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#### 1.1 Introduction

ReadOSM is a C open source library to extract valid data from within an Open Street Map input file. Such OSM files come in two different formats:

- files identified by the .osm suffix simply are plain XML files.
- files identified by the **.pbf** suffix contain the same data, but adopting the Google's Protocol Buffer serialization format (a more concise and compressed binary notation, thus requiring much less storage space).

The ReadOSM design goals are:

- · to be simple and lightweight
- · to be stable, robust and efficient
- · to be easily and universally portable.
- making the whole parsing process of both .osm or .pbf files completely transparent from the application own perspective.

ReadOSM is structurally simple and quite light-weight (typically about 20K of object code, stripped). ReadOSM has only two key dependencies:

- zlib (the well known ZIP library), which is used to decompress zipped binary blocks internally stored within .pbf files.
- expat (a widely used XML parsing library), which is used to parse XML .osm files.
- · both libraries are widely available on many platforms.

Building and installing ReadOSM is straightforward:

```
./configure make make install
```

Linking ReadOSM to your own code is usually simple:

```
gcc my_program.c -o my_program -lreadosm
```

On some systems you may have to provide a slightly more complex arrangement:

```
gcc -I/usr/local/include my_program.c -o my_program \
  -L/usr/local/lib -lreadosm -lexpat -lz
```

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ReadOSM also provides pkg-config support, so you can also do:

```
gcc 'pkg-config --cflags readosm' my_program.c -o my_program 'pkg-config --libs readosm'
```

I originally developed ReadOSM simply in order to allow the SpatiaLite's own CLI tools to acquire both OSM .osm and .pbf files indifferently. Anyway I feel that supporting OSM files import/parsing in a simple and easy way could be useful to many other developers, so I quickly decided to implement all this stuff as a self-standing library.

ReadOSM is licensed under the MPL tri-license terms: you are free to choose the best-fit license between:

- the MPL 1.1
- the GPL v2.0 or any subsequent version
- the LGPL v2.1 or any subsequent version

Enjoy, and happy coding

# **About Open Street Map datasets**

Open Street Map aka **OSM** [http://www.openstreetmap.org/] is a very popular community project aimed to produced a map of the world; this map is absolutely free and is released under the ODbL license terms [http-://opendatacommons.org/licenses/odbl/].

Selected portions [by Country / Region] of the OSM map are available on the following download sites:

- http://download.geofabrik.de/
- http://downloads.cloudmade.com/

The best known format used to ship OSM datasets is based on XML; we'll shortly examine the XML general layout so to explain the objects used by the OSM data model and their mutual relationships.

### 2.1 Node

A Node simply corresponds to a 2D POINT Geometry; the geographic coordinates are always expressed as Longitude and Latitude (corresponding to SRID 4326).

A Node doesn't simply have a geometry; it's usually characterized by several data attributes:

- id: a number uniquely identifying each Node object.
- Ion and Iat: the geographic Longitude and Latitude of the Point.
- version: a progressive number identifying subsequent versions of the same object.
- **changeset:** a progressive number identifying a "changeset", i.e. a batch insert/update performed by same user.
- · user: nickname of the user committing the changeset.
- · uid: a number uniquely identifying the user
- timestemp: commit date-time
- tag-list: any object may eventually be further qualified using arbitrary key:value pairs.

The following is the XML general layout used to represent a Node object:

## 2.2 Way

A Way corresponds to a 2D LINESTRING Geometry: anyway the vertices never are directly defined within the Way itself; a list of indirectly referenced Nodes (<**nd ref**> items) is required instead.

The data attributes characterizing a Way are more or less the same used for Nodes, and with identical meaning; and for Ways too an arbitrary collection of Tags (**key:value** pairs) is supported.

The following is the XML general layout used to represent a Way object:

#### 2.3 Relation

A Relation is a complex object: it can correspond to a 2D POLYGON, or to a 2D MULTILINESTRING, or even to a 2D GEOMETRYCOLLECTION.

A Relation object can reference any other kind of OSM objects: each < member> item can address a Node object, a Way object or another Relation object; the type attribute will always specify the nature of the referenced object, and the optional role attribute may eventually better specify the intended scope.

The data attributes characterizing a Relation are exactly the same used for Ways, and with identical meaning; and for Relations too an arbitrary collection of Tags (**key:value** pairs) is supported.

The following is the XML general layout used to represent a Relation object:

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There are two distinct formats used to ship OSM datasets: both contains the exact same information, but the internal layout is radically different.

## 3.1 XML (.osm) files

OSM files based on the XML notation are widely used: usually they are identified by the .osm suffix.

XML is notoriously verbose and usually requires lots of storage space; happily enough, XML it's strongly compressible.

Accordingly to this consideration, the most commonly found OSM files are identified by the .osm.bz2 suffix: this practically means that the .osm (XML) file has been compressed using bzip2. In order to actually process a .osm.-bz2 OSM file a two-steps approach is always required:

- decompressing the file (using bunzip2 or some other tool)
- · then parsing the resulting .osm file
- please note: the inflated file will require about 10/15 times the amount space required by the compressed file; many OSM XML files could actually be impressively huge (several GB).

## 3.2 Protocol Buffer (.pbf) files

An alternative OSM file format is based on the Google's Protocol Buffer encoding [https://developers.-google.com/protocol-buffers/docs/encoding]

This OSM format is based on a public and documented specification: [http://wiki.openstreetmap.-org/wiki/PBF\_Format]

OSM files based on Protocol Buffer encoding are usually identified by the .pbf suffix.

The main benefit coming from using .pbf files is in that they are much more compact (smaller size) than the corresponding .osm.bz2; and they can be immediately parsed, no preliminary decompression step being required at all.

## 3.3 ReadOSM basic architecture

The intended scope of **ReadOSM** is to allow transparent parsing of both OSM formats indifferently. There is no need to take care of any internal low-level aspect, because the library itself silently handles any required step. The simple and easy abstract interface implemented by ReadOSM is exactly intended so to allow many reader-apps to consume OSM-input files in the most painless way; and all this requires only a very limited memory footprint.

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# ReadOSM basic architecture

ReadOSM implements a very simple and straightforward interface; there are only three methods:

- readosm\_open(): this function is intended to establish a connection to some OSM input file.
- readosm\_close(): this function is intended to terminate a previously established connection.
- readosm\_parse(): a single function dispatching the whole parsing process (mainly based on callback functions).

Accordingly to the above premises, implementing a complete OSM parser is incredibly simple:

```
#include <readosm.h>
static int
parse_node (const void *user_data, const readosm_node * node)
/* callback function consuming Node objects */
 struct some_user_defined_struct *my_struct =
   (struct some_user_defined_struct *) user_data;
  ... some smart code ...
 return READOSM_OK;
static int
parse_way (const void *user_data, const readosm_way * way)
/* callback function consuming Way objects */
 struct some_user_defined_struct *my_struct =
    (struct some_user_defined_struct *) user_data;
  ... some smart code ...
 return READOSM_OK;
static int
parse_relation (const void *user_data, const readosm_relation * relation)
/* callback function consuming Relation objects */
 struct some_user_defined_struct *my_struct =
   (struct some_user_defined_struct *) user_data;
  ... some smart code ...
 return READOSM_OK;
int main ()
```

```
/* the basic OSM parser implementation */
  int ret;
  const void *handle;
  struct some_user_defined_struct my_struct;

ret = readosm_open ("path-to-some-OSM-file", &handle);
  ... error handling intentionally suppressed ...

ret = readosm_parse (handle, &my_struct, parse_node, parse_way, parse_relation);
  ... error handling intentionally suppressed ...

ret = readosm_close (handle);
  ... error handling intentionally suppressed ...

return 0;
}
```

So the real programming work is simply the one required in order to implement the callback-functions own code.

You can usefully read and study the **Examples** code-samples in order to get any other relevant information about this topic.

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# **Data Structure Documentation**

## 7.1 readosm\_member\_struct Struct Reference

a struct representing a RELATION-MEMBER, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

```
#include <readosm.h>
```

#### **Data Fields**

const int member\_type

can be one of: READOSM\_MEMBER\_NODE, READOSM\_MEMBER\_WAY or READOSM\_MEMBER\_RELATION

· const long long id

ID-value identifying the referenced object.

• const char \* role

intended role for this reference

### 7.1.1 Detailed Description

a struct representing a RELATION-MEMBER, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

```
@verbatim
```

```
<member type="some-type" ref="12345" role="some-role">
```

#### **Examples:**

```
test_osm1.c, and test_osm2.c.
```

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

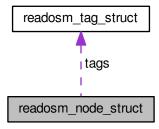
· headers/readosm.h

## 7.2 readosm\_node\_struct Struct Reference

a struct representing a NODE object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

```
#include <readosm.h>
```

Collaboration diagram for readosm\_node\_struct:



#### **Data Fields**

· const long long id

NODE-ID (expected to be a unique value)

· const double latitude

geographic latitude

· const double longitude

geographic longitude

· const int version

object version

· const long long changeset

ChangeSet ID.

• const char \* user

name of the User defining this NODE

· const int uid

corresponding numeric UserID

const char \* timestamp

when this NODE was defined

· const int tag\_count

number of associated TAGs (may be zero)

const readosm\_tag \* tags

array of TAG objects (may be NULL)

#### 7.2.1 Detailed Description

a struct representing a NODE object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

```
@verbatim
```

#### **Examples:**

test\_osm1.c, test\_osm2.c, and test\_osm3.c.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

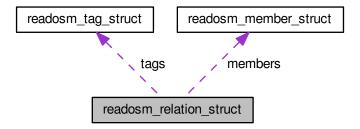
• headers/readosm.h

### 7.3 readosm\_relation\_struct Struct Reference

a struct representing a RELATION object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

#include <readosm.h>

Collaboration diagram for readosm\_relation\_struct:



#### **Data Fields**

· const long long id

RELATION-ID (expected to be a unique value)

· const int version

object version

· const long long changeset

ChangeSet ID.

• const char \* user

name of the User defining this RELATION

· const int uid

corresponding numeric UserID

• const char \* timestamp

when this RELATION was defined

const int member\_count

number of associated MEMBERs (may be zero)

const readosm\_member \* members

array of MEMBER objects (may be NULL)

const int tag\_count

number of associated TAGs (may be zero)

const readosm\_tag \* tags

array of TAG objects (may be NULL)

### 7.3.1 Detailed Description

a struct representing a RELATION object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

```
@verbatim
```

<relation id="12345" version="1" changeset="54321" user="some-user" uid="66" timestamp="2005-02-28T17:45-:15Z"> <member type="way" ref="12345" role="outer"> <member type="way" ref="12346" role="inner"> <tag key="created by" value="JOSM"> <tag key="tourism" value="camp site"> </relation>

#### **Examples:**

```
test_osm1.c, test_osm2.c, and test_osm3.c.
```

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

· headers/readosm.h

## 7.4 readosm\_tag\_struct Struct Reference

a struct representing a key:value pair, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

```
#include <readosm.h>
```

#### **Data Fields**

```
· const char * key
```

the KEY

• const char \* value

the VALUE

#### 7.4.1 Detailed Description

a struct representing a key:value pair, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

```
@verbatim
```

<tag key="key-value" value="some-value">

#### **Examples:**

test\_osm1.c.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

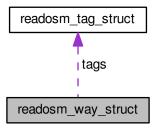
• headers/readosm.h

## 7.5 readosm\_way\_struct Struct Reference

a struct representing a WAY object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

```
#include <readosm.h>
```

Collaboration diagram for readosm\_way\_struct:



#### **Data Fields**

· const long long id

WAY-ID (expected to be a unique value)

· const int version

object version

· const long long changeset

ChangeSet ID.

· const char \* user

name of the User defining this WAY

· const int uid

corresponding numeric UserID

const char \* timestamp

when this WAY was defined

· const int node\_ref\_count

number of referenced NODE-IDs (may be zero)

• const long long \* node\_refs

array of NODE-IDs (may be NULL)

· const int tag\_count

number of associated TAGs (may be zero)

const readosm\_tag \* tags

array of TAG objects (may be NULL)

#### 7.5.1 Detailed Description

a struct representing a WAY object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

@verbatim

<way id="12345" version="1" changeset="54321" user="some-user" uid="66" timestamp="2005-02-28T17:45:15-Z"> <nd ref="12345"> <nd ref="12346"> <nd ref="12347"> <tag key="created\_by" value="JOSM"> <tag key="tourism" value="camp\_site"> </way>

#### **Examples:**

test\_osm1.c, test\_osm2.c, and test\_osm3.c.

The documentation for this struct was generated from the following file:

• headers/readosm.h

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### 8.1 headers/readosm.h File Reference

Function declarations and constants for ReadOSM library.

#### **Data Structures**

· struct readosm\_tag\_struct

a struct representing a key:value pair, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

· struct readosm\_node\_struct

a struct representing a NODE object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

struct readosm\_way\_struct

struct readosm\_member\_struct

a struct representing a RELATION-MEMBER, and wrapping an XML fragment like the following:

struct readosm\_relation\_struct

a struct representing a RELATION object, and wrapping a complex XML fragment like the following:

#### **Macros**

#define READOSM\_UNDEFINED -1234567890

information is not available

• #define READOSM\_MEMBER\_NODE 7361

MemberType: NODE.

#define READOSM\_MEMBER\_WAY 6731

MemberType: WAY.

• #define READOSM\_MEMBER\_RELATION 3671

MemberType: RELATION.

• #define READOSM\_OK 0

No error, success.

• #define READOSM INVALID SUFFIX -1

not .osm or .pbf suffix

• #define READOSM\_FILE\_NOT\_FOUND -2

.osm or .pbf file does not exist or is not accessible for reading

• #define READOSM NULL HANDLE -3

Null OSM\_handle argument.

#define READOSM\_INVALID\_HANDLE -4

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Invalid OSM\_handle argument.

#define READOSM\_INSUFFICIENT\_MEMORY -5

some kind of memory allocation failure

• #define READOSM\_CREATE\_XML\_PARSER\_ERROR -6

cannot create the XML Parser

• #define READOSM\_READ\_ERROR -7

read error

• #define READOSM\_XML\_ERROR -8

XML parser error.

• #define READOSM\_INVALID\_PBF\_HEADER -9

invalid PBF header

#define READOSM\_UNZIP\_ERROR -10

unZip error

• #define READOSM ABORT -11

user-required parser abort

### **Typedefs**

typedef struct readosm\_tag\_struct readosm\_tag

Typedef for TAG structure.

typedef struct readosm\_node\_struct readosm\_node

Typedef for NODE structure.

typedef struct readosm\_way\_struct readosm\_way

Typedef for WAY structure.

· typedef struct

readosm\_member\_struct readosm\_member

Typedef for MEMBER structure.

· typedef struct

readosm relation struct readosm relation

Typedef for RELATION structure.

typedef int(\* readosm\_node\_callback )(const void \*user\_data, const readosm\_node \*node)

callback function handling NODE objects

typedef int(\* readosm\_way\_callback )(const void \*user\_data, const readosm\_way \*way)

callback function handling WAY objects

typedef int(\* readosm\_relation\_callback )(const void \*user\_data, const readosm\_relation \*relation)

callback function handling RELATION objects

#### **Functions**

READOSM\_DECLARE int readosm\_open (const char \*path, const void \*\*osm\_handle)

Open the .osm or .pbf file, preparing for future functions.

• READOSM DECLARE int readosm close (const void \*osm handle)

Close the .osm or .pbf file and release any allocated resource.

READOSM\_DECLARE int readosm\_parse (const void \*osm\_handle, const void \*user\_data, readosm\_node\_callback node\_fnct, readosm\_way\_callback way\_fnct, readosm\_relation\_callback relation\_fnct)

Close the .osm or .pbf file and release any allocated resource.

#### 8.1.1 Detailed Description

Function declarations and constants for ReadOSM library.

```
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8.1.2.1 typedef struct readosm_member_struct readosm_member
Typedef for MEMBER structure.
```

readosm member struct

8.1.2.2 typedef struct readosm\_node\_struct readosm\_node

Typedef for NODE structure.

See also

readosm\_node\_struct

8.1.2.3 typedef struct readosm\_relation\_struct readosm\_relation

Typedef for RELATION structure.

See also

readosm\_relation\_struct

8.1.2.4 typedef struct readosm\_tag\_struct readosm\_tag

Typedef for TAG structure.

See also

readosm\_tag\_struct

8.1.2.5 typedef struct readosm\_way\_struct readosm\_way

Typedef for WAY structure.

See also

readosm\_way\_struct

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- 8.1.3.1 READOSM\_DECLARE int readosm\_close ( const void \* osm\_handle )

Close the .osm or .pbf file and release any allocated resource.

**Parameters** 

osm\_handle | the handle previously returned by readosm\_open()

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#### Returns

READOSM\_OK will be returned on success, otherwise any appropriate error code on failure.

#### Note

After calling readosm\_close() any related resource will be released, and the handle will no longer be valid.

#### **Examples:**

test\_osm1.c, test\_osm2.c, and test\_osm3.c.

8.1.3.2 READOSM\_DECLARE int readosm\_open ( const char \* path, const void \*\* osm\_handle )

Open the .osm or .pbf file, preparing for future functions.

#### **Parameters**

path full or relative pathname of the input file.	
osm_handle	an opaque reference (handle) to be used in each subsequent function (return value).

#### Returns

READOSM\_OK will be returned on success, otherwise any appropriate error code on failure.

#### Note

You are expected to readosm\_close() even on failure, so as to correctly release any dynamic memory allocation.

#### **Examples:**

test\_osm1.c, test\_osm2.c, and test\_osm3.c.

8.1.3.3 READOSM\_DECLARE int readosm\_parse ( const void \* osm\_handle, const void \* user\_data, readosm\_node\_callback node\_fnct, readosm\_way\_callback way\_fnct, readosm\_relation\_callback relation\_fnct )

Close the .osm or .pbf file and release any allocated resource.

\param osm\_handle the handle previously returned by readosm\_open()

#### **Parameters**

_	pointer to some user-supplied data struct
node_fnct	pointer to callback function intended to consume NODE objects (may be NULL if processing
	NODEs is not an interesting option)
way_fnct	pointer to callback function intended to consume WAY objects (may be NULL if processing
	WAYs is not an interesting option)
relation_fnct	pointer to callback function intended to consume RELATION objects (may be NULL if process-
	ing RELATIONs is not an interesting option)

#### Returns

READOSM\_OK will be returned on success, otherwise any appropriate error code on failure.

Note

After calling readosm\_close() any related resource will be released, and the handle will no longer be valid.

## Examples:

test\_osm1.c, test\_osm2.c, and test\_osm3.c.

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# **Example Documentation**

## 9.1 test\_osm1.c

test osm1.c is a simple demonstration tool for OSM file formats. This sample code provides an example of:

- · opening the OSM file
- · parsing the OSM file, then printing an XML-like notation on the standard output.
- · closing the OSM file when no further operations are required

Here is an example of a typical run:

```
./test_osm1 italy.osm >italy-from-xml
or
./test_osm1 italy.osm.pbf >italy-from-pbf
```

Please note: the output produced by test\_osm1 is usually verbose, so redirecting the standard output to a disk file is strongly recommended.

```
/ test_osm1.c
/ libreadosm Sample code
 Author: Sandro Furieri a.furieri@lqt.it
 Version: MPL 1.1/GPL 2.0/LGPL 2.1
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/ the terms of any one of the MPL, the GPL or the LGPL.
#include <stdio.h>
#include "readosm.h"
static int
print_node (const void *user_data, const readosm_node * node)
* printing an OSM Node (callback function)
\star this function is called by the OSM parser for each
* NODE object found
* please note well: the passed pointer corresponds to * a READ-ONLY object; you can can query any node-related
* value, but you cannot alter them.
-----
\star this didactic sample will simply print the node object \star on the standard output adopting the appropriate OSM XML
  notation
     char buf[128];
     int i;
     const readosm_tag *tag;
#if defined(_WIN32) || defined(__MINGW32___)
     /* CAVEAT - M$ runtime doesn't supports %lld for 64 bits */
sprintf (buf, "%164d", node->id);
     sprintf (buf, "%lld", node->id);
#endif
    printf ("\t<node id=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
\star some individual values may be set, or may be not
\star unset values are identified by the READOSM_UNDEFINED
* conventional value, and must be consequently ignored
     if (node->latitude != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
         printf (" lat=\"%1.7f\"", node->latitude);
    if (node->longitude != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
  printf (" lon=\"%1.7f\"", node->longitude);
if (node->version != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
     printf (" version=\"%d\", node->version);
if (node->changeset != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
#else
           sprintf (buf, "%lld", node->changeset);
#endif
            printf (" changeset=\"%s\"", buf);
       }
\star unset string values are identified by a NULL pointer
* and must be consequently ignored
     if (node->user != NULL)
     printf (" user=\"%s\"", node->user);
if (node->uid != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
printf (" uid=\"%d\"", node->uid);
     if (node->timestamp != NULL)
         printf (" timestamp=\"%s\"", node->timestamp);
* the Node object may have its own tag list
* please note: this one is a variable-length list,
  and may be empty: in this case tag_count will be ZERO
    if (node->tag_count == 0)
    printf (" />\n");
else
```

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```
{
            printf (">\n");
            for (i = 0; i < node->tag_count; i++)
                   /* we'll now print each <tag> for this node */
                  tag = node->tags + i; printf ("\t\t<tag k=\\"%s\\" v=\\\"%s\\" />\n\", tag->key,
                            tag->value);
           printf ("\t</node>\n");
    return READOSM_OK;
}
static int
print_way (const void *user_data, const readosm_way * way)
* printing an OSM Way (callback function)
\star this function is called by the OSM parser for each
* WAY object found
* please note well: the passed pointer corresponds to * a READ-ONLY object; you can can query any way-related
* value, but you cannot alter them.
-----
\star this didactic sample will simply print the way object \star on the standard output adopting the appropriate OSM XML
* notation
     char buf[128];
     int i;
     const readosm_tag *tag;
#if defined(_WIN32) || defined(__MINGW32___)
     /* CAVEAT - M$ runtime doesn't supports %lld for 64 bits */sprintf (buf, "%164d", way->id);
    sprintf (buf, "%lld", way->id);
#endif
    printf ("\t<way id=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
\star some individual values may be set, or may be not
\star unset values are identified by the READOSM_UNDEFINED
\star conventional value, and must be consequently ignored
    if (way->version != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
    printf (" version=\"%d\"", way->version);
     if (way->changeset != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
sprintf (buf, "%lld", way->changeset);
#endif
           printf (" changeset=\"%s\"", buf);
\star unset string values are identified by a NULL pointer
\star and must be consequently ignored
     if (wav->user != NULL)
         printf (" user=\"%s\"", way->user);
    if ( user-\ ss', way-vuser);
if (way->uid != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
  printf (" uid=\"sd\"", way->uid);
if (way->timestamp != NULL)
  printf (" timestamp=\"%s\"", way->timestamp);
\star the Way object may have a noderefs-list and a tag-list
* please note: these are variable-length lists, and may
\star be empty: in this case the corresponding item count
* will be ZERO
     if (way->tag_count == 0 && way->node_ref_count == 0)
        printf (" />\n");
            printf (">\n");
            for (i = 0; i < way->node_ref_count; i++)
```

```
/* we'll now print each <nd ref> for this way */
#if defined(_WIN32) || defined(__MINGW32___)
                 /* CAVEAT - M$ runtime doesn't supports %lld for 64 bits */
sprintf (buf, "%164d", *(way->node_refs + i));
#else
                  sprintf (buf, "%lld", *(way->node_refs + i));
#endif
                  printf ("\t\t<nd ref=\"%s\" />\n", buf);
           for (i = 0; i < way->tag_count; i++)
                  /* we'll now print each <tag> for this way */
                  tag = way->tags + i;
printf ("\t\t<tag k=\"%s\" v=\"%s\" />\n", tag->key,
                           tag->value);
           printf ("\t</way>\n");
    return READOSM_OK;
static int
print_relation (const void *user_data, const readosm_relation *
        relation)
* printing an OSM Relation (callback function)
\star this function is called by the OSM parser for each
* RELATION object found
* please note well: the passed pointer corresponds to
  a READ-ONLY object; you can can query any relation-related
* value, but you cannot alter them.
* this didactic sample will simply print the relation object
 on the standard output adopting the appropriate OSM XML
    char buf[128];
    int i;
    const readosm_member *member;
    const readosm_tag *tag;
#if defined(_WIN32) || defined(__MINGW32__)
    /* CAVEAT - M$ runtime doesn't supports %lld for 64 bits */sprintf (buf, "%164d", relation->id);
#else
    sprintf (buf, "%lld", relation->id);
#endif
   printf ("\t<relation id=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
* some individual values may be set, or may be not * unset values are identified by the READOSM_UNDEFINED
  conventional value, and must be consequently ignored
    if (relation->version != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
    printf (" version=\"%d\"", relation->version);
if (relation->changeset != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
#else
           sprintf (buf, "%lld", relation->changeset);
#endif
           printf (" changeset=\"%s\"", buf);
* unset string values are identified by a NULL pointer
* and must be consequently ignored
    if (relation->user != NULL)
    printf (" user=\"%s\"", relation->user);
if (relation->uid != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
    printf (" uid=\"%d\"", relation->uid);
if (relation->timestamp != NULL)
        printf (" timestamp=\"%s\"", relation->timestamp);
\star the Relation object may have a member-list and a tag-list
* please note: these are variable-length lists, and may
* be empty: in this case the corresponding item count
```

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```
* will be ZERO
    if (relation->tag_count == 0 && relation->member_count
       == ())
        printf (" />\n");
    else
      {
          printf (">\n");
           for (i = 0; i < relation->member_count; i++)
                 /\star we'll now print each <member> for this way \star/
member = relation->members + i;
#if defined(_WIN32) || defined(_MINGW32__)
                 /* CAVEAT - M$ runtime doesn't supports %11d for 64 bits */
                 sprintf (buf, "%164d", member->id);
#else
                 sprintf (buf, "%lld", member->id);
#endif
                 /\star any <member> may be of "node", "way" or "relation" type \star/
                 switch (member->member_type)
                   case READOSM_MEMBER_NODE:
                       printf ("\t\t<member type=\"node\" ref=\"%s\"", buf);
                       break:
                   case READOSM_MEMBER_WAY:
                      printf ("\t\t<member type=\"way\" ref=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
                   case READOSM_MEMBER_RELATION:
                       printf ("\t\t<member type=\"relation\" ref=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
                        break;
                   default:
                       printf ("\t\t<member ref=\"%s\"", buf);</pre>
                        break;
                 if (member->role != NULL)
    printf (" role=\"%s\" />\n", member->role);
                 else
                     printf (" />\n");
           for (i = 0; i < relation->tag_count; i++)
                 /\star we'll now print each <tag> for this way \star/
                 tag = relation->tags + i;
printf ("\t\t<tag k=\"%s\" v=\"%s\" />\n", tag->key,
                          tag->value);
          printf ("\t</relation>\n");
    return READOSM_OK;
}
int
main (int argc, char *argv[])
    const void *osm_handle;
    int ret;
    if (argc != 2)
      {
          fprintf (stderr, "usage: test_osml path-to-OSM-file\n");
          return -1;
      }
* STEP #1: opening the OSM file
\star this can indifferently be an OSM XML encoded file (.osm)
* or an OSM Protocol Buffer encoded file (.pbf)
\star the library will transparently perform any required
* action in both cases.
    ret = readosm_open (argv[1], &osm_handle);
    if (ret != READOSM_OK)
      {
          fprintf (stderr, "OPEN error: %d\n", ret);
          goto stop;
      }
\star STEP #2: parsing the OSM file
* this task is unbelievably simple
\star you are simply required to pass the appropriate
 pointers for callback funtions respectively intended
* to process Node-objects, Way-objects and Relation-objects
\star the library will then parse the whole input file, calling
* the appropriate callback handling function for each OSM object
```

#### 9.2 test osm2.c

test osm2.c is another simple demonstration tool for OSM file formats. This sample code provides an example of:

- · opening the OSM file
- · parsing the OSM file, thus collecting and printing simple statistics about NODEs, WAYs and RELATIONs
- · error handling
- · closing the OSM file when no further operations are required

Here is a typical usage example, parsing an OSM XML file (.osm):

```
./test_osm2 test.osm
Longitude range: 8.7889611 / 9.4145124
            range: 41.3870658 / 42.8070090
Latitude
                 : 1060
Nodes
             tags: 1052
Ways
                 : 112
            ndref: 785
             tags: 241
Relations
                 : 13
  member.nodes : 16
                : 44
  member.ways
  member.relations: 6
             tags: 199
```

Here is another example, this time parsing a .pbf (Protocol Buffer) OSM file:

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```
Relations
                      : 1520
  member.nodes : 2952
member.ways : 2741
  member.relations: 30
                 tags: 10081
/
/ test_osm2.c
  libreadosm Sample code
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#include <stdio.h>
#include "readosm.h"
struct osm_statistics
/* a struct intended to collect general OSM statistics */
    int node count;
    int node_tag_count;
    int way_count;
    int way_ndref_count;
    int way_tag_count;
    int relation_count;
    int relation member node count;
    int relation_member_way_count;
    int relation_member_relation_count;
    int relation_tag_count;
    double min_longitude;
    double max_longitude;
    double min_latitude;
    double max_latitude;
};
static int
node_stats (const void *user_data, const readosm_node * node)
/* updating OSM Node stats (callback function)*/
     /\star casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_statistics \star/
    struct osm_statistics *stats = (struct osm_statistics *) user_data;
    stats->node_count++;
    stats->node_tag_count += node->tag_count;
    if (node->latitude != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
```

```
if (node->latitude > stats->max_latitude)
              stats->max_latitude = node->latitude;
          if (node->latitude < stats->min_latitude)
              stats->min_latitude = node->latitude;
    if (node->longitude != READOSM_UNDEFINED)
          if (node->longitude > stats->max_longitude)
              stats->max_longitude = node->longitude;
          if (node->longitude < stats->min_longitude)
              stats->min_longitude = node->longitude;
    return READOSM_OK;
static int
way_stats (const void *user_data, const readosm_way * way)
/* updating OSM Way stats (callback function) */
    /* casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_statistics */
    struct osm_statistics *stats = (struct osm_statistics *) user_data;
    stats->way_count++;
    stats->way_ndref_count += way->node_ref_count;
    stats->way_tag_count += way->tag_count;
    return READOSM_OK;
static int
relation stats (const void *user data, const readosm relation *
       relation)
/* updating OSM Relation stats (callback function) */
    int i;
    const readosm member *member:
    /\star casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_statistics \star/
    struct osm_statistics *stats = (struct osm_statistics *) user_data;
    stats->relation_count++;
    for (i = 0; i < relation->member_count; i++)
          member = relation->members + i;
          switch (member->member_type)
            case READOSM_MEMBER_NODE:
                stats->relation_member_node_count++;
                break:
            case READOSM_MEMBER_WAY:
                stats->relation_member_way_count++;
            case READOSM_MEMBER_RELATION:
                stats->relation_member_relation_count++;
                break:
            };
    stats->relation_tag_count += relation->tag_count;
    return READOSM_OK;
}
int
main (int argc, char *argv[])
    const void *osm_handle;
    int ret;
    struct osm_statistics infos;
/* initializing the statistics struct */
    infos.node_count = 0;
    infos.node_tag_count = 0;
    infos.way_count = 0;
    infos.way_ndref_count = 0;
    infos.way_tag_count = 0;
    infos.relation_count = 0;
    infos.relation_member_node_count = 0;
    infos.relation_member_way_count = 0;
    infos.relation_member_relation_count = 0;
    infos.relation_tag_count = 0;
    infos.min_longitude = 180.0;
infos.max_longitude = -180.0;
    infos.min_latitude = 90.0;
    infos.max_latitude = -90.0;
    if (argc != 2)
          fprintf (stderr, "usage: test osm2 path-to-OSM-file\n");
```

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```
return -1;
\star STEP #1: opening the OSM file
\star this can indifferently be an OSM XML encoded file (.osm)
  or an OSM Protocol Buffer encoded file (.pbf)
\star the library will transparently perform any required
* action in both cases.
     ret = readosm_open (argv[1], &osm_handle);
     if (ret != READOSM_OK)
       {
             fprintf (stderr, "OPEN error: %d\n", ret);
             goto stop;
* STEP #2: parsing the OSM file
  this task is unbelievebly simple
  you are simply required to pass the appropriate
  pointers for callback funtions respectively intended
* to process Node-objects, Way-objects and Relation-objects
  the library will then parse the whole input file, calling
\star the appropriate callback handling function for each OSM object
* found: please see the callback functions implementing code
\star to better understand how it works
* important notice: this second example is mainly focused on
* using the USER_DATA pointer. in this example we'll pass the
  address of the osm_statistics struct so to gather some
  general infos.
     ret =
         readosm_parse (osm_handle, &infos, node_stats, way_stats,
                             relation_stats);
     if (ret != READOSM_OK)
             fprintf (stderr, "PARSE error: %d\n", ret);
            goto stop;
/* printing OSM statistics */
     printf ("Longitude
                                 range: %1.7f / %1.7f\n", infos.min_longitude,
               infos.max_longitude);
                                 range: %1.7f / %1.7f\n\n", infos.min_latitude,
     printf ("Latitude
               infos.max_latitude);
                                  : %d\n", infos.node_count);
tags: %d\n\n", infos.node_tag_count);
     printf ("Nodes
     printf ("
    printf (" tags: %d\n\n", infos.node_tag_count);
printf ("Ways : %d\n", infos.way_count);
printf (" ndref: %d\n", infos.way_ndref_count);
printf (" tags: %d\n\n", infos.way_tag_count);
printf ("Relations : %d\n", infos.relation_count);
printf (" member.nodes : %d\n", infos.relation_member_node_count);
printf (" member.ways : %d\n", infos.relation_member_way_count);
printf (" member.relations: %d\n", infos.relation_member_relation_count);
printf (" tags: %d\n", infos.relation_tag_count);
  stop:
* STEP #3: closing the OSM file
  this will release any internal memory allocation
     readosm_close (osm_handle);
     return 0;
```

