

# Taxonomy of Graph Databases

## Types of Systems

What is a general type of a database?

- RDF store
- Tuple store
- Document store
- Key-value store
- Wide-column store
- RDBMS
- OODBMS
- Native graph store
- Data hub

## Data Models

What models of graph data are supported?

- RDF triples
- LPG
- Tuples
- Documents
- Key-value pairs
- Tables
- Objects
- Hypergraph
- Multiple models

## Query Execution

### Concurrent Execution

Can multiple queries be run concurrently?

- Yes
- No

### Parallelization

Can a single query be parallelized?

- Yes
- No

## Data Distribution

### Distributed Mode

Can the system run in a distributed mode?

- Yes
- No

### Data Replication

Is data replication supported?

- Yes
- No

### Data Sharding

Is data sharding supported?

- Yes
- No

## Data Organization

### Lightweight Edges

Is there support for lightweight edges?

- Yes
- No

### Index Structures

Is there support for storing data within index structures?

- Yes
- No

### Types of Records

What types of records are supported?

- Fixed sized
- Variable sized

### Edge Records

How are edges stored?

- Within vertex records
- Within edge records

### Representations

What representations of graphs are used?

- Adjacency matrix
- Adjacency list
- Edge list

### Linking Records

How are records linked together?

- With direct pointers
- With IDs or references

## Transaction Support

### ACID

Is ACID supported?

- Yes (fully)
- Yes (partially)
- No

### Processing Type

What processing type is supported?

- OLAP
- OLTP
- OLAP & OLTP

## Language Support

What graph database query language is supported?

- SPARQL
- Gremlin
- Cypher
- SQL
- GraphQL
- Other