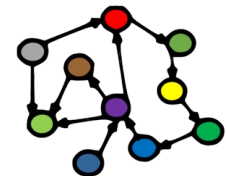


Welcome to INFO216:
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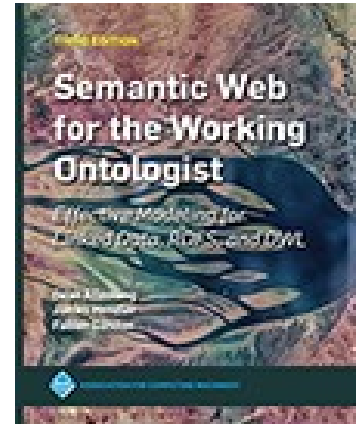
Session 4: Linked Open Data (LOD)

- Themes:
 - Linked Open Data (LOD)
 - the LOD cloud
 - data provisioning



Readings

- **Allemang, Hendler & Gandon (2020):**
Semantic Web for the Working Ontologist, 3rd edition
chapter 5 (Linked Data)
- Materials in the wiki <http://wiki.uib.no/info216>, including:
 - Linked Data, Tim Berners-Lee, 2006--27.
 - Bizer, C., Heath, T., & Berners-Lee, T. (2009).
Linked data-the story so far.

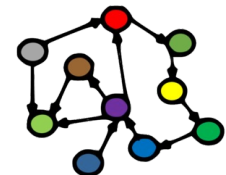


THE KNOWLEDGE GRAPH
COOKBOOK
RECIPES THAT WORK



ANDREAS BLUMAUER
AND **HELMUT NACY**

1st edition, 2020



Linked Open Data (LOD)

Linked Open Data (LOD)

- *Four basic principles (Berners-Lee 2006):*

- 1 *URIs (Uniform Resource Identifier)*

- *identify resources*, e.g.,
<http://wikidata.org/entity/Q18692990>

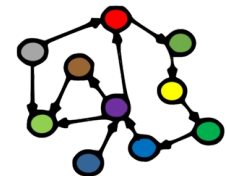
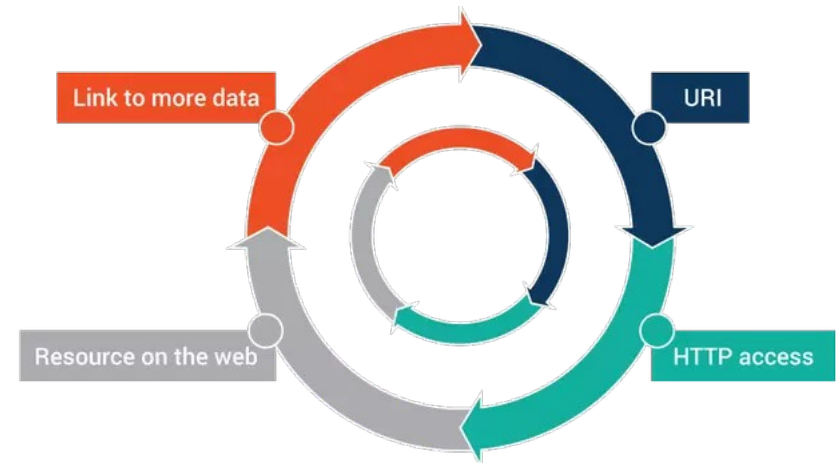
- 2 *URIs answer to HTTP requests (dereferencing)*

- for example *SPARQL queries, Turtle files, ...*

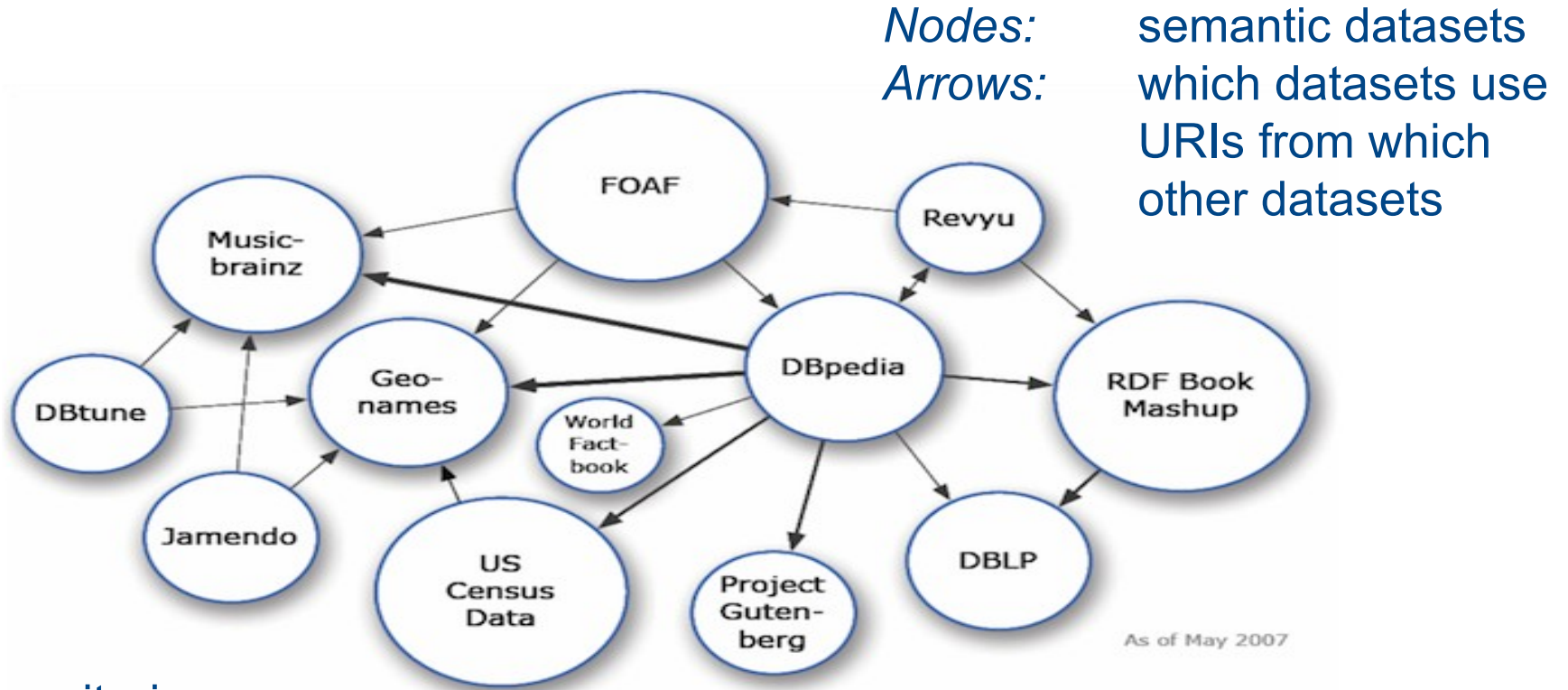
- 3 *Returns information about the resource on standard format,*

- *semantic*, e.g., *Turtle, JSON-LD, RDF/XML, N-TRIPLES, N3*
- also *non-semantic*: *HTML, JSON, XML, CSV, TSV...*

- 4 *The information contains URI-s that identify related resources*

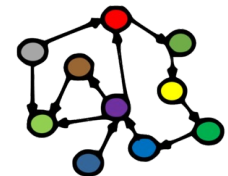


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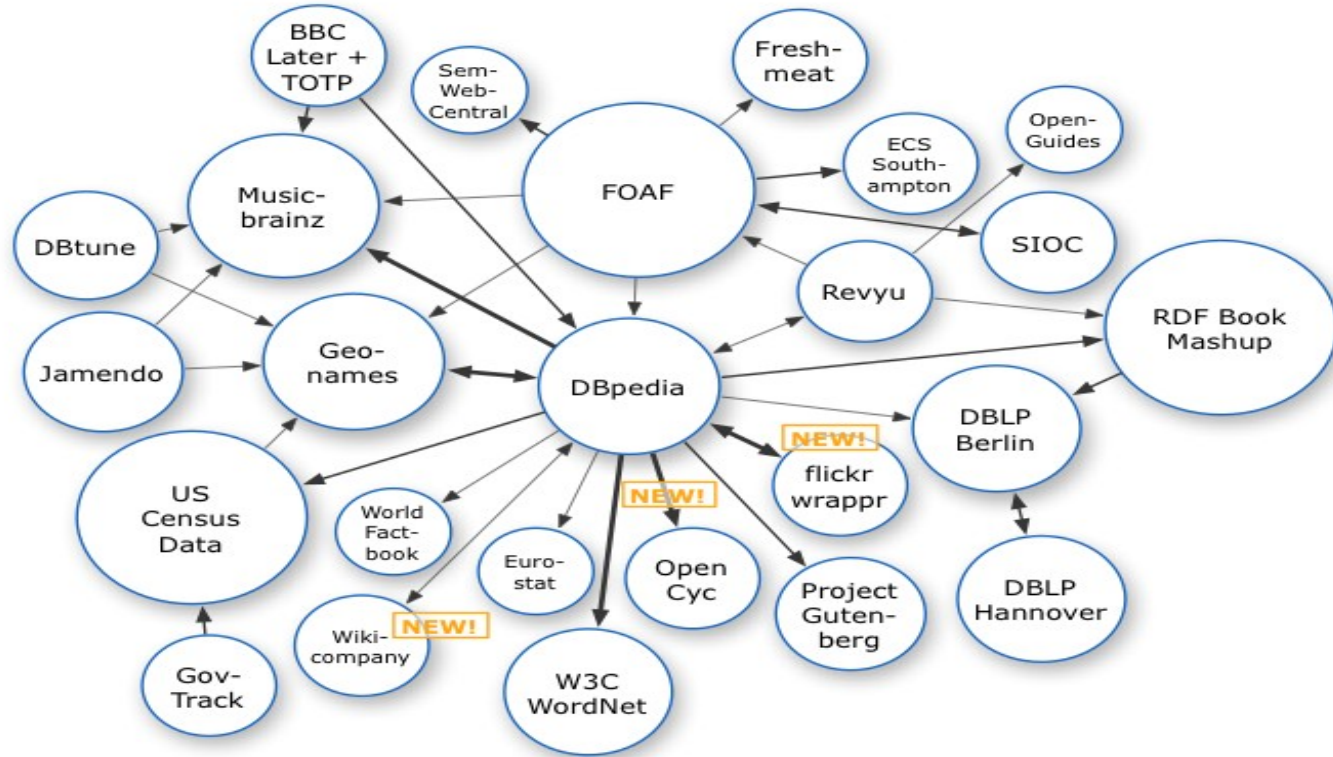


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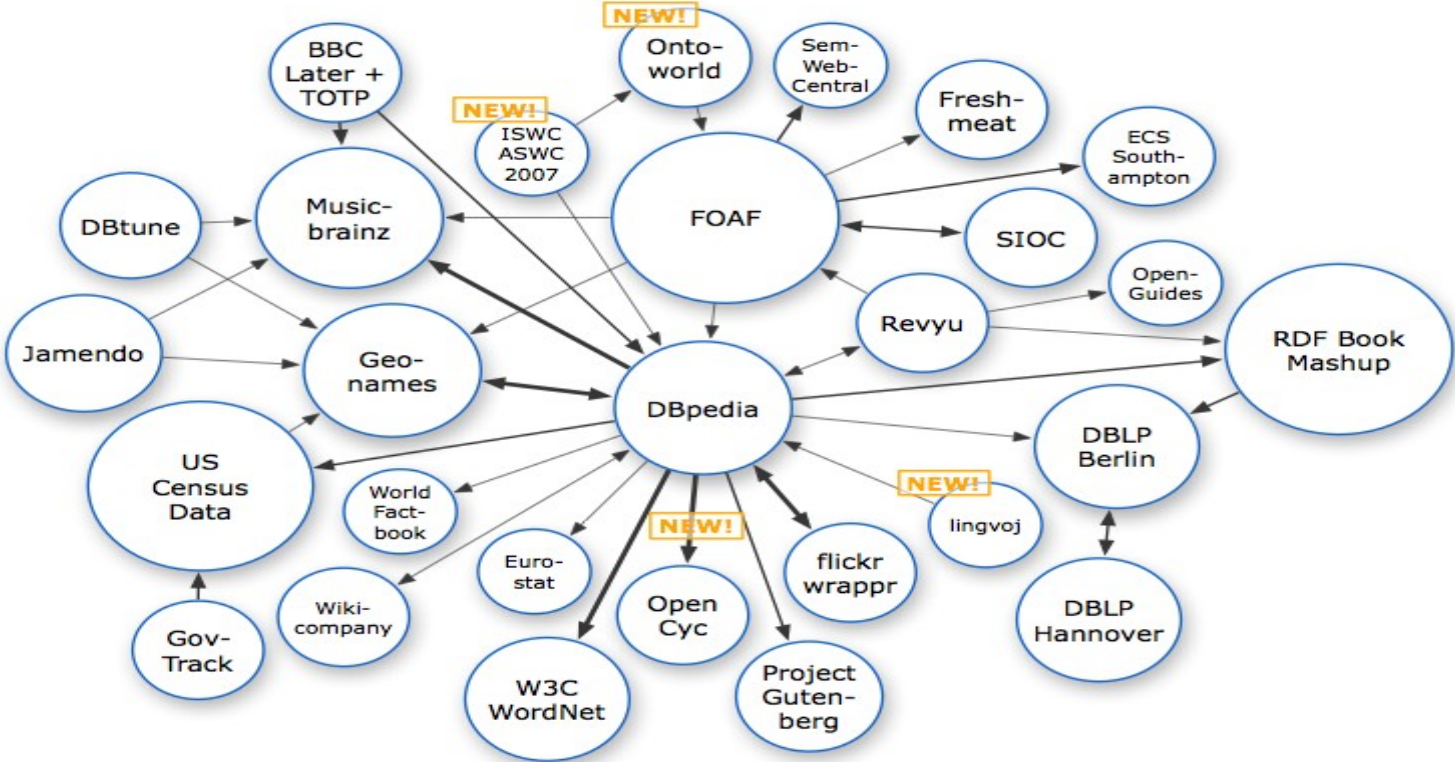
- minimum 1000 triples
- minimum 50 links to other datasets (in- or outbound)



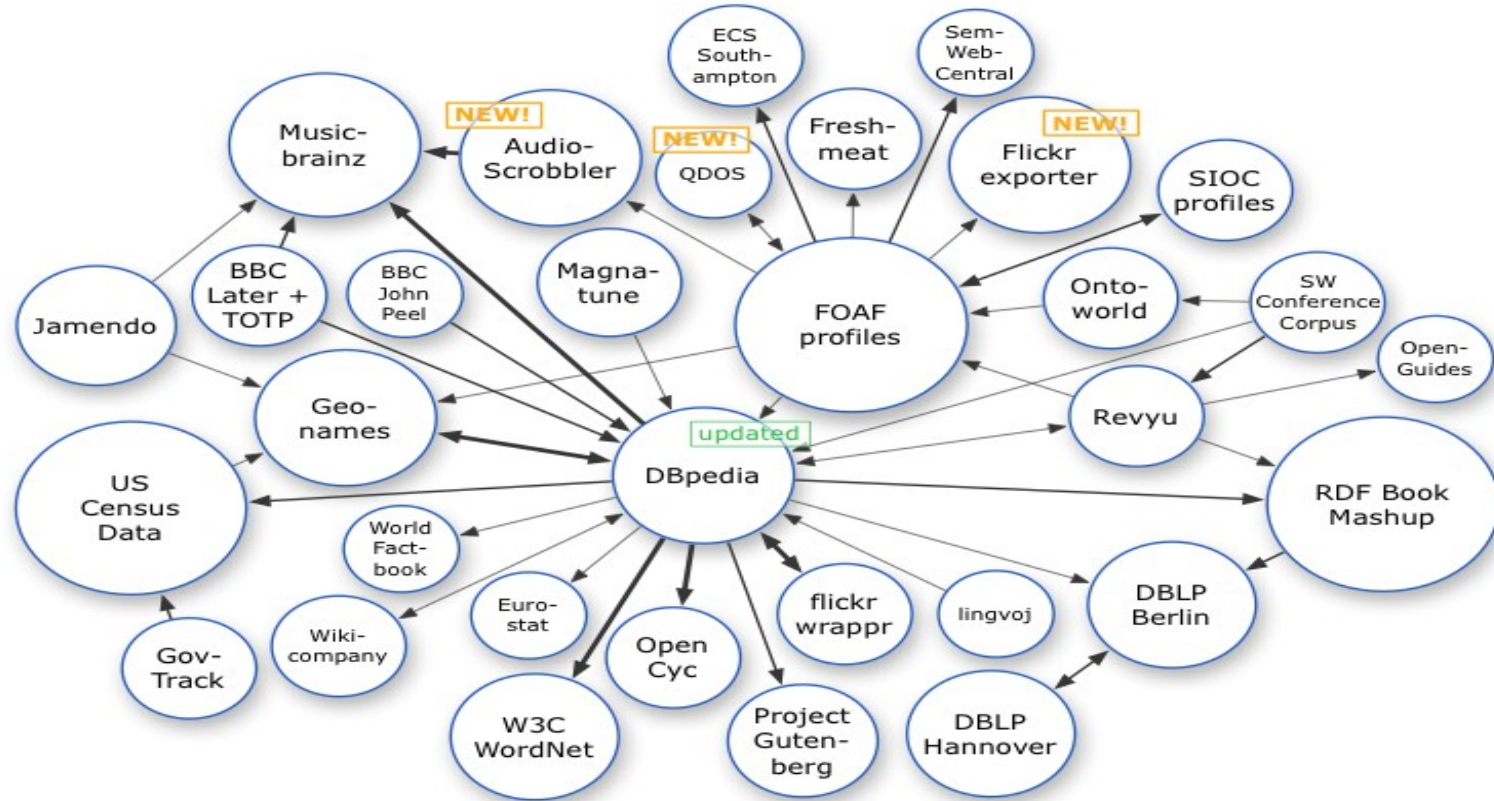
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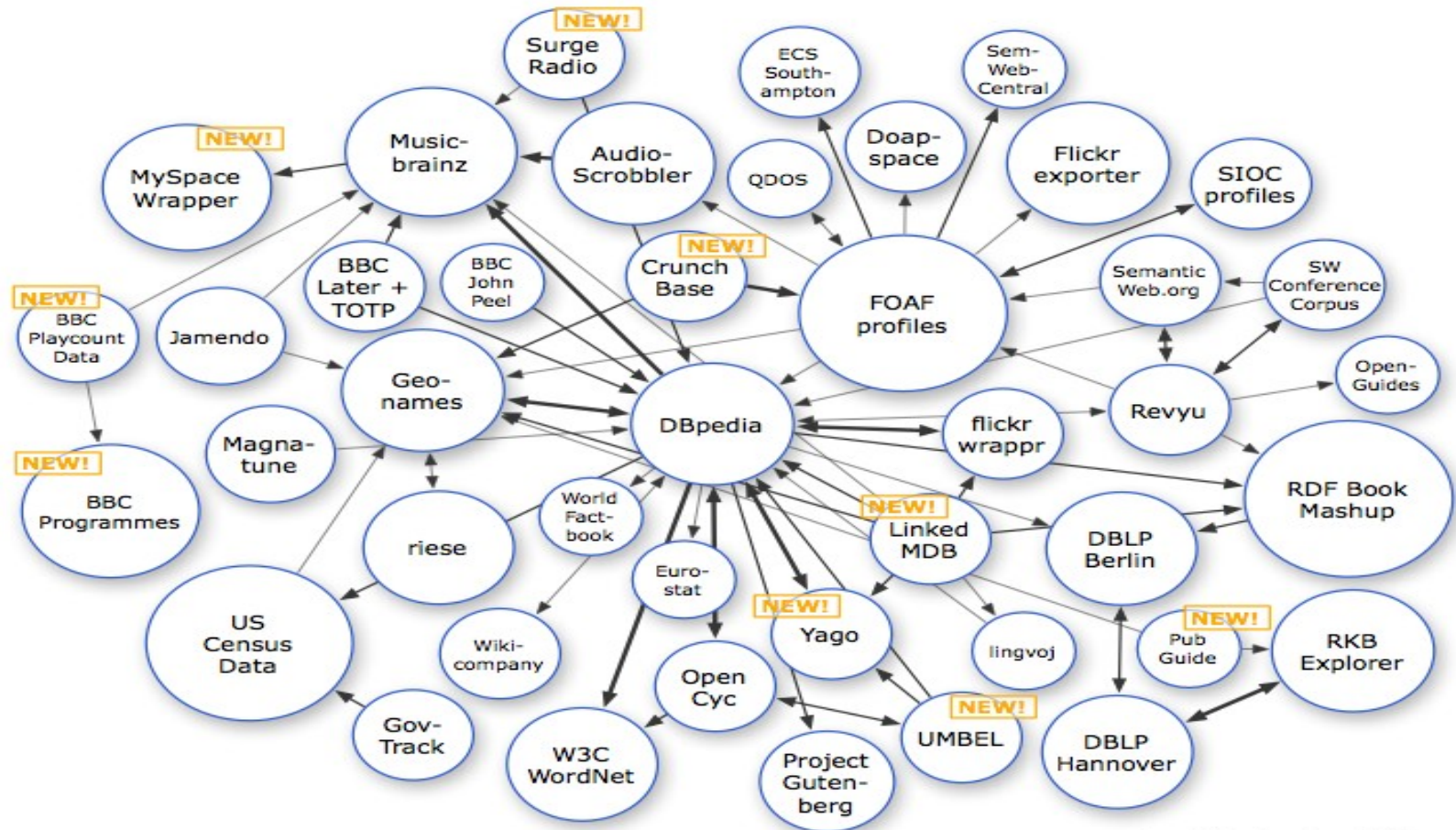
The LOD cloud (2007-11)



The LOD cloud (2008-02)

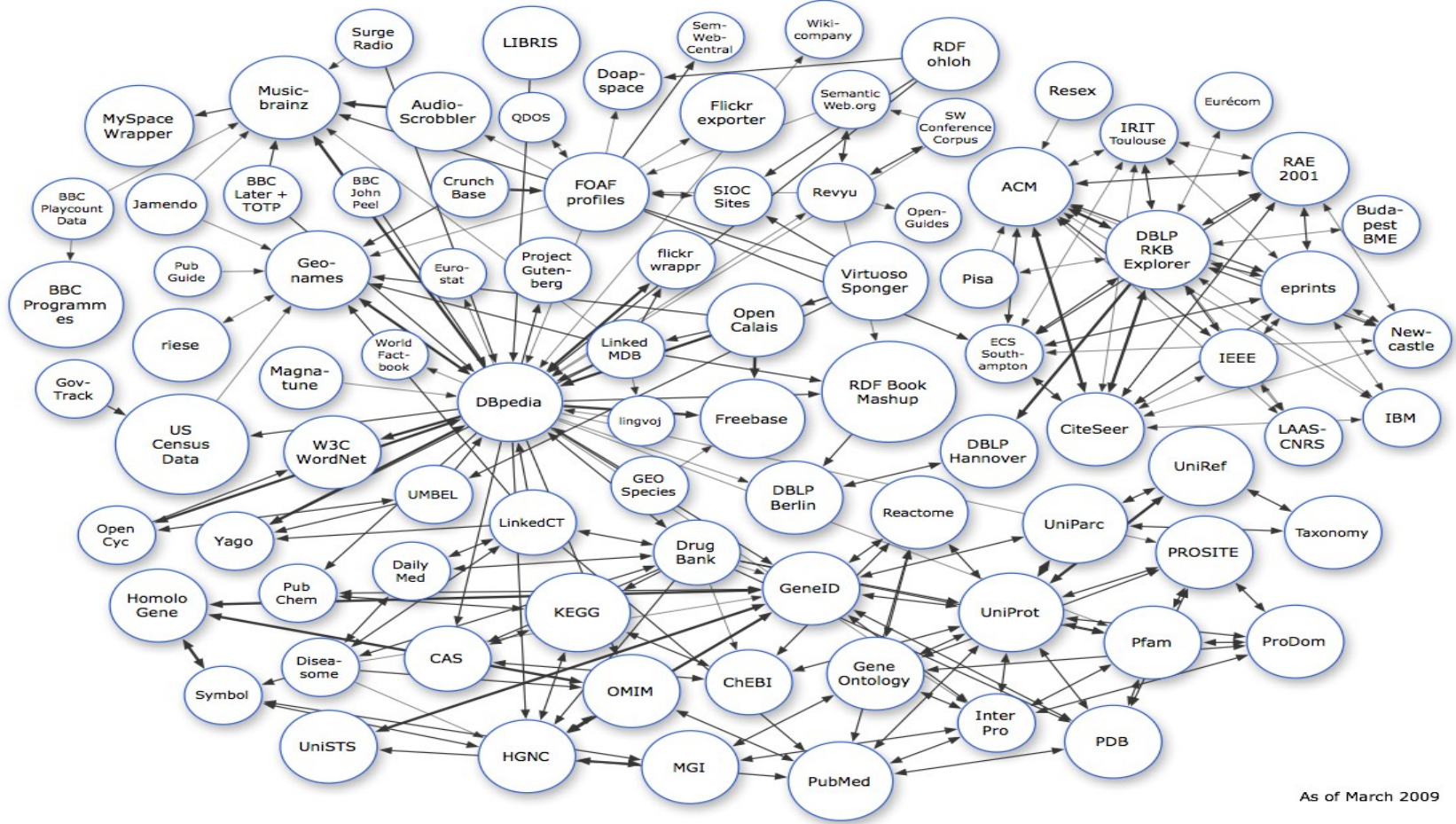


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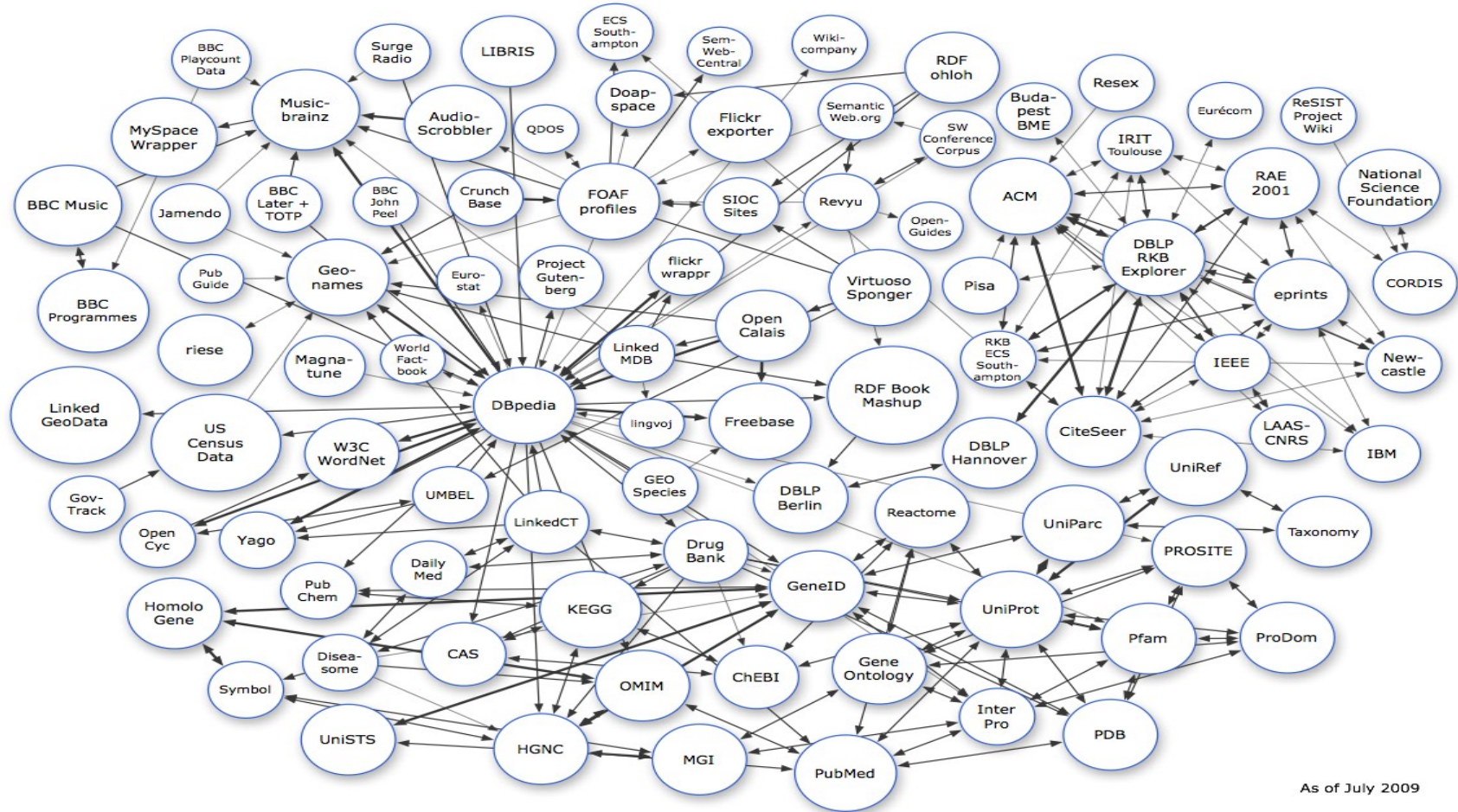
As of September 2008

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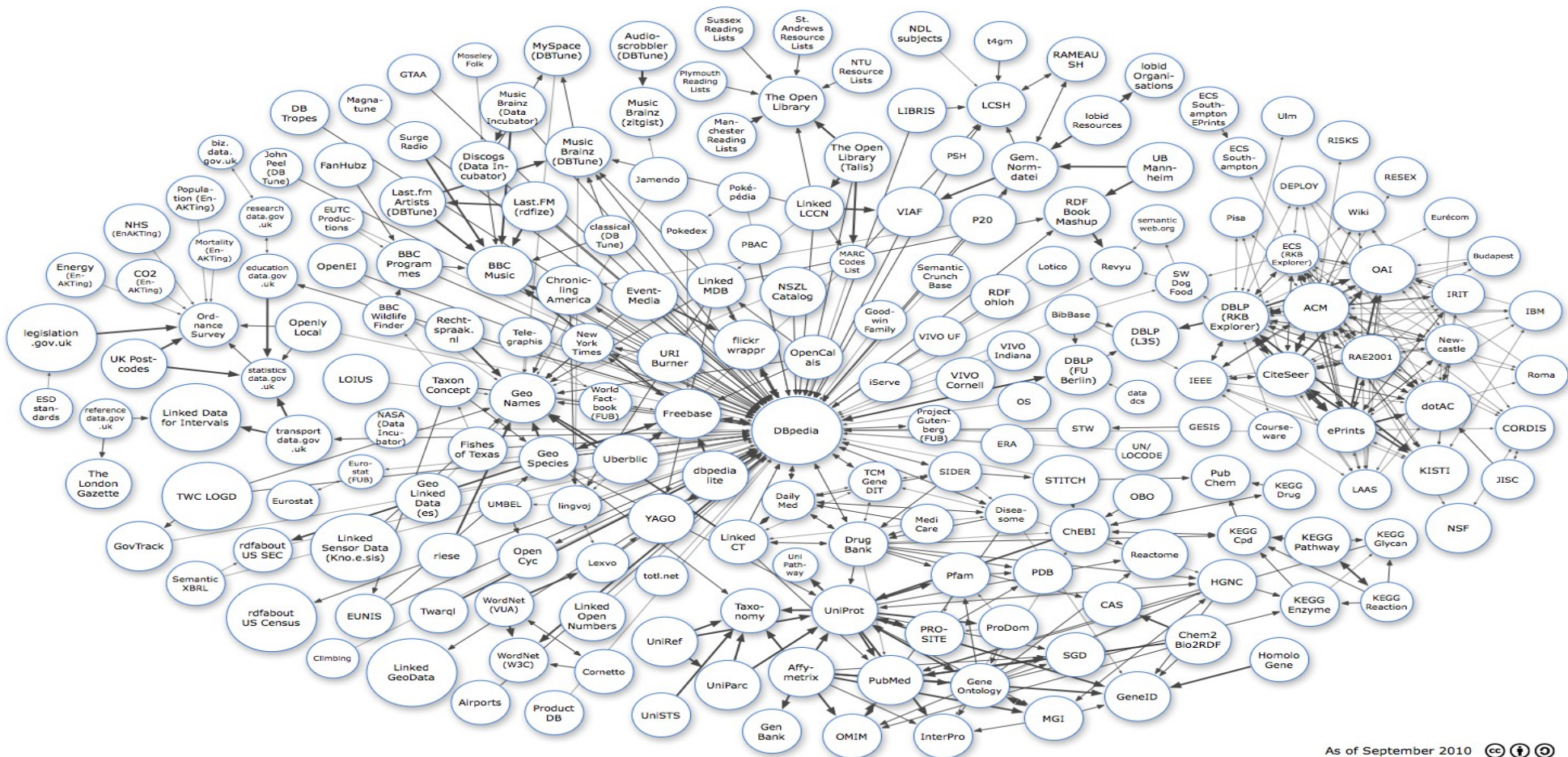
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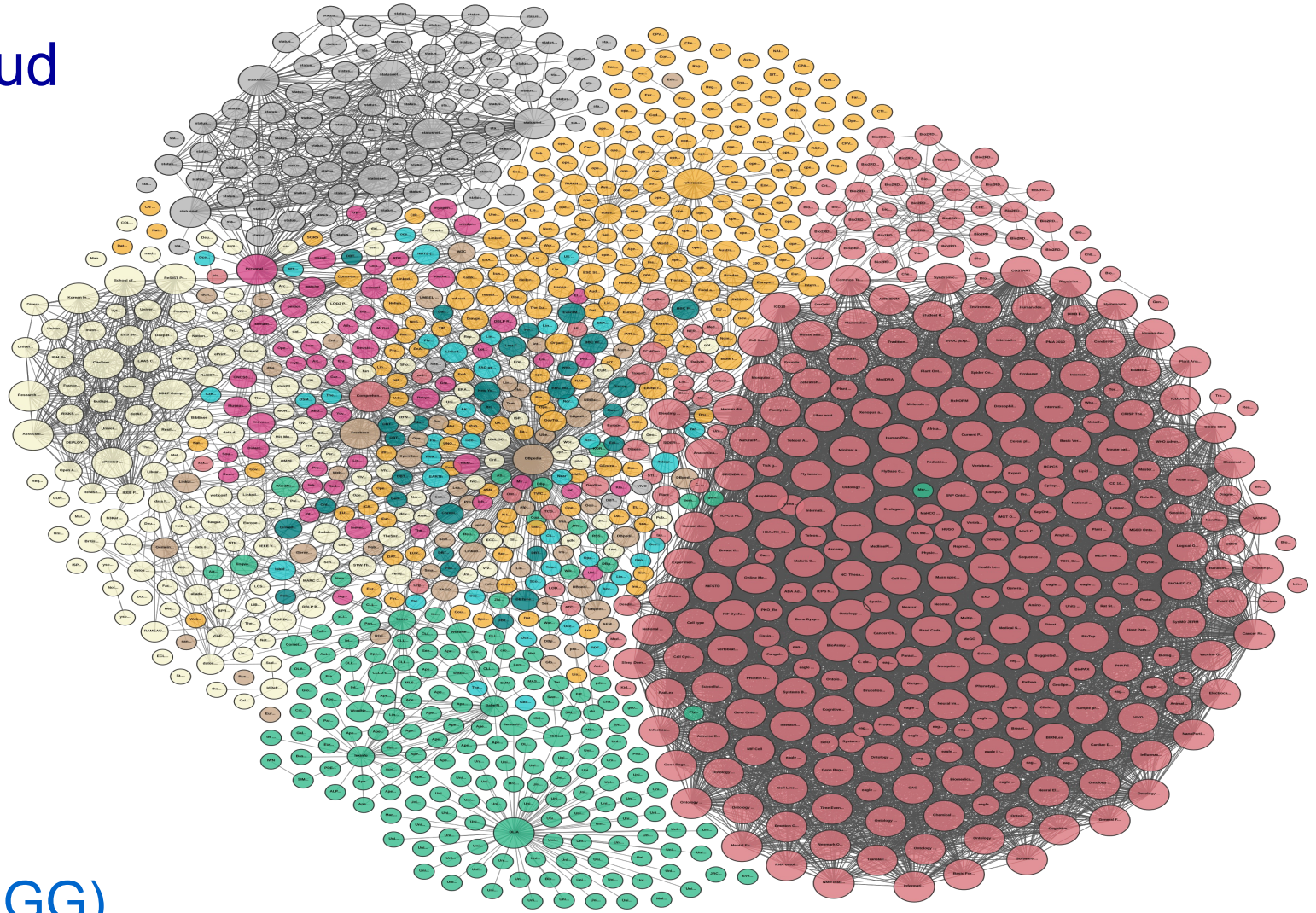


As of July 2009

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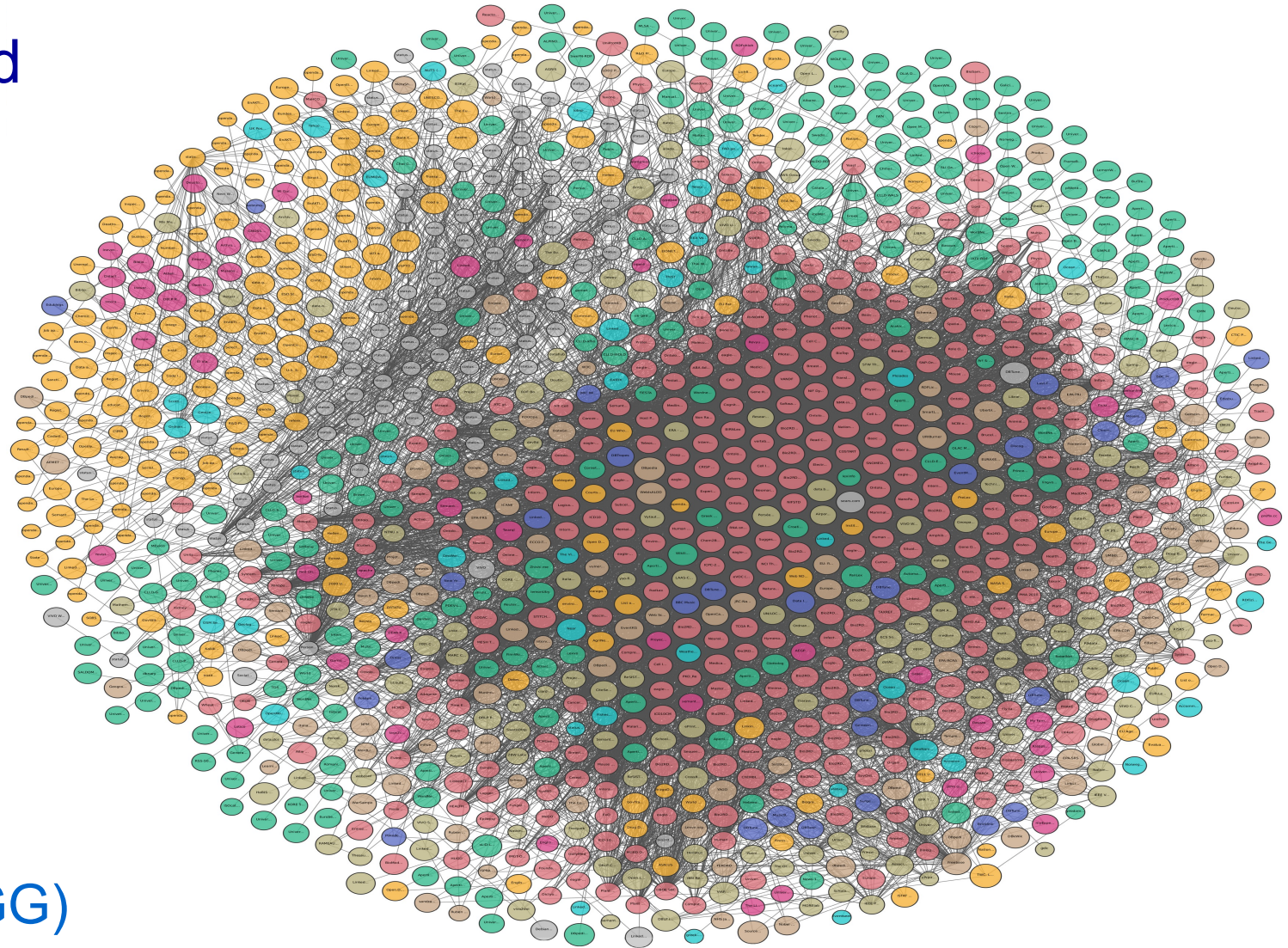


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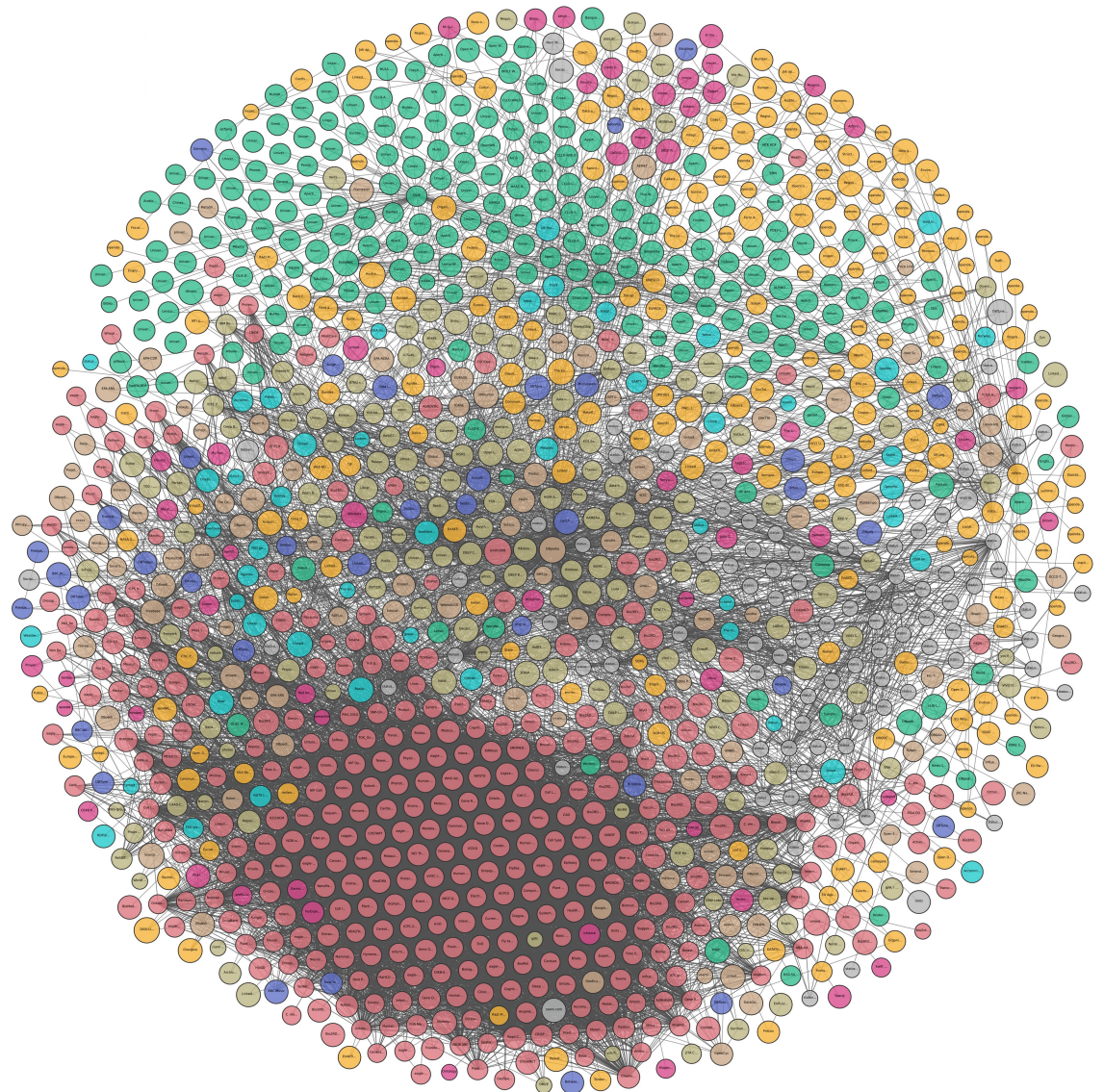
The “Gigantic Global Graph” (GGG)

The LOD cloud (2018-07)



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The LOD cloud (2020-05)



The “Gigantic Global Graph” (GGG)

Legend

Cross Domain

Geography

Government

Life Sciences

Linguistics

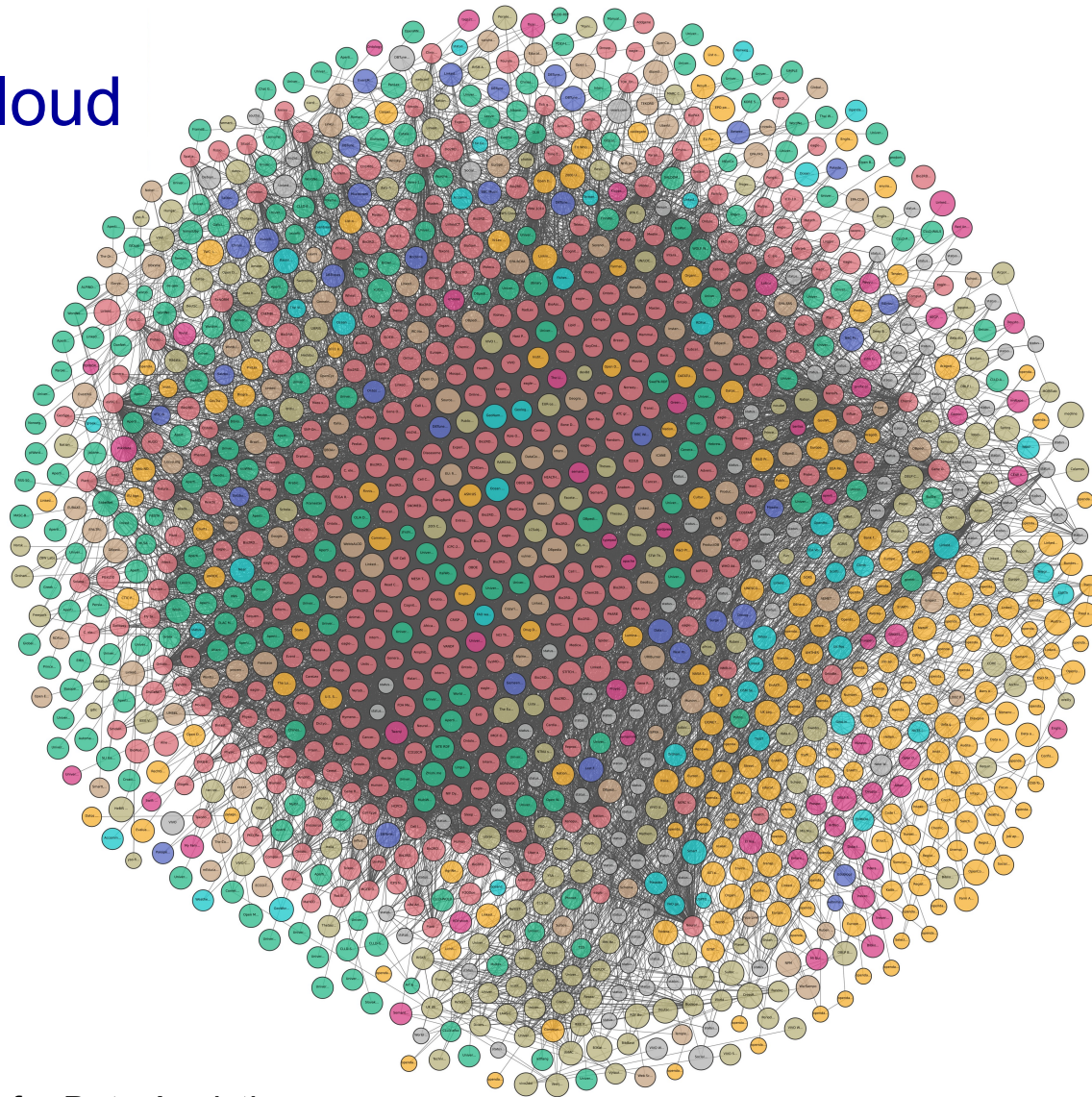
Media

Publications

Social Networking

User Generated

The LOD cloud (2022-11)



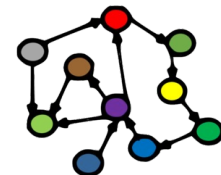
Domains:

- general
- geography
- government
- life sciences
- linguistics
- media
- publications
- social networking
- user generated

A “lumpy cloud”

The LOD cloud

- The LOD cloud diagrams (old site: <http://lod-cloud.net/>)
 - which datasets mention resources in other datasets?
 - >1300 datasets with >16000 links between them
 - started in 2007
 - very rapid growth for a few years
 - consolidating since ca 2017
- How big is the LOD cloud?
 - hard to measure exactly (old stats: <http://lodstats.aksw.org>)
 - approx. 150G (150 000M) triples from >3000 data sets (2020)
 - *Wikidata* <<http://wikidata.org>> is the largest general one:
 - >1101M resources (items), >1,5G (1400M) triples



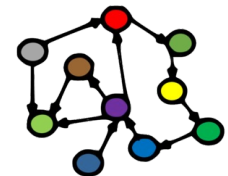
Challenges

- Enormous potential
 - ...but *Open KGs* are not used to their fullest
 - *maintenance*: individuals versus organisations
 - *abstraction*: general versus domain data
 - *trust*: open versus closed networks
 - *Enterprise Knowledge Graphs (EKGs)* have matured
 - *S01*: all the big players – Google, Amazon, BBC, Reuters...
 - industry: biodata, publishing, music/media...
 - government: clean energy, libraries...
 - “*Lumps*” in the LOD cloud form domain-specific and more tightly-knit subnetworks around EKGs



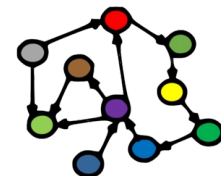
Places to start

- Open and semantic:
 - collection of open semantic data sets: <http://lod-cloud.net>
 - vocabularies: <https://lov.linkeddata.es/dataset/lov/>
- Open public data (some of it semantic):
 - Norge: <http://data.norge.no>
 - EU: <https://data.europa.eu/en>
 - UK: <http://data.gov.uk>
 - USA: <http://data.gov>
- Open data in general (some of it semantic):
 - <http://datahub.io>
 - Kaggle, Zenodo...



Best Practices for Data Provisioning

- Recommended directly by W3C
 - or emerged within the LOD community:
 1. *Provide dereferencable URIs*
 2. *Set RDF links pointing at other data sources*
 3. *Use terms from widely deployed vocabularies*
 4. *Make proprietary vocabulary terms dereferencable*
 5. *Map proprietary vocabulary terms to other vocabularies*
 6. *Provide provenance metadata (e.g., PROV)*
 7. *Provide licensing metadata (e.g., CC)*
 8. *Provide dataset-level metadata (e.g., VANN, VS)*
 9. *Refer to additional access methods (e.g., SPARQL)*



FAIR Principles

- (Scientific) data management and stewardship
- Three types of entities
 - data (or any digital object)
 - metadata (information about that digital object)
 - infrastructure
- Four principles for data *and metadata*:

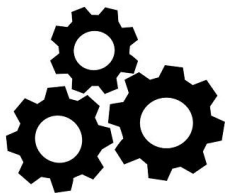
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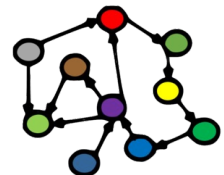
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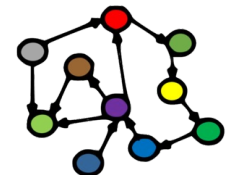


R
eusable



FAIR Principles for data *and metadata*

- Findable
 - globally unique and persistent identifier
 - rich metadata
 - metadata include identifier
 - in a searchable resource
- Accessible
 - retrievable by identifier
 - standardised protocol
 - open, free, universally implementable
 - authentication and authorisation when needed
 - persistently accessible metadata
- Interoperable
 - formal, accessible, shared, broadly used language
 - FAIR vocabularies
 - qualified references
- Reusable
 - richly described, with many accurate and relevant attributes
 - clear and accessible license
 - detailed provenance
 - follow community standards

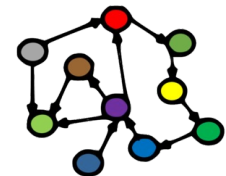


S06: Open Knowledge Graphs

Wikidata

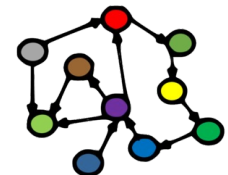
Wikidata (→ S01)

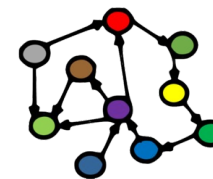
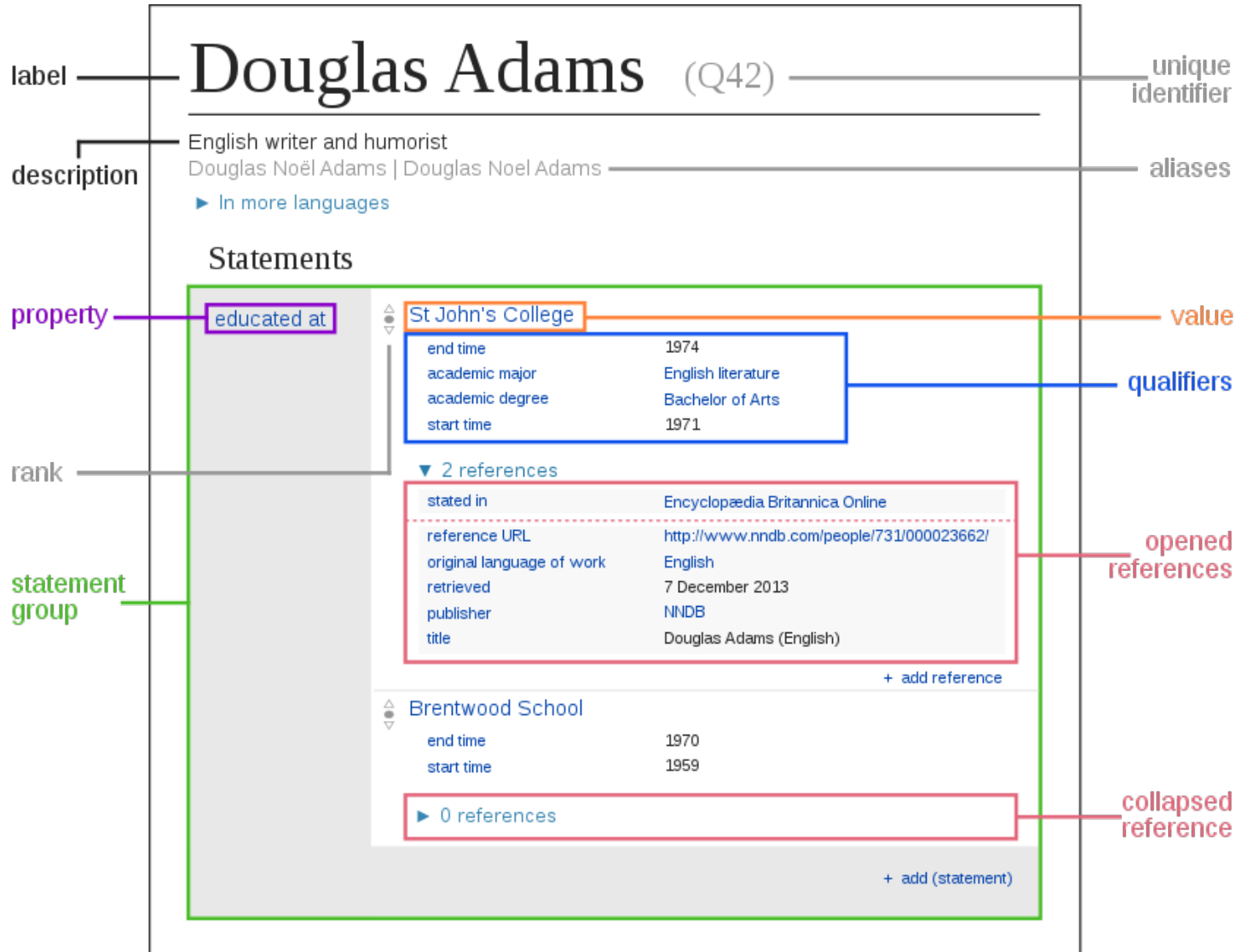
- *A free and open knowledge base that can be read and edited by both humans and machines*
 - a Wikimedia project, crowdsourced, multi-lingual
 - *a Wikipedia for structured, secondary data*
 - a central source of URIs: <http://wikidata.org/entity/Qnn> (“Q-codes”)
 - beginning: from managing Wikipedias *cross-language links*
 - today: to *central storage of structured data* for
 - Wikimedia sister projects (Wikipedia etc.), and many others
 - verifiability, link to sources, perspectives
 - free license (CC0 1.0), standard formats, interlinked
- Wikidata entities:
 - >100M items (things), >1.4G statements (“primary” triples)



Wikidata access

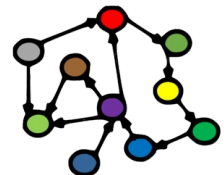
- Available through
 - the Wikimedia API
 - HTTP: <http://www.wikidata.org/entity/Q42>
 - RDF: <http://www.wikidata.org/entity/Q42.ttl>
 - SPARQL endpoint: <http://query.wikidata.org>
 - Wikidata Query Service (WDQS)
 - for download (JSON, RDF, XML)
 - https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Wikidata:Database_download
 - Triple Pattern Fragments:
 - <https://query.wikidata.org/bigdata/ldf>
- Lots of other/third party tools
- DBpedia also offers Wikidata compatible dumps





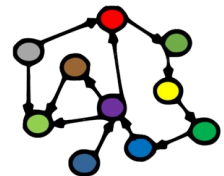
Wikidata item structure

- Items:
 - item identifier (Qnn)
 - fingerprint:
 - multilingual label, description, aliases
 - statements, each:
 - claim: a property-value pair
 - qualifiers: additional property-value pairs *about the claim*
 - references (one or more property-value pairs)
 - rank
- Site links
- *Similar structure for properties!*

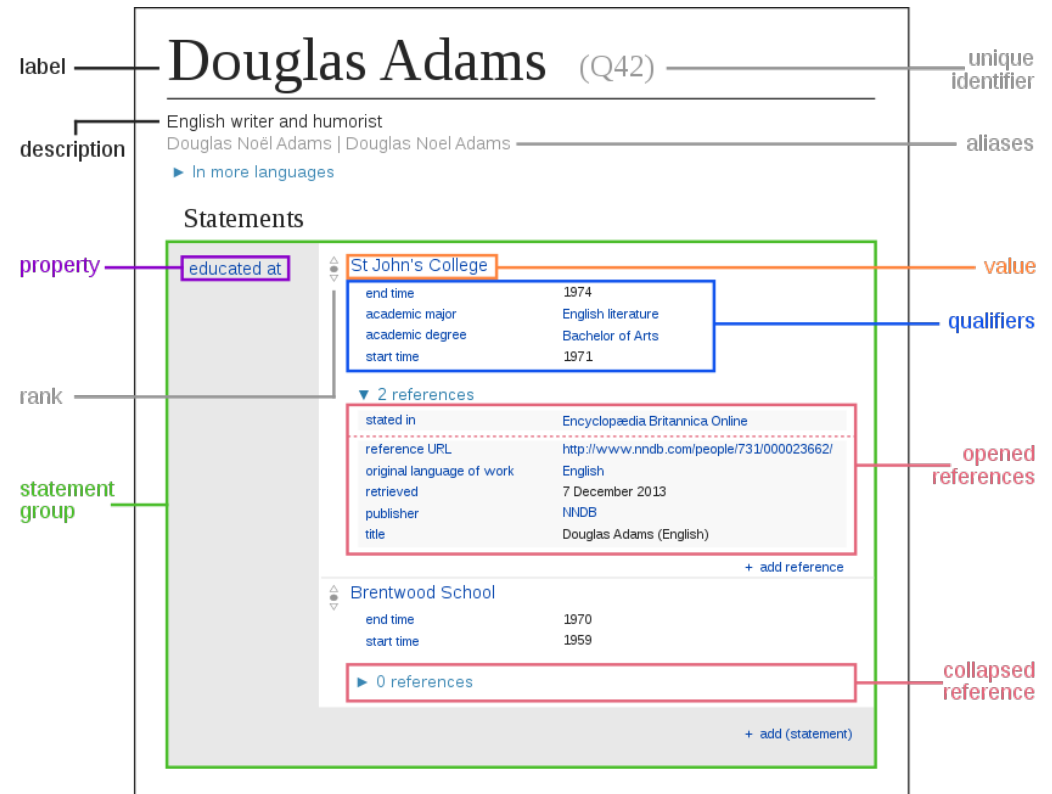


Wikidata contents

- *Wikidata does not represent facts, but statements!*
- Fact: **taken-for-granted truth about the world**
 - (perhaps) qualified
- Statement: **claims about truth made by a social actor**
 - (perhaps) qualified, (should have) backing in references
- *Contradictory claims are allowed!*
 - can be explained in free-text qualifications
 - statement rankings: preferred, normal, deprecated
- Truthy (versus full) statements: **the best statement for an item+property**
 - *this is why you should stay with the (truthy) wdt: properties*



Wikidata item structure



wd:Q42

```
a wikibase:Item ;
rdfs:label "Douglas Adams"@en ;
skos:prefLabel "Douglas Adams"@en ;
schema:name "Douglas Adams"@en ;
...
rdfs:label "더글러스 애덤스"@ko ;
skos:prefLabel "더글러스 애덤스"@ko ;
schema:name "더글러스 애덤스"@ko ;
... ;
```

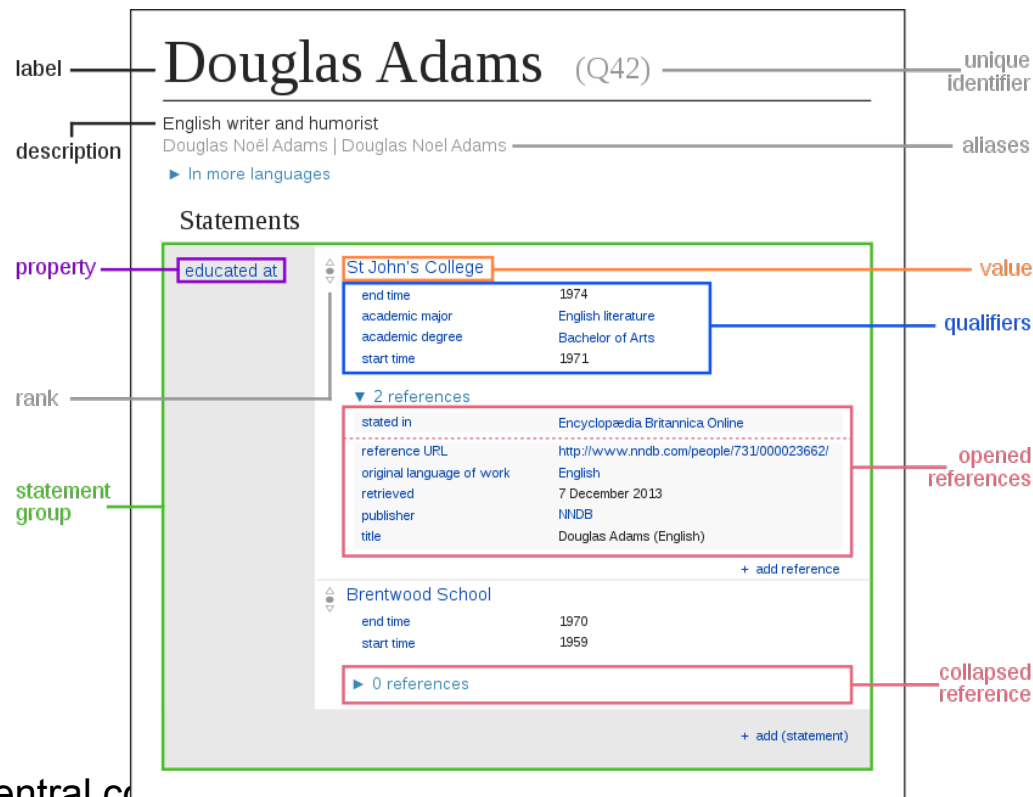
skos:altLabel

```
"Douglas Noël Adams"@en,
"DNA"@en,
"Адамс, Дуглас"@ru,
"Дуглас Ноэль Адамс"@ru,
...
```

schema:description

```
"English science fiction writer
and humourist"@en,
"écrivain de science-fiction et
humoriste anglais"@fr,
...
```

Wikidata item structure



```

wd:Q42
  a wikibase:Item ;
  ...
  wdt:P69 wd:Q691283, ... ;
  ... .

```

```

wd:P69 a wikibase:Property ;
  rdfs:label "educated at"@en ;
  skos:prefLabel "educated at"@en ;
  schema:name "educated at"@en ;
  schema:description
    "educational institution attended by subject"@en .

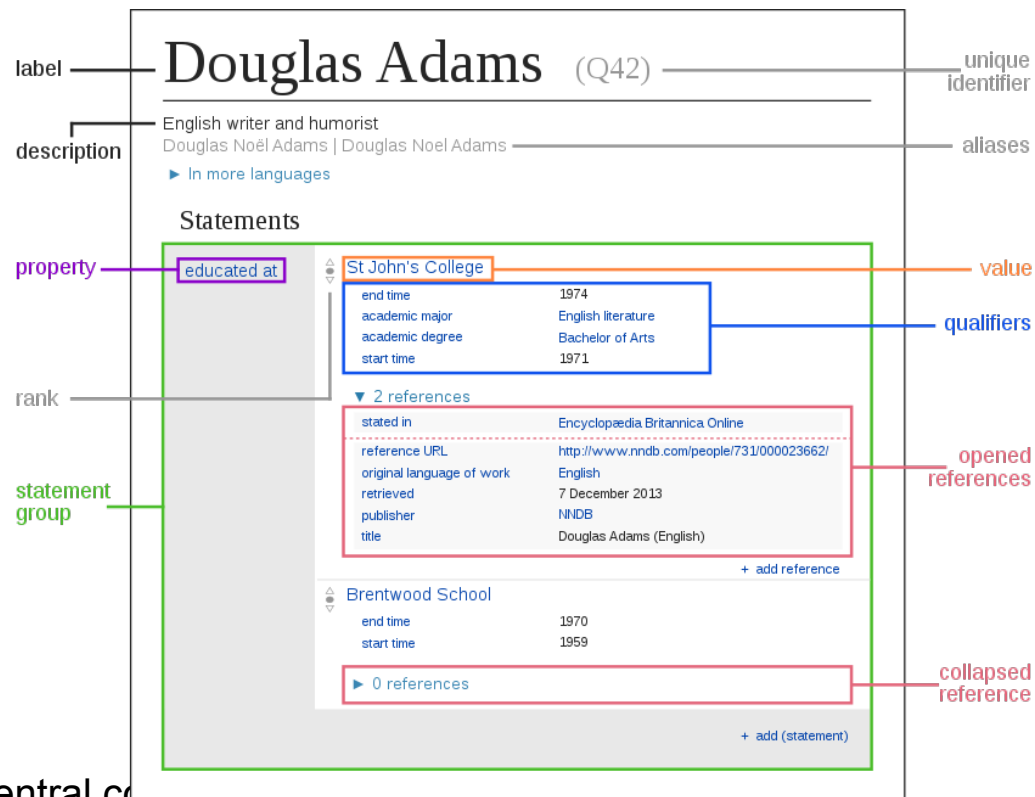
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```

wd:Q691283 a wikibase:Item ;
  rdfs:label "St John's College"@en ;
  skos:prefLabel "St John's College"@en ;
  schema:name "St John's College"@en ;
  schema:description
    "constituent college of the
    University of Cambridge"@en .

```

Wikidata item structure



```

wd:Q42
  a wikibase:Item ;
  ...
  wdt:P69 wd:Q691283, ... ;
  ... ;
  p:P69 s:q42-0E9C4724-C954-4698-84A7-5CE0D296A6F2 .

```

```

s:q42-0E9C4724-C954-4698-84A7-5CE0D296A6F2
  a wikibase:Statement,
    wikibase:BestRank ;
  wikibase:rank wikibase:NormalRank ;
  ps:P69 wd:Q691283 ;
  pq:P580 "1971-01-01T00:00:00Z"^^xsd:dateTime ;
  pq:P582 "1974-01-01T00:00:00Z"^^xsd:dateTime ;
  pq:P812 wd:Q186579 ;
  ....

```

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wd:P812 a wikibase:Property ;
  rdfs:label "academic major"@en ;
  ...

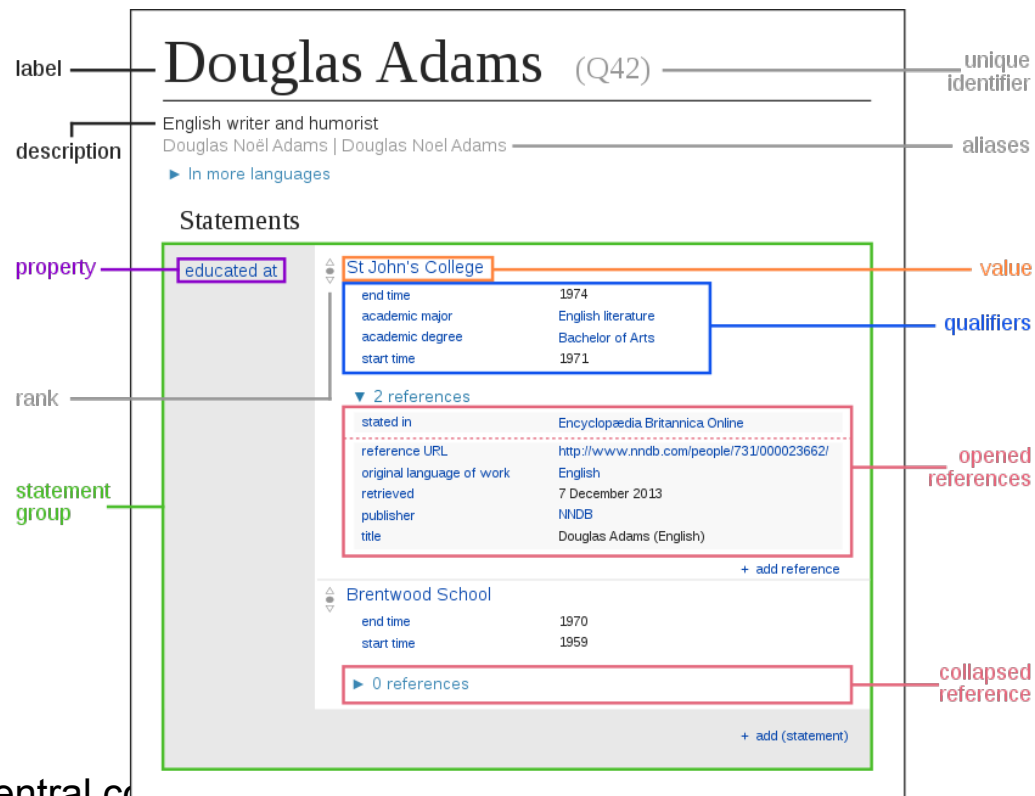
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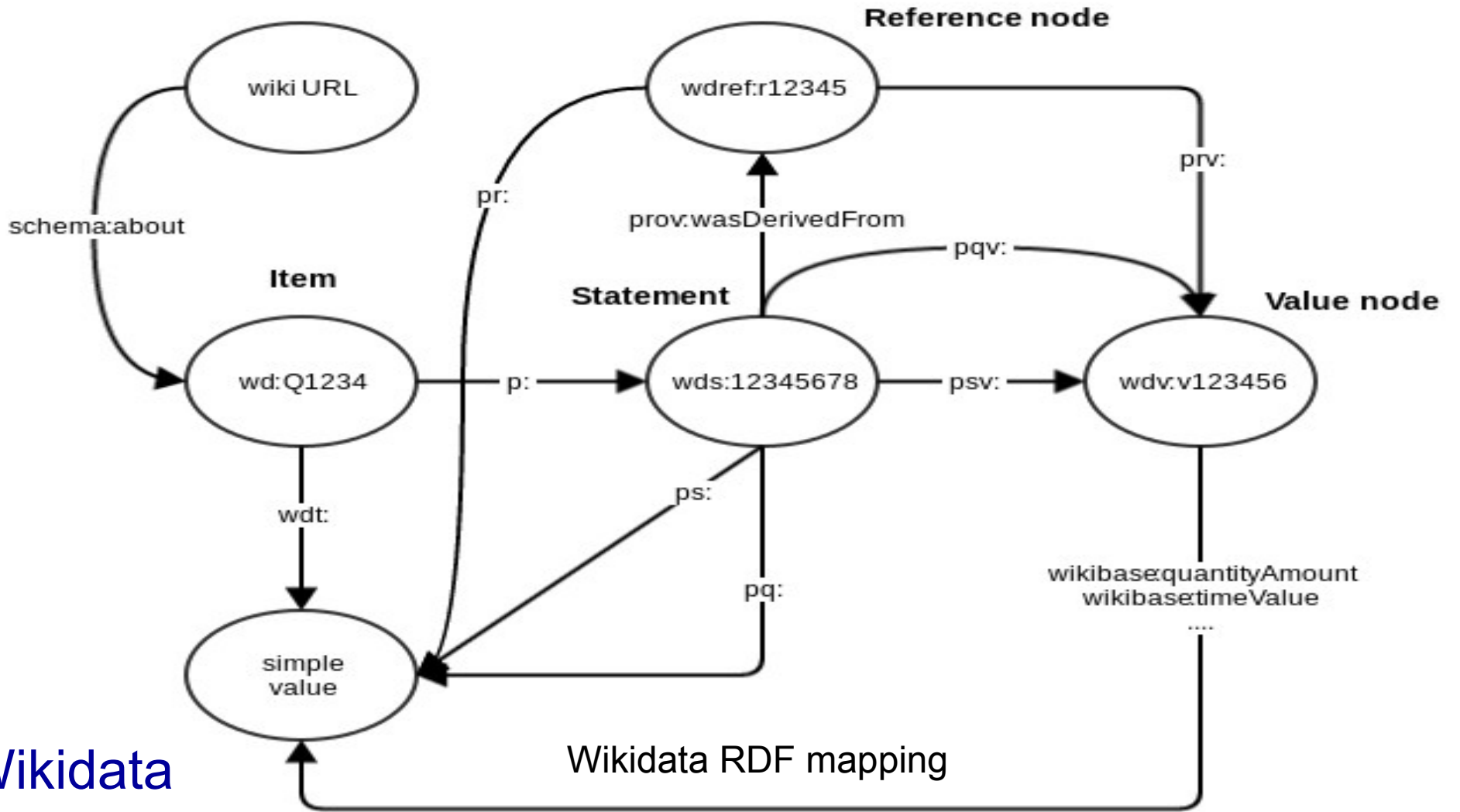
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  rdfs:label "English literature"@en ;
  ...

```

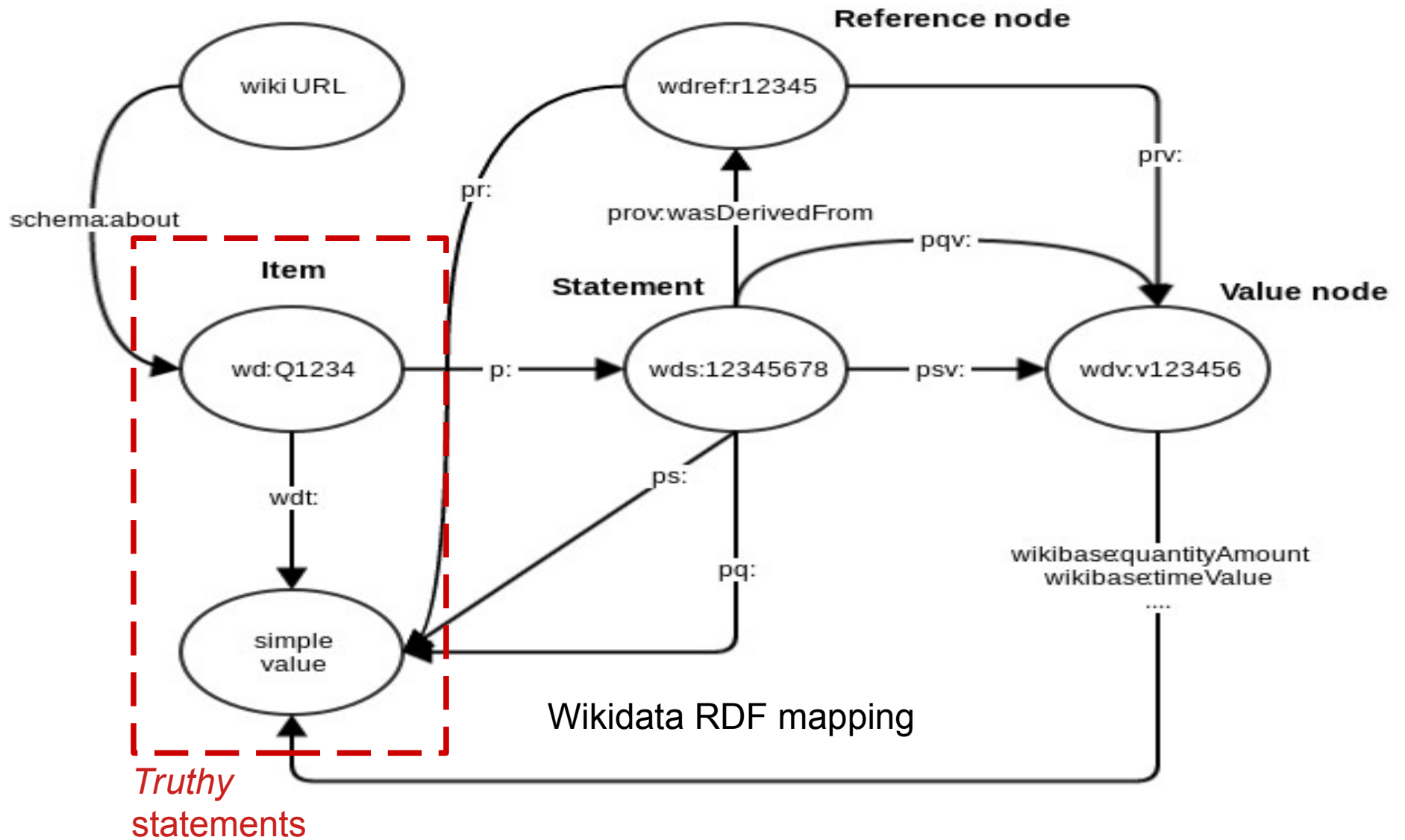
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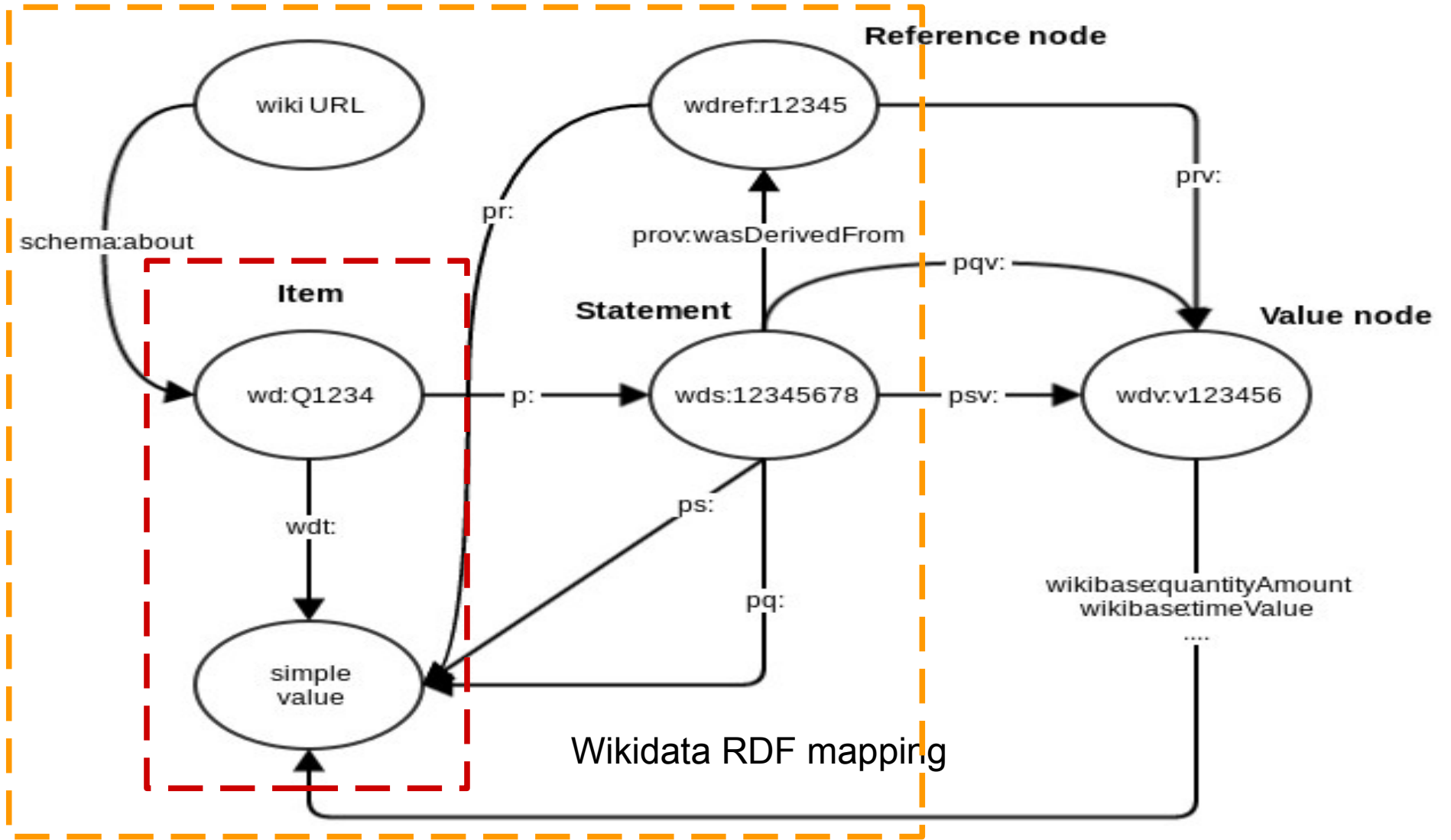




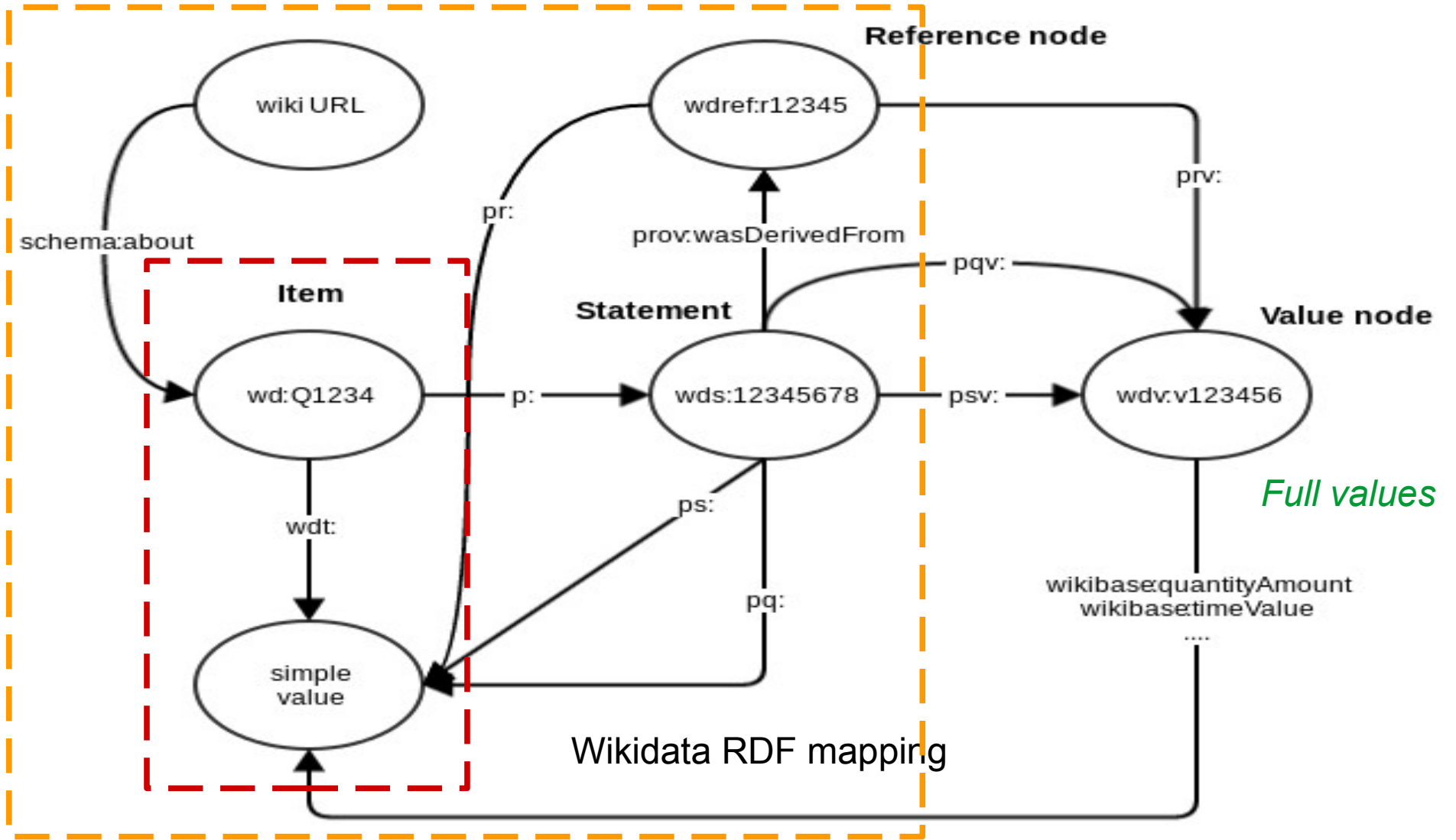
Wikidata
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Wikidata RDF mapping





Full statements

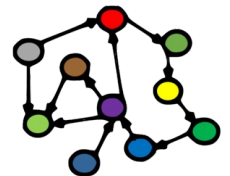


Full statements

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PREFIX wdt: <http://www.wikidata.org/prop/direct/>
#defaultView:BubbleChart
```

```
SELECT ?cLabel ?p WHERE {
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  ?c wdt:P30 wd:Q46 .
  ?c wdt:P1082 ?p .
  SERVICE wikibase:label {
    bd:serviceParam wikibase:language "en" .
  }
}
```

<http://query.wikidata.org>

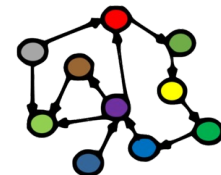


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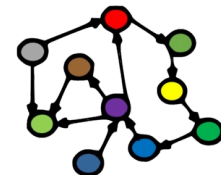


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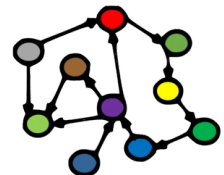
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Automatic multi-language
labelling of resources



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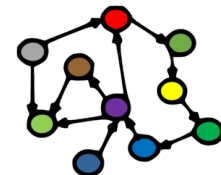
Wikidata Query Service (WDQS)

- SPARQL wrapper for Wikidata (<http://query.wikidata.org>)
 - based on Blazegraph (and the OpenRDF/RDF4J Java API)
 - lots of built-in prefixes
 - generate query URIs
 - various entity/ontology explorers, e.g.,
 - SQID (<https://tools.wmflabs.org/sqid/#/>)
 - GraphBuilder
 - built-in visualisations
 - automatic multi-language labelling SERVICE ([wikibase:label](#))
- Also:
 - Linked Data Fragments (<https://query.wikidata.org/bigdata/ldf>)



WDQS visualisations

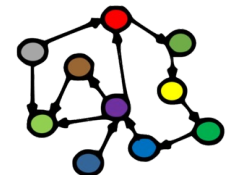
- Use a comment: `#defaultView:viewName`
- Supported viewNames:
 - **Table** - default view, displays the results as a table
 - **Map** - displays coordinate points if present
 - **ImageGrid** - displays result images as a grid
 - **BubbleChart** - displays numbers as bubble chart
 - **TreeMap** - displays hierarchical tree map for numbers
 - **Timeline** - displays timeline for results having dates
 - **Dimensions** - displays rows as lines between points
 - **Graph** - displays result as a connected graph



DBpedia

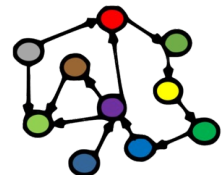
DBpedia

- Extracting structured information from Wikipedia
 - a crowd-sourced community effort
 - making Wikipedia information available as a semantic knowledge graph
 - central source of URIs (in particular before Wikidata):
 - <http://dbpedia.org/resource/<Res>>
- Available as:
 - RDF files, SPARQL endpoint (<http://dbpedia.org/sparql>)
 - HTML pages (<http://dbpedia.org/page/<Res>>)
 - faceted RDF browsing, powered by Virtuoso OpenLink
 - live SPARQL endpoint (<http://live.dbpedia.org/sparql>)
 - entity resolver service (<http://demo.dbpedia-spotlight.org/>)
 - lexicalizations dataset (maps names to DBpedia URIs)



