

WQL/WSI web interface for querying profiles

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WeSearch

- The WeSearch Project
 - <https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/ErgWeSearch>
 - https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/WeSearch_QueryLanguage
 - https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/WeSearch_Rdf
 - <http://moin.delph-in.net/wiki/WeSearch/Interface> (not migrated)
 - Many pages about WeSearch were not migrated

WeSearch

<http://wesearch.delph-in.net/>

Built using Java Enterprise technologies (Apache Jena, Apache Tomcat, and others), hence near-trivial to maintain and adapt for adult software engineers. (<https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/VirtualInfrastructure#wesearch-semantic-graph-query>)

<http://sdp.delph-in.net/>

<http://sdp.delph-in.net/2014/> (SemEval 2014 Task 8)

Semantic fingerprints (vs WQL)

Some of the ERG treebank data can be searched via semantic ‘fingerprints’ using the WeSearch Interface; for information on fingerprinting, please see the ErgSemantics documentation.

<https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/ErgTreebanks>

<https://github.com/delph-in/docs/wiki/ErgSemantics#semantic-fingerprints>

In capturing semantic phenomena on most **ESD** pages (and hopefully also in future work on automated regression testing) we invoke a notion of semantic fingerprints, i.e. characteristics of a specific MRS configuration that identifies a token phenomenon. We utilize a compact template language for MRS fingerprints (similar in form to the MRS LaTeX style; called ERS fingerprints when specialized for the semantic analyses of the English Resource Grammar)

“ErgSemantics fingerprint language is the WQL dialect for MRS search. i am afraid, i believe no documentation is available for this dialect.” (Stephan Oepen)

The WSI system

Hosted at IBM Cloud

<https://wsi.mybluemix.net/demