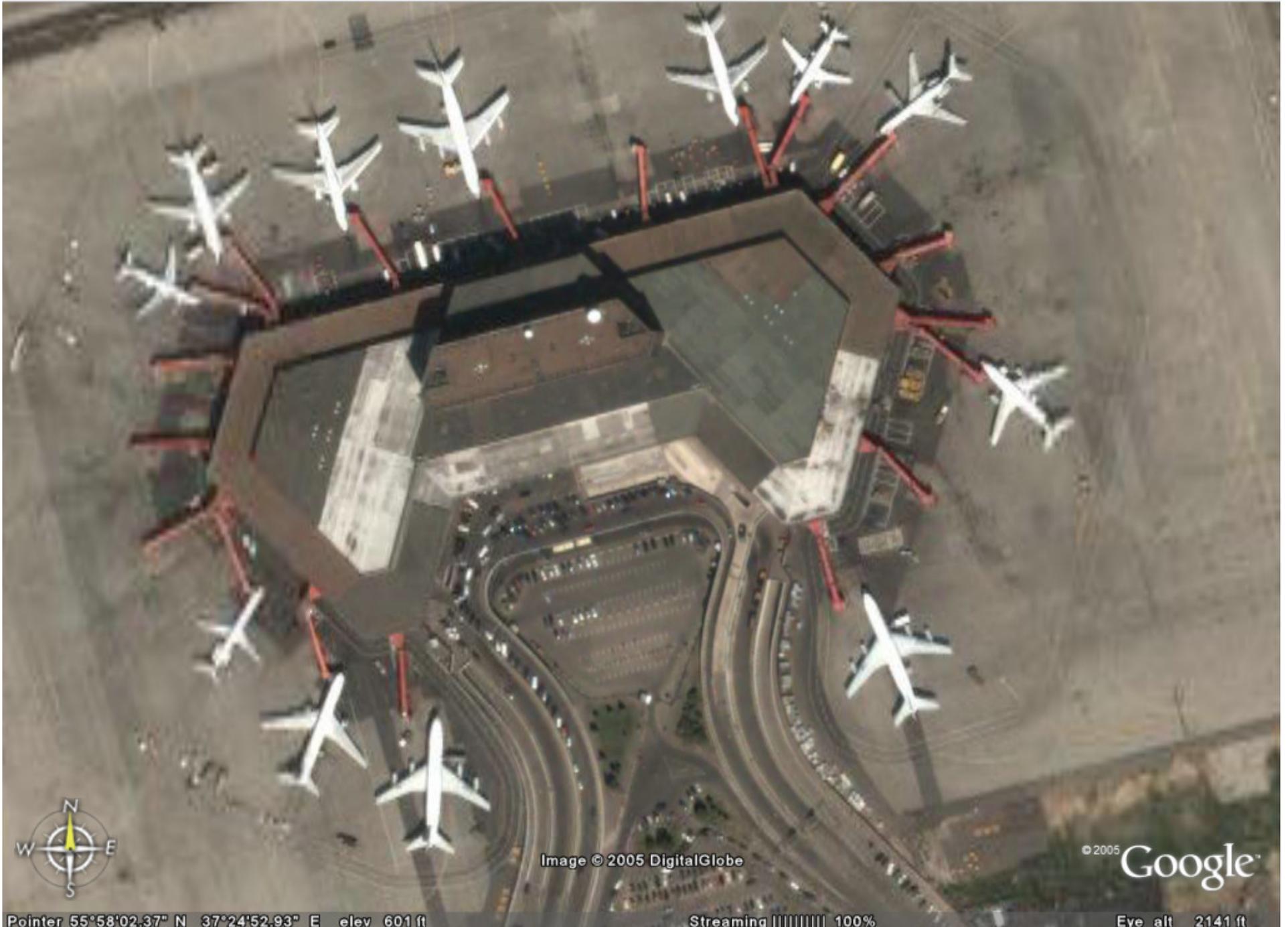


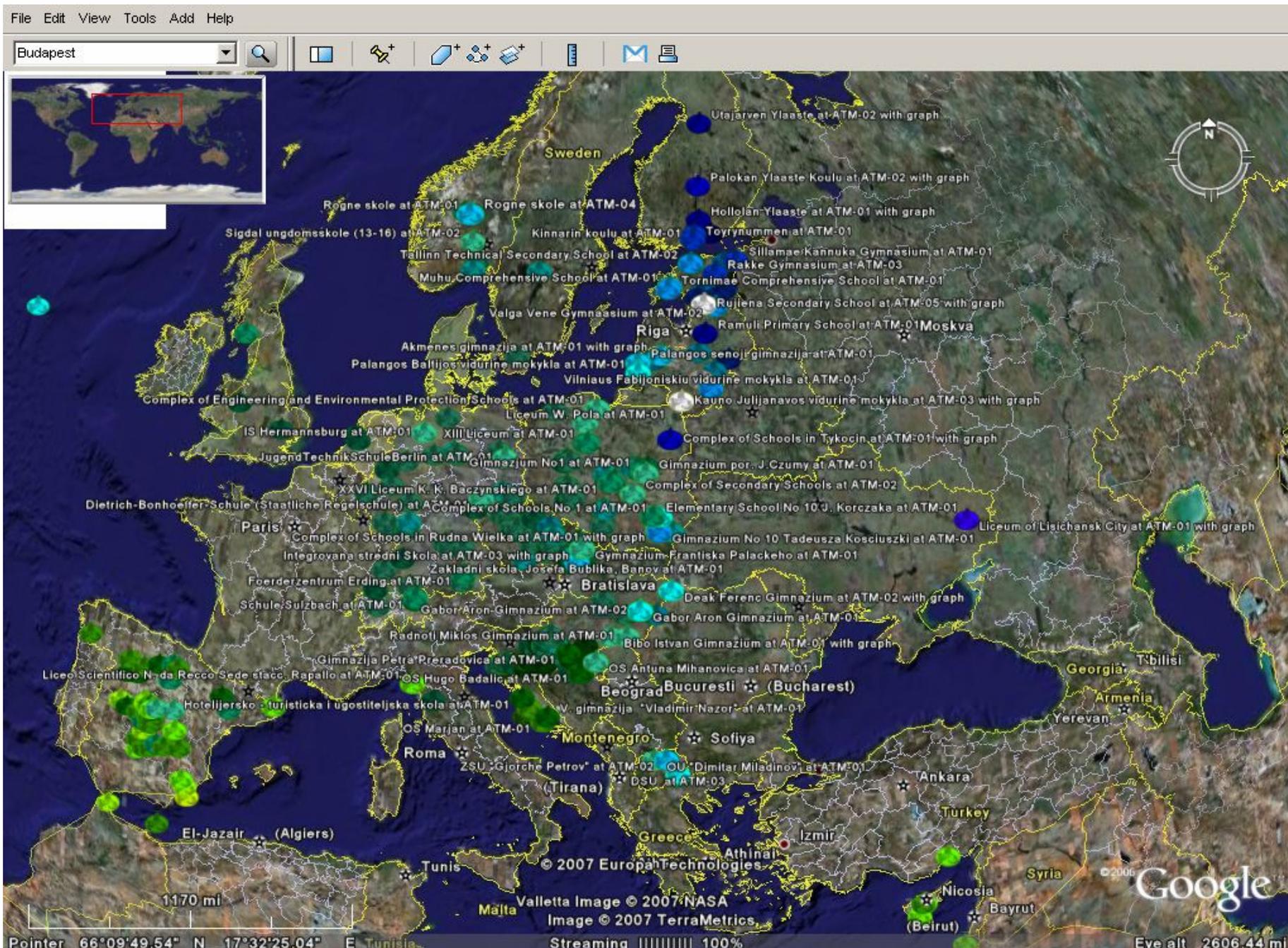
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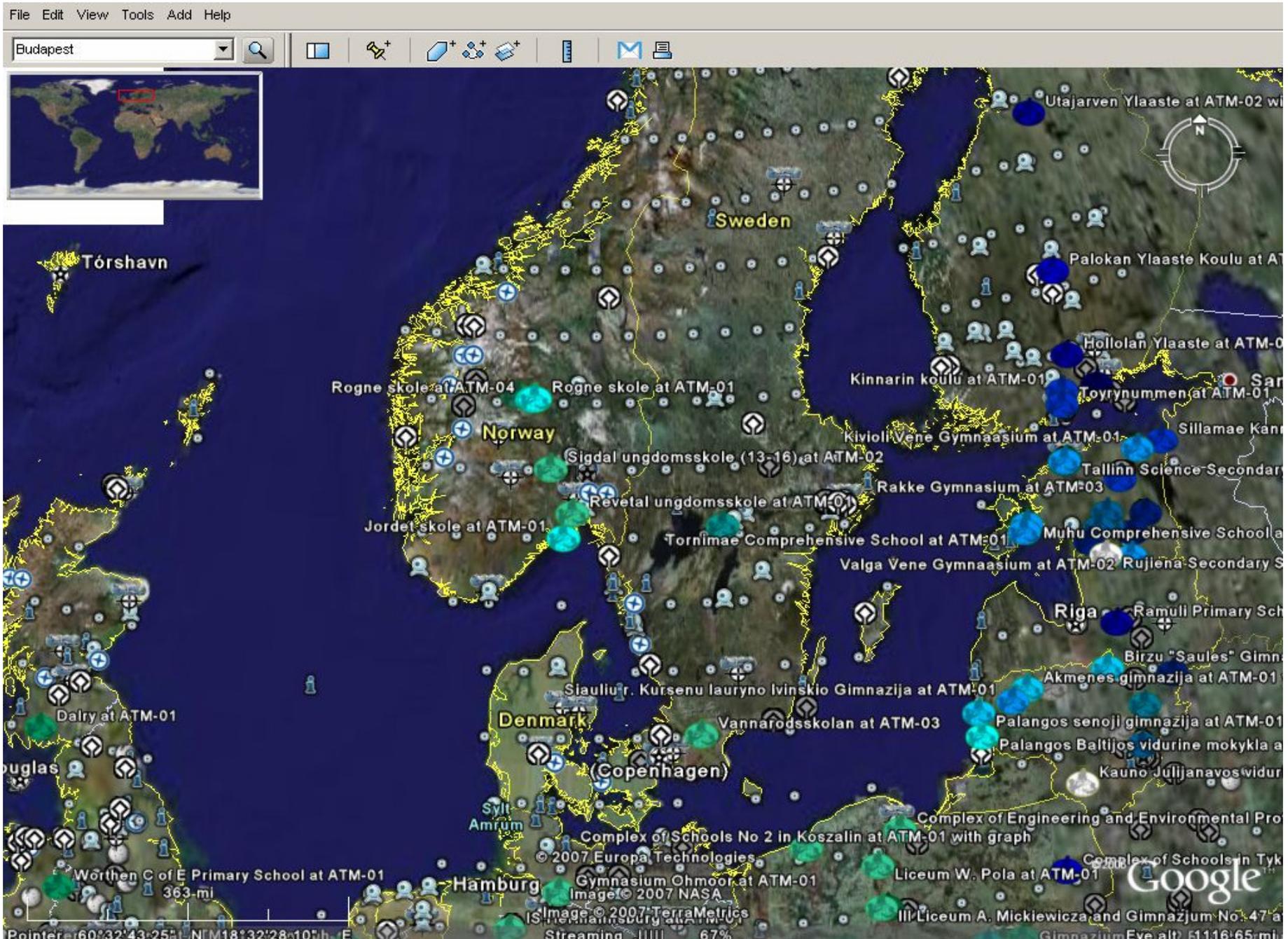
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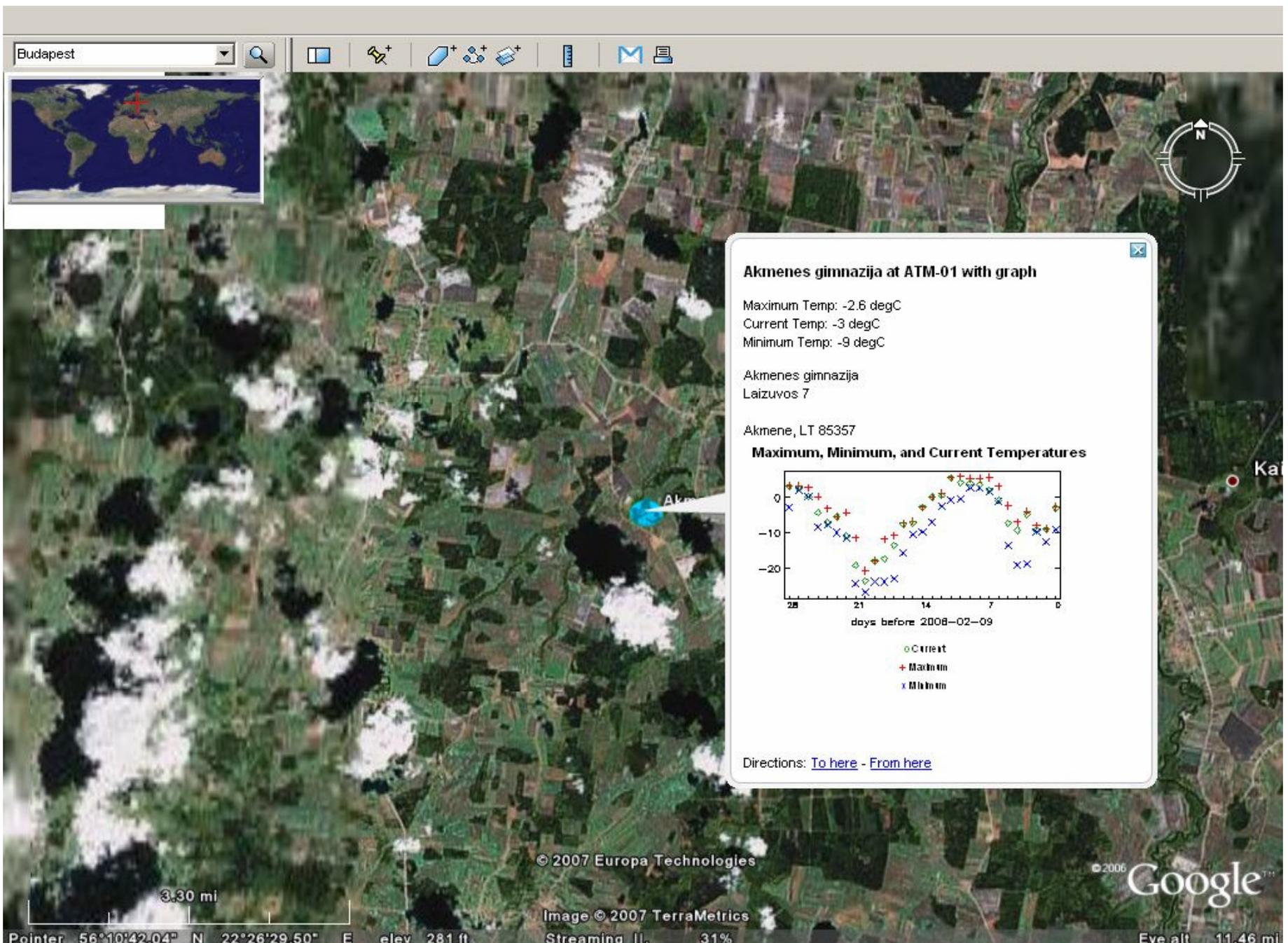
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in this thread i am to share my impressions about the spirit i like in each region of my country.
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with every forthcoming reply from me i will give some foretaste to every update.

have a good time not just in the city!

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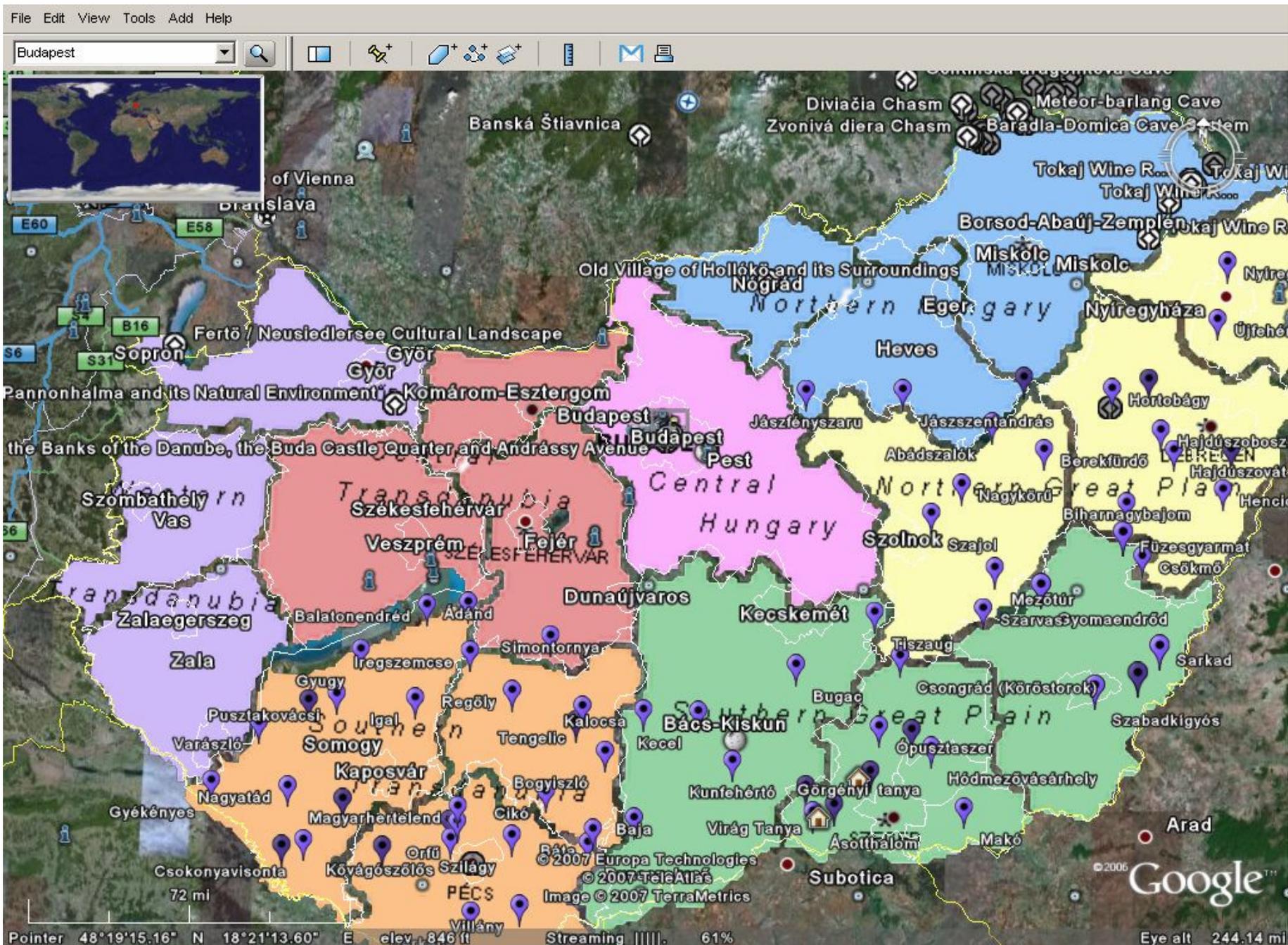
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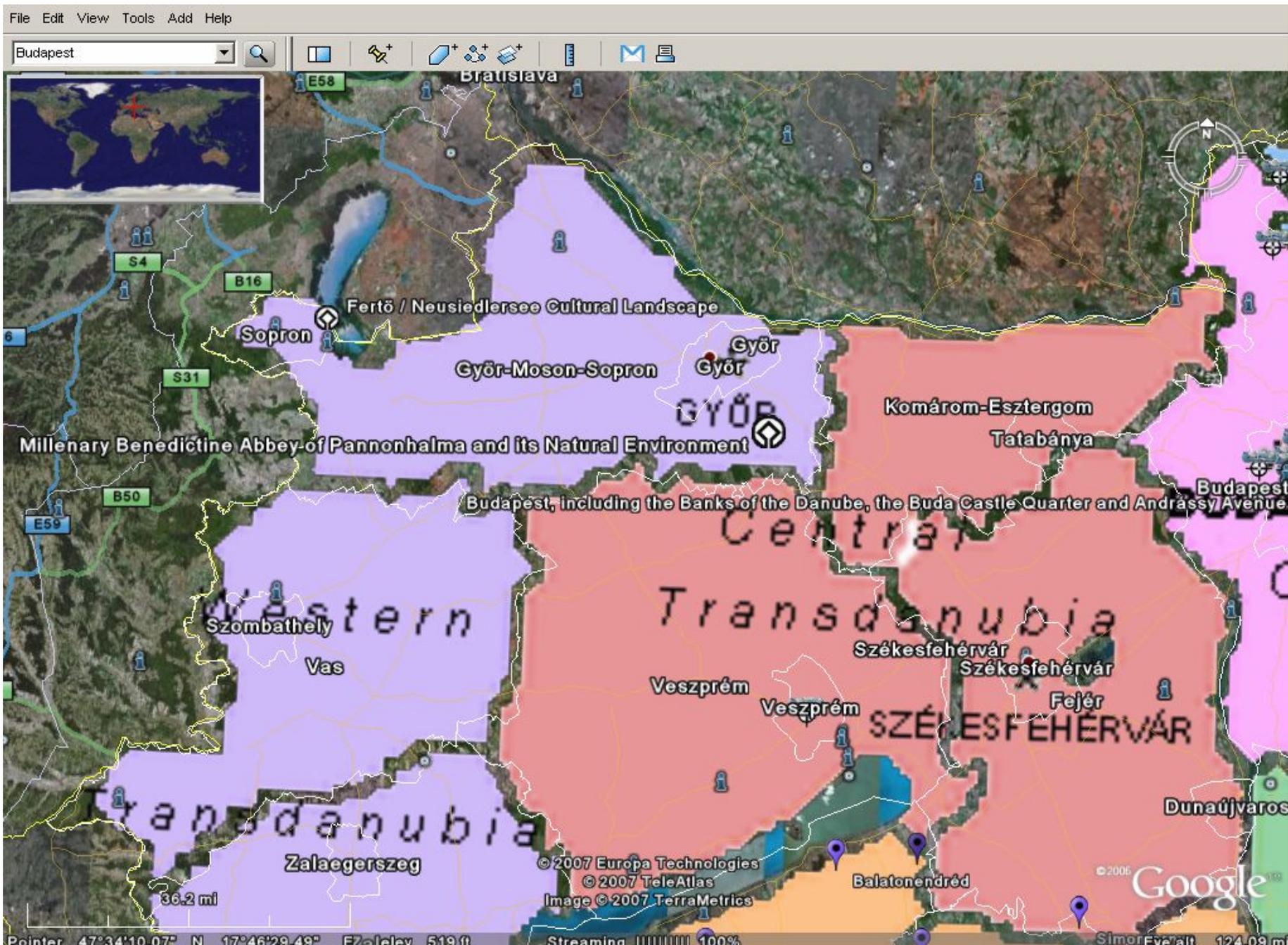
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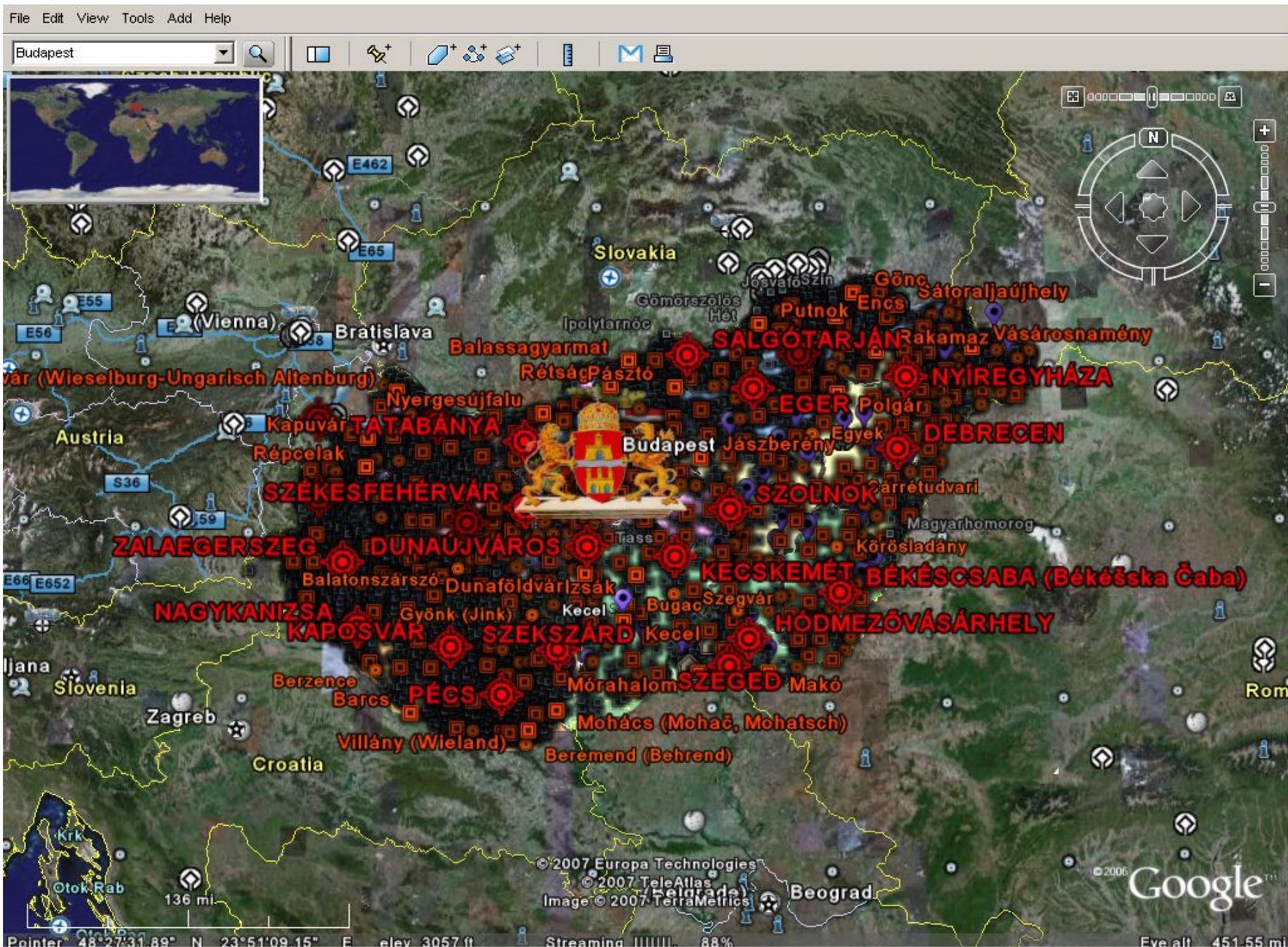
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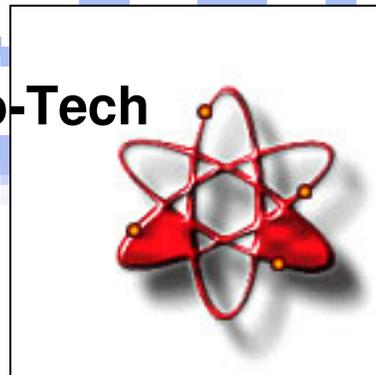