#### 9.3 test\_osm3.c

test\_osm3.c shows how to intentionally abort the parser. Here is a typical usage example, parsing an OSM XML file (.osm):

```
./test_osm3 test.osm 10
node#1
node#2
node#3
node#4
node#5
node#6
```

```
node#7
node#8
node#9
node#10
PARSING ABORTED
```

Here is another example, this time parsing a .pbf (Protocol Buffer) OSM file:

```
./test_osm3 test.osm 5
node#1
node#2
node#3
node#4
node#5
PARSING ABORTED
/ test osm3.c
  libreadosm Sample code
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/ the terms of any one of the MPL, the GPL or the LGPL.
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include "readosm.h"
struct osm_helper
/* an user defined struct */
     int read_count;
     int stop_limit;
static int
eval_abort (struct osm_helper *helper)
/\star testing the stop limit \star/
     if (helper->read_count > helper->stop_limit)
          return 1;
     return 0;
static int
```

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```
parse_node (const void *user_data, const readosm_node * node)
/* parsing a Node (callback function) */
    /* casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_helper */
struct osm_helper *helper = (struct osm_helper *) user_data;
    helper->read_count++;
    if (eval_abort (helper))
    return READOSM_ABORT;
printf ("Node#%d\n", helper->read_count);
    return READOSM OK:
static int
parse_way (const void *user_data, const readosm_way * way)
/* parsing a Way (callback function) */
     /* casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_helper */
    struct osm_helper *helper = (struct osm_helper *) user_data;
    helper->read_count++;
    if (eval_abort (helper))
         return READOSM_ABORT;
    printf ("Way#%d\n", helper->read_count);
    return READOSM_OK;
}
static int
parse_relation (const void *user_data, const readosm_relation *
       relation)
/* parsing a Relation stats (callback function)*/
    /\star casting the USER_DATA pointer to osm_helper \star/
    struct osm_helper *helper = (struct osm_helper *) user_data;
    helper->read_count++;
    if (eval_abort (helper))
         return READOSM_ABORT;
    printf ("Relation#%d\n", helper->read_count);
    return READOSM OK:
}
int
main (int argc, char *argv[])
    const void *osm_handle;
    int ret:
    struct osm_helper helper;
/\star initializing the helper struct \star/
    helper.read_count = 0;
helper.stop_limit = 0;
    if (argc != 3)
      {
           fprintf (stderr, "usage: test_osm3 path-to-OSM limit\n");
           return -1;
      }
/* setting the stop limit */
    helper.stop_limit = atoi (argv[2]);
\star STEP #1: opening the OSM file
* this can indifferently be an OSM XML encoded file (.osm)
* or an OSM Protocol Buffer encoded file (.pbf)
* the library will transparently perform any required
* action in both cases.
    ret = readosm_open (argv[1], &osm_handle);
if (ret != READOSM_OK)
      {
           fprintf (stderr, "OPEN error: %d\n", ret);
           goto stop;
      }
* STEP #2: parsing the OSM file
* this task is unbelievably simple
* you are simply required to pass the appropriate
\star pointers for callback funtions respectively intended
* to process Node-objects, Way-objects and Relation-objects
```

```
\star the library will then parse the whole input file, calling
* the appropriate callback handling function for each OSM object
* found: please see the callback functions implementing code
\star to better understand how it works
* important notice: this second example is mainly focused on * using the USER_DATA pointer. in this example we'll pass the
\star address of the osm_statistics struct so to gather some
* general infos.
    ret =
    fprintf (stderr, "PARSE error: %d\n", ret);
          goto stop;
  stop:
\star STEP #3: closing the OSM file
\star this will release any internal memory allocation
    readosm_close (osm_handle);
    return 0;
```

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