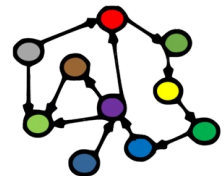
DBpedia: old extraction

- Since January 2007:
 - first only in English
 - the 15 largest languages (since 3.7)
 - around 125 languages (since 3.8)
 - Wikipedia's *infoboxes* are central, but also
 - inter-language links, redirects, disambiguation pages, categories, links to external pages
 - ...also full-text extraction and some NL parsing
 - (triple version + quad version with *provenance*)



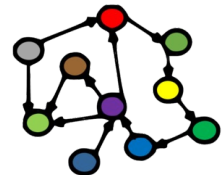
DBpedia: raw and mapped extraction

- Wikipedia's *infoboxes* are central
 - raw, automatic transformation from *infoboxes* to triples:
 - language-specific property names
 - infobox templates may be badly defined and used
 - inconsistent properties
 - no literal types, units
 - hand-written scripts from *infoboxes* to triples:
 - generates standardised properties → the DBpedia *ontology*
 - fixes many infobox problems
 - increasingly specific
 - wiki for creating mappings: mappings.dbpedia.org



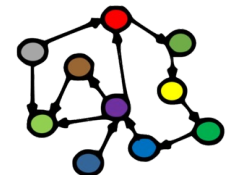
DBpedia: ontology and identities

- URIs derived from Wikipedia, e.g.:
 - <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bergen> →
 - <http://dbpedia.org/resource/Bergen>
 - **English, canonical, always dereferencable URIs**
- localised/national:
 - <http://no.dbpedia.org/resource/Bergen>
 - **not always dereferencable**
 - ...they are *URNs*, but not always URIs



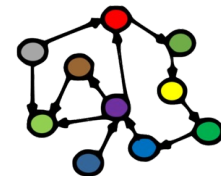
DBpedia: new extraction

- Since 2020, monthly extraction in four groups:
 - generic
 - generic parsers, language-specific RDF properties
 - mappings
 - editable ontology mappings: mappings.dbpedia.org
 - text
 - abstract and article full-text extraction
 - Wikidata
 - mapped and cleaned Wikidata data
 - using the DBpedia Ontology



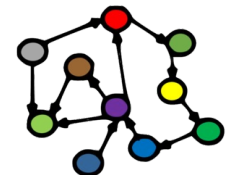
DBpedia ↔ Wikidata

- Similarities:
 - both publish **RDF data** about **entities/resources**
 - both offer **standard URIs** and define **ontologies**
 - both are extensively **linked** to other semantic datasets
- Differences:
 - **source**: DBpedia is derived; Wikidata is crowdsourced
 - **direction**: DBpedia extracts data from Wikipedia;
Wikidata provides data to Wikipedia
 - **structure**: DBpedia adds structure to Wikipedia data;
Wikidata is natively structured
 - **maturity**: DBpedia is older; Wikidata is recent
- Currently, DBpedia *also extracts data directly from Wikidata*



DBpedia and Wikidata ↔ Freebase

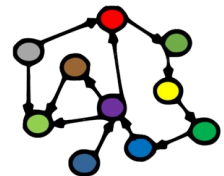
- *A terminated free and open knowledge base that could be read and edited by both humans and machines*
 - from 2007
 - similar to DBpedia, but crowdsourced
 - acquired by Google in 2010
 - closed in 2014
 - data dumps still available
- Central information source (seed) for
 - Google's KG
 - Wikidata



GeoNames

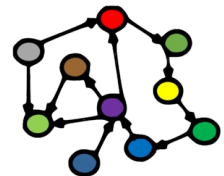
GeoNames

- *Adding geospatial semantic information to the web*
 - a geographical database: <http://www.geonames.org>
 - collected from a large number of sources
 - > 27M geographical names (*toponyms*, Norway 68k),
> 12M unique features, ~ 4.8M populated places,
~ 15M alternate names
- Offers *dereferencable URIs* for *toponyms / place names*
 - “303 redirection” for *Concept-Document distinction*
 - i.e., an entity and the information about it are different resources
 - <http://sws.geonames.org/3161732/>
 - <http://sws.geonames.org/3161732/about.rdf>



GeoNames accessibility

- Available as:
 - map-based HTML pages (POW – “Plain Old Web”)
 - web APIs (REST, XML, RDF)
 - SPARQL endpoints
 - dereferencable URIs
 - downloadable (TSV)
 - Gazetteer lists
- Also as Triple Pattern Fragments:
 - <http://data.linkeddatafragments.org/geonames>



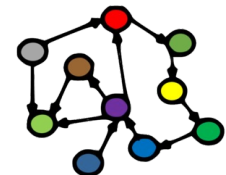
GeoNames ontology

- Vocabulary in OWL:
 - @prefix gn: <<http://geonames.org/ontology#>> .
 - gn:Feature class
 - 9 top-level feature codes:
 - **A** country, state, region, ...; **H** stream, lake, ...;
 - L** parks, area, ...; **P** city, village, ...; **R** road, railroad;
 - S** spot, building, farm; **T** mountain, hill, rock, ...;
 - U** undersea; **V** forest, heath, ...
 - 645 detailed feature codes (in a hierarchy)
- gn:name, gn:alternateName, gn:locationMap, gn:countryCode, ...
gn:parentCountry, gn:population, gn:wikipediaArticle
- also uses properties from *geo*, *foaf*, *dcterms*, *cc*, *rdfs*...

The Global Database of Events, Language, and Tone (GDELT)

The GDELT project

- Global Database of Events, Language, and Tone (GDELT)
 - free open platform
 - monitors and analyses the world’s broadcast, print, and web news
 - identifies people, locations, organizations, themes, sources, emotions, counts, quotes, images, events
 - global, covers over 100 languages, 65 fully translated (incl nb & nn)
 - focus on crises, but much broader in practice
 - *“can we map happiness and conflict, provide insight to vulnerable populations and even potentially forecast global conflict in ways that allow us as a society to come together to deescalate tensions, counter extremism, and break down cultural barriers?”*



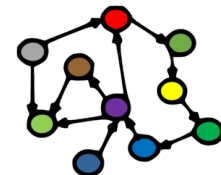
The GDELT project

- Archives back to 1979 (expanding back to 1800)
- Increasingly integrating social media
- Increasingly sophisticated analyses
- *Enormous data quantity – varying and sometimes poor quality*
- Supported by Google Jigsaw
 - runs in the Google Cloud
 - available on Google BigQuery
- Almost a knowledge graph, but
 - not native RDF
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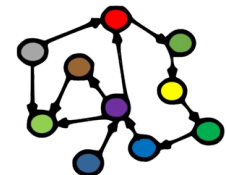
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The GDELT project: data streams

- Downloadable CSV files (every 15 minutes)
 - <http://data.gdeltproject.org/gdeltv2/lastupdate.txt>
 - *Global Knowledge Graph (...gkg.CSV, ~15M)*
 - which *people, locations, organizations, themes, sources, emotions, counts, quotes, images, events* are mentioned where?
 - *Events (...export.CSV, ~350k)*
 - low-level actor - event type – actor triples
 - *Mentions (...mentions.CSV, ~600k)*
 - where in and which source is each event mentioned?
- Lots of other datasets and streams, raw and analysed, native language or translated to English




Example

- A 7.8 magnitude tremor struck Turkey on 2023-02-06T0117

<<https://ground.news/article/turkey-earthquake-anguished-pm-modi-says-india-ready-to-provide-assistance>>

India to send disaster relief teams to quake-hit Turkey

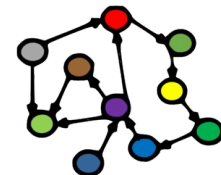
 Summary by Ground News

The decision to help Turkey was taken in a meeting led by P.K. Mishra, Principal Secretary to the Prime Minister. The meeting decided to send search and rescue teams of the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) and medical professionals. Two teams of NDRF comprising 100 personnel with specially trained dog squads and medical personnel have been prepared to be deployed.

Published 21 days ago · New Delhi, India

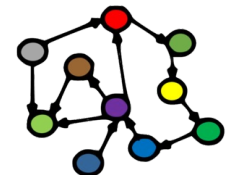


- Downloaded GDELT files from 1200 the same day:
 - <http://data.gdeltproject.org/gdeltv2/20230206120000.gkg.csv.zip>
 - <http://data.gdeltproject.org/gdeltv2/20230206120000.export.CSV.zip>
 - <http://data.gdeltproject.org/gdeltv2/20230206120000.mentions.CSV.zip>



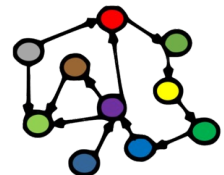
The GDELT project: GKG (the Global Knowledge Graph)

- For each document:
 - record id and datetime
 - source and document identifier (e.g., a URL)
 - keywords/themes (GKG has 120k entries, GCAM 1.2M entries)
 - person and organisation names and types
 - locations, their types, names, geo-coordinates
 - counts, their types and counted objects
 - average tone, positive/negative score, polarity
 - ...and lots of other stuff
- Codebook
 - http://data.gdeltproject.org/documentation/GDELT-Global_Knowledge_Graph_Codebook-V2.1.pdf



The GDELT project: GKG (line 670 in ...gkg.csv)

- **GKGRECORDID, V2.1DATE:**
20230206120000-669, 20230206120000
- **V2SOURCECOLLECTIONIDENTIFIER:**
1 (WEB)
- **V2SOURCECOMMONNAME:**
ground.news
- **V2DOCUMENTIDENTIFIER:**
<https://ground.news/article/...>
- **V1COUNTS, V2.1COUNTS:**
KILL#300##1#Turkey#TU#TU#39.059012#34.911546#TU#1025;
WOUND#200##1#Syria#SY#SY#35#38#SY#1052;
...
- **V1THEMES, V2ENHANCEDTHEMES:**
GENERAL_GOVERNMENT, 1313;
NATURAL_DISASTER_RICHTER_SCALE, 1767;
TAX_FNCACT_PRIME_MINISTER, 1614;
...
- **V1LOCATIONS, V2ENHANCEDLOCATIONS:**
1#India#IN#IN##20#77#IN#14;
1#Turkey#TU#TU##39.059012#34.911546#TU#1788;
1#Syria#SY#SY##35#38#SY#1013;
...
- **V1.5TONE:**
3.536,0.321,3.858,4.180,21.864,0.643,276
- **V2.1GCAM (Global Content Analysis Measures):**
wc:276,c12.1:7,c12.10:38,c12.12:11,c12.13:24...
- **V2.1ALLNAMES:**
Prime Minister Narendra Modi, 146;
New Delhi, 747; New Delhi, 1060; ...
- **V2.1AMOUNTS:**
8, magnitude on Richter scale, 1445;
500, people have been killed, 358;
8, struck central Turkey, 799; ...
- ...and a lot more:
images, videos, quotations...

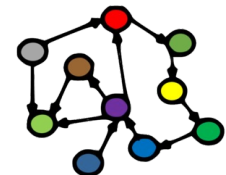


The GDELT project: events

- For each event:
 - global event id and datetime
 - actor 1 and 2:
 - name (person, organisation, location, ethnicity, religion, type) and CAMEO code
 - event:
 - CAMEO code and importance of event type
 - numbers of mentions and sources, tone
 - geography
- Codebooks
 - http://data.gdeltproject.org/documentation/GDELT-Event_Codebook-V2.0.pdf
 - <http://data.gdeltproject.org/documentation/CAMEO.Manual.1.1b3.pdf>

The GDELT project: events (line 372 in export.CSV)

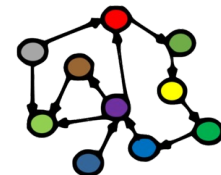
- **GlobalEventID:**
1083595865
- **Day, MonthYear, Year, FractionDate:**
20230206, 202302, 2023, 2023.0986
- **Actor1Code, Actor1Name:**
GOV, PRIME MINISTER
- **Actor2Code:** GOV
- **IsRootEvent:** 0 (not in first sentence)
- **EventCode, EventBaseCode, EventRootCode:**
13 (Make optimistic comment)
13 (Make optimistic comment)
1 (MAKE PUBLIC STATEMENT)
- **QuadClass:**
1 (verbal cooperation)
- **GoldsteinScale:**
0.4 (potential impact on stability [-10, +10])
- **NumMentions, NumSources, NumArticles:**
10, 1, 10 (first 15 min)
- **AverageTone:**
-3.858 (first 15 min, [-100, +100])
- **Actor1Geo_Type, _Fullname, _CountryCode, _ADM1Code, _Lat, _Long, _FeatureID:**
1 (COUNTRY), Turkey, TU,
TU, 39.059, 34.911, TU
- **Actor2Geo_....:**
(empty)
- **Action_Type, _Fullname, _CountryCode, _ADM1Code, _Lat, _Long, _FeatureID:**
1 (COUNTRY), Turkey, TU,
TU, 39.059, 34.911, TU
- **Dateadded:**
20230206120000
- **SourceURL:**
<https://ground.news/article/...>



The GDELT project: mentions

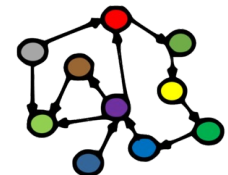
- For each event
 - global event id and datetime
 - mention type and datetime
 - source name and identifier (e.g., a URL)
 - sentence number
 - actor 1 and 2 mentions (character indices)
 - confidence
 - source length and tone
- Codebook
 - http://data.gdeltproject.org/documentation/GDELT-Event_Codebook-V2.0.pdf

*GDELT mentions
connect events to
documents mapped
into the GKG*



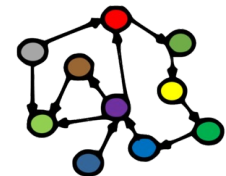
The GDELT project: mentions (line 1042 in mentions.CSV)

- **GlobalEventID:**
1083595865
- **EventTimeDate, MentionTimeDate:**
20230206120000, 20230206120000
- **MentionType:**
1 (WEB)
- **MentionSourceName:**
ground.news
- **MentionIdentifier:**
<https://ground.news/article/...>
- **MontionDocLen:**
1896
- **MentionsDocTone:**
-3.85852090032154
- **SentenceID:**
11
- **Actor1CharOffset:**
1664
- **Actor2CharOffset:**
-1
- **ActionCharOffset:**
1684
- **InRawText:**
1 (found in original unaltered raw text)
- **Confidence:**
100