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Web 2.0, a phrase coined by [O'Reilly Media](#) in 2003^[1] and popularized by the first Web 2.0 conference in 2004^[2], refers to a perceived second [generation](#) of web-based communities and [hosted services](#) — such as [social-networking sites](#), [wikis](#) and [folksonomies](#) — which facilitate collaboration and sharing between users. O'Reilly Media titled a series of conferences around the phrase, and it has since become widely adopted.

Although the term suggests a new version of the [World Wide Web](#), it does not refer to an update to Web technical specifications, but to changes in the ways [software developers](#) and [end-users](#) use the web as a platform. According to [Tim O'Reilly](#), "Web 2.0 is the business revolution in the computer industry caused by the move to the internet as platform, and an attempt to understand the rules for success on that new platform."^[3]

Some technology experts, notably [Tim Berners-Lee](#), have questioned whether one can use the term in a meaningful way, since many of the technology components of "Web 2.0" have existed since the early days of the Web.^[4]

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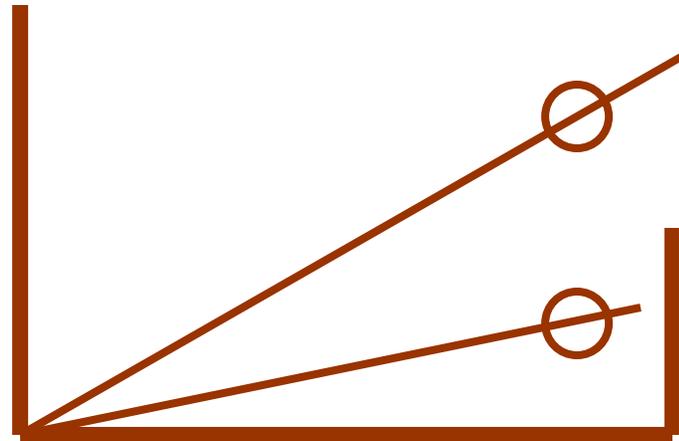
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