RDF(S)

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1 Background

This seminar will be devoted to the RDF(S) model. Please refer to lecture 2 for details on RDF(S).

To ensure data you put into your repository will be dereferenceable, everyone will use IRIs of the form
`http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/REPOSITORYNAME/WHATEVERYOUWANT`,
where

`REPOSITORYNAME` is the name of the repository in GraphDB.

`WHATEVERYOUWANT` is a local identifier, according to your local identification scheme.

For example, in a repository named `testrepo`, we would like to create a new reference to a person John Doe. We decide to represent the IRI as
`http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/testrepo/person/doe-john` and the class person as `http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/testrepo/person`. Note, that this is not the only option and it is a matter of design decision, how a IRI is constructed, e.g.

generic identification scheme creates unified IRIs for all individuals, another for all IRIs, e.g. `http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/testrepo/object-1`,

class-prefixed identification scheme creates unified IRIs for all individuals of a particular class, e.g. `http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/testrepo/person-1`,

class-related identification scheme creates unified IRIs for all individuals of a particular class, e.g. `http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/ontologies/testrepo/person/1`.

2 Excercises

Ex. 1 — Open a Turtle editor at `http://onto.fel.cvut.cz/turtle-editor` and explore the default turtle document. Take a look at its graphical view as well. Delete german labels from all resources, producing a valid turtle document.

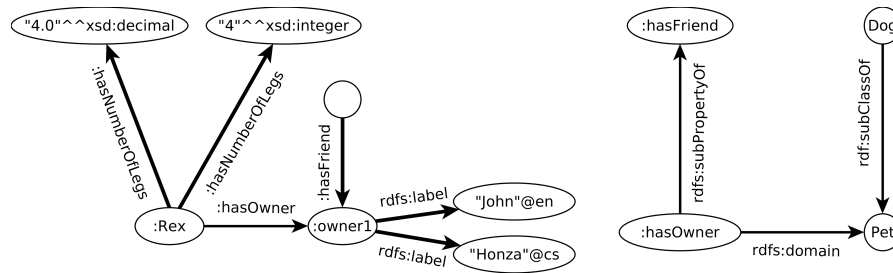**Ex. 2** — Consider the RDF graph G in Figure 1.

Figure 1: An example RDF graph

1. decide, whether G is ground,
2. decide, whether G is lean, if no, simplify it, so that it becomes lean.
3. rewrite the graph into the Turtle syntax
4. which triples are entailed by G under simple entailment,
5. which triples are entailed by G under RDF-{xsd:decimal} entailment,
6. which triples are entailed by G under RDFS-{xsd:decimal,xsd:integer} entailment
7. write a statement describing that the information about number of legs of Rex was provided by a person with IRI `:Tom`.

Ex. 3 — Create an RDF document in Turtle syntax, representing the following knowledge. Define your own IRIs for named resources:
- John is a husband of Mary.
- Mary and George have the same mother (who is unknown).
- George is 180 cm tall.

Ex. 4 — Create a schema document to the previous example, formalizing the knowledge about people – namely classes `Person`, `Man`, `Woman`, and properties `date − of − birth`, `has − husband`, `is − relative − of`, `has − mother`, `has − father`. Try to express as much knowledge about these classes/properties, as possible, using RDF Schema 1.1 constructs.

Ex. 5 — Using a text editor, create an RDF document (in Turtle) with your public RDF profile (i.e basic data, your interests, etc.). Use FOAF vocabulary (`http://xmlns.com/foaf/spec/`), where possible.

3 Relevant References

- RDF Validator – `http://www.w3.org/RDF/Validator/`

- Any23 (transformation between RDF formats) – `http://any23.org/`