The GDELT project: additional data streams

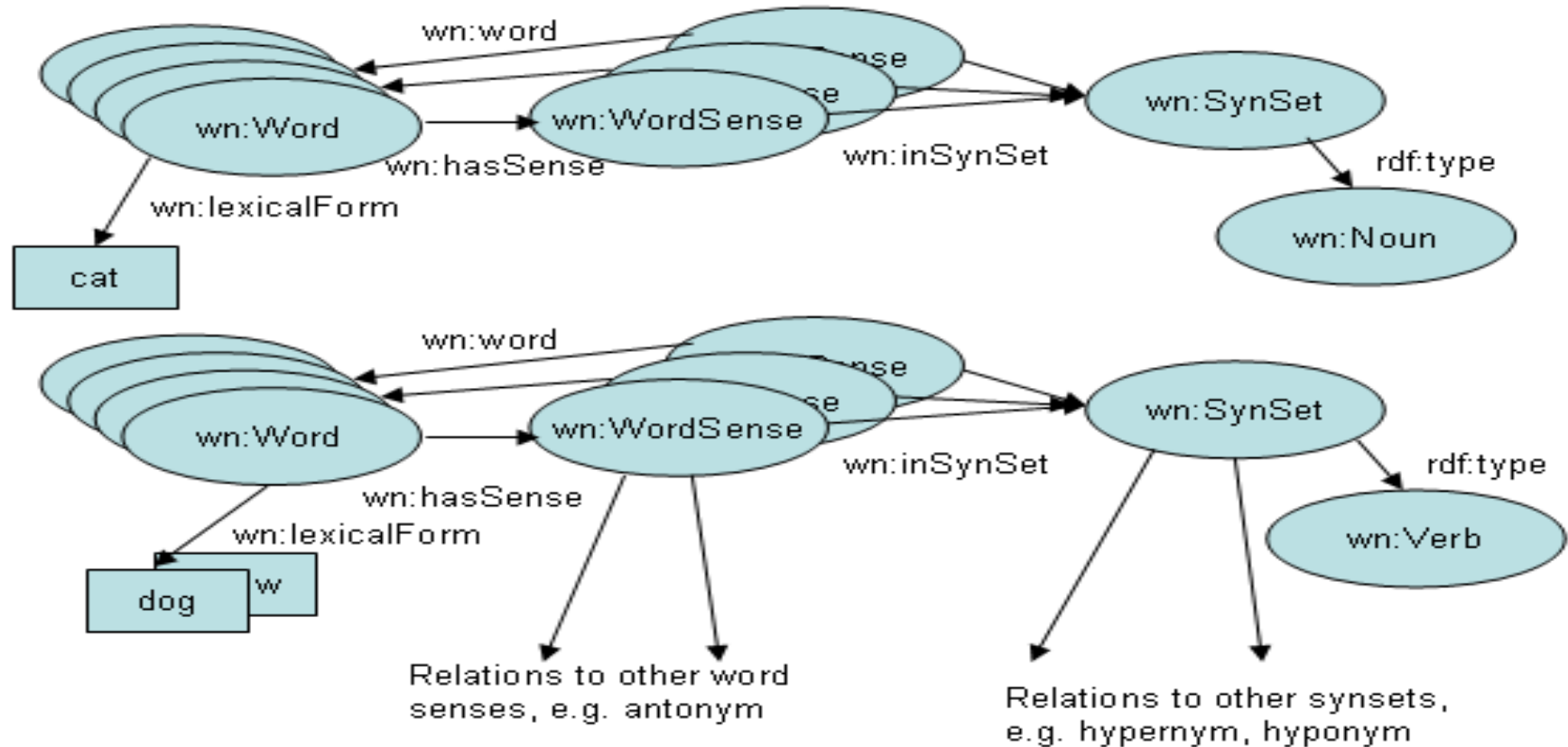
- Other data streams:
 - *Visual GKG*
 - codifying the world's news images in real time
 - random sampling, Google's Vision API
 - *Global Entity Graph*
 - experimental, random sampling of news articles
 - deep learning, Google's Natural Language API
 - provides Wikidata links for entities
 - *Global Relationship Graph*
 - experimental, related to the global entity graph
 - extracts verbs and the words in their context
 - groups new articles with similar verbs-in-context



WordNet, BabelNet, and ConceptNet

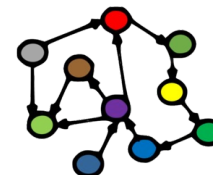
WordNet

- An electronic open-source dictionary (Miller, 1985-)



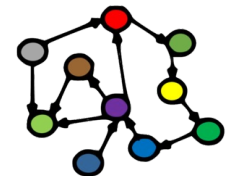
WordNet

- An electronic open-source dictionary (Miller, 1985-):
 - 155k open-class words, 118k synonym sets (*synsets*), 207k Word-Sense pairs
 - hand-written definitions, common-use frequencies
 - version 3.1 available for download or online:
 - <http://wordnetweb.princeton.edu/perl/webwn>
 - APIs in many languages (Java, Python)
 - RDFS and OWL versions exist
 - WordNet in RDF:
 - <https://www.w3.org/TR/wordnet-rdf/>
 - <http://wordnet-rdf.princeton.edu/>
 - also versions for other languages



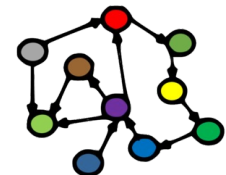
WordNet: synset structure

- Different *concept relations* for each *Part of Speech (PoS)*
- Nouns:
 - hyponyms/hypernyms
bat-n-1 is-kind-of placental_mammal-n-1
 - type / instance
Norway-n-1 instance-of Scandinavian_country-n-1
 - holonyms/meronyms
bat-n-1 has-part wing-n-1
 - *antonyms*
birth-n-1 has-antonym death-n-1
 - entailment, domains
bat-n-2 has-domain baseball-n-1



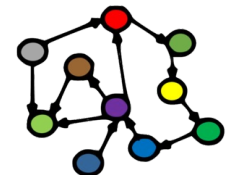
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- Verbs:
 - troponyms/hypernym
communicate-v-2 has-troponym talk-v-2
talk-v-2 has-troponym whisper-v-1
 - depending on semantic field:
run-v-1 has-troponym jog-v-3
like-v-2 has-troponym love-v-2
 - verb groups
 - antonyms
love-v-1 has-antonym hate-v-1
 - similarity, sister terms
bat-v-1 has-sister swat-v-1



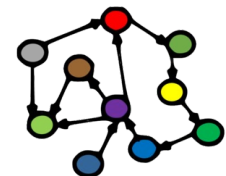
WordNet: synset structure

- Different *concept relations* for each *Part of Speech (PoS)*
- Adjectives:
 - semantic, similarity, antonyms, indirect antonyms
- Adverbs:
 - similar to adjectives
- Also cross-PoS:
 - island – islander (derived from)
 - talk – speak for (phrasal)...
 - ...and others



BabelNet

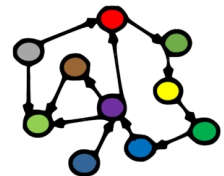
- A multilingual encyclopedic dictionary and a semantic network of concepts and named entities
 - integrates data from *WordNet*, *Open Multilingual Wordnet*, *Wiktionary*, *Wikidata*, *Wikipedia*, *Wikiquotes*, *GeoNames* and several others
 - both *lexicographic* and *encyclopedic* coverage
 - 16 million Babel synsets
 - > 800 million word senses
 - > 280 languages
- *Open* alternatives:
 - DBpedia Wiktionary (<http://data.linkeddatafragments.org/wiktionary>)
 - Dbnary (<http://kaiko.getalp.org/about-dbnary/>)
 - Global Wordnet Grid (<http://globalwordnet.org/>)
 - Open Multilingual WordNet (compling.hss.ntu.edu.sg/omw/)



BabelNet availability

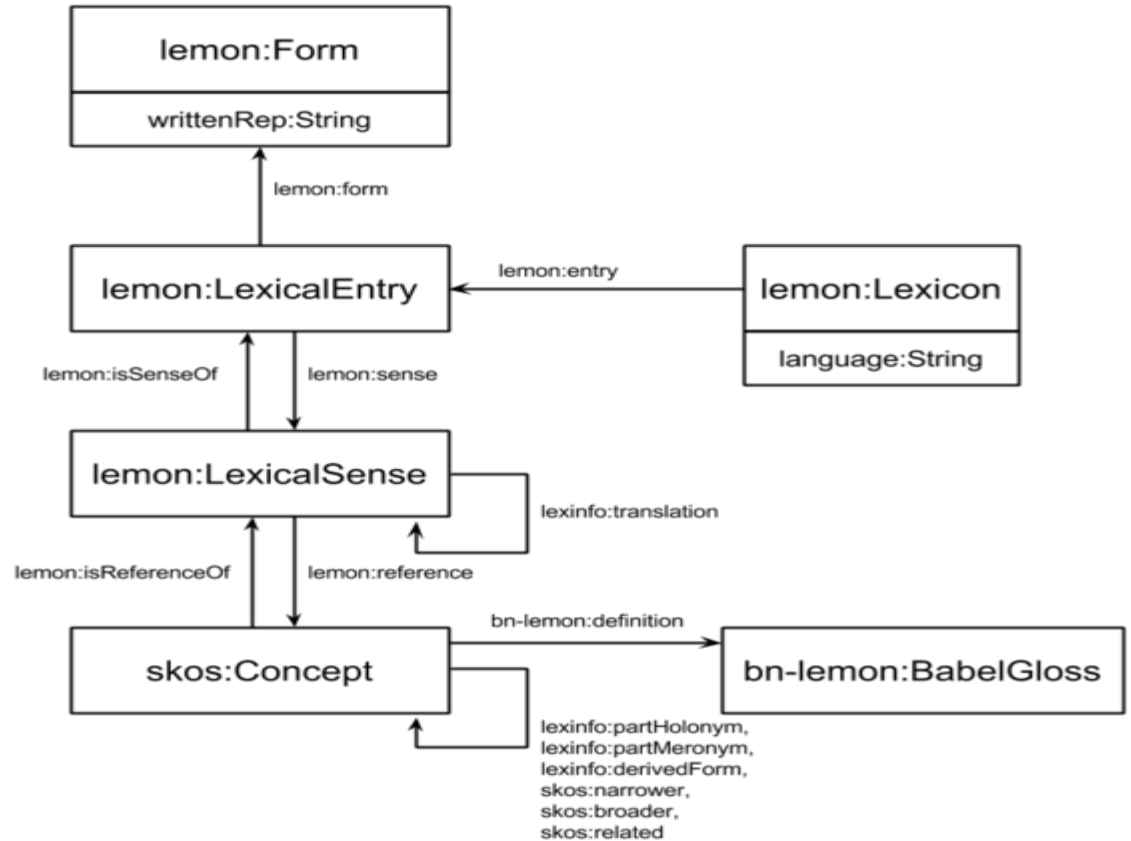
- Available as:
 - web lookup service
 - web translation service
 - web API (JSON) with Java library
 - SPARQL endpoint
 - linked data interface
 - <http://babelnet.org/rdf/page/>
 - the Linguistic LOD (LLOD) cloud
 - Attribution-NonCommercial-ShareAlike 3.0
 - *but they do not give it out to everyone*

- *Properly open* alternatives:
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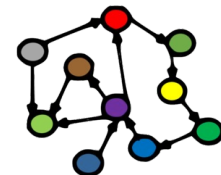
BabelNet conceptual model

- “Making BabelNet part of the LLOD cloud”
- Similar structure to WordNet
- Standard LLOD vocabularies:
 - Lemon
 - BabelNet-lemon
 - LexInfo
 - SKOS
 - RDFS
 - DC elements
 - DC terms
- Lemon is the backbone



ConceptNet

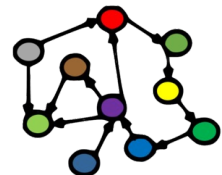
- An open, multilingual knowledge graph
- Designed to help computers understand the meanings of words
- Open, freely-available:
 - web interface (<https://conceptnet.io>), web API (JSON-LD), downloadable files
- Data sources:
 - DBpedia
 - Wiktionary
 - Open Multilingual WordNet
 - OpenCyc
 - Word associations from “games with a purpose”



DBpedia Spotlight

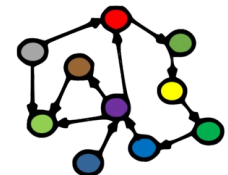
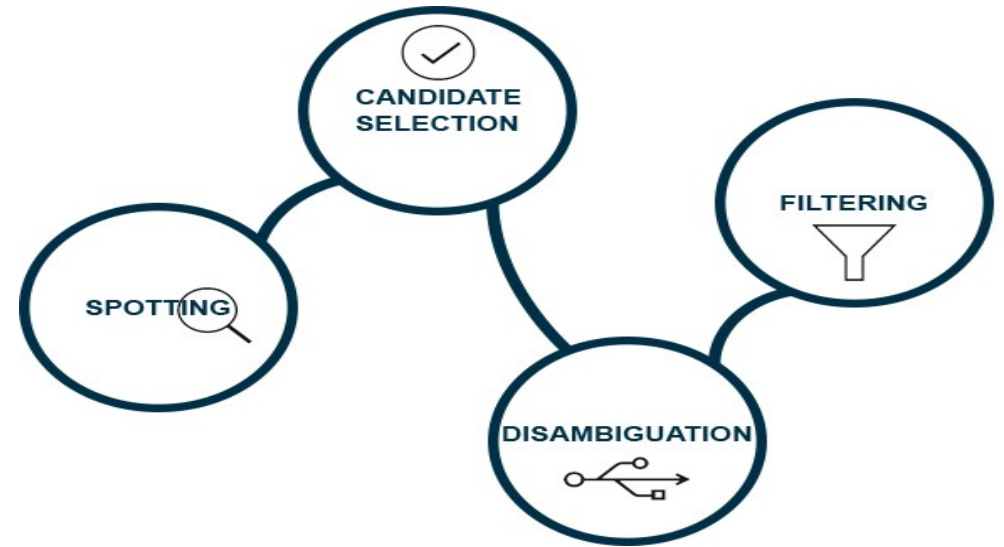
DBpedia Spotlight

- A tool and web API for lifting text:
 - automatically annotating mentions of DBpedia resources in text
 - linking unstructured information sources to the LOD cloud through DBpedia
 - available as:
 - online demo <https://demo.dbpedia-spotlight.org/>
 - web API: api.dbpedia-spotlight.org/en
<https://api.dbpedia-spotlight.org/en/annotate?text=...”>
 - download:
 - open source code
 - Docker



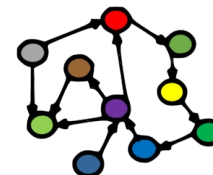
DBpedia Spotlight

- **Spotting:** identify potential *mentions* (substrings) of *named entities* in texts
- **Candidate selection:** find DBpedia *resources* that may match the *surface form* of a mention
- **Disambiguation:** select the more likely candidate resource for each surface form
- **Filtering:** adjust to user-specific requirements (e.g., confidence)
- **Limitation:** only DBpedia entries
 - focus on named entities
 - fewer *concepts, events, relations, times...*



Text lifting tasks

- DBpedia Spotlight covers *entity extraction*:
 - entity recognition (detection)
 - entity disambiguation (name resolution)
 - linking
- Does not focus on:
 - word-sense disambiguation (WSD)
 - topic extraction
 - text classification
 - relation extraction
 - sentiment analysis, attitudes, negation



Next week: Enterprise KGs

Guest Lecture by
Sindre Asplem, CapGemini