

Interpretation des Kartenblattes L7934 München (German Edition)

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Wissenschaftliche Studie aus dem Jahr 2005 im Fachbereich Geowissenschaften / Geographie - Kartographie, Geodäsie, Geoinformationssysteme, Note: 1,0, Pädagogische Hochschule Weingarten, Sprache: Deutsch, Abstract: Die vorliegende Karteninterpretation des Kartenblattes L7934 München entstand im Rahmen des Seminars "Darstellungsmittel und Informationssysteme" an der Pädagogischen Hochschule Weingarten im WS 2005/2006. Die Arbeit soll Studierenden eine Orientierungshilfe dafür sein, wie eine Karteninterpretation erstellt werden kann.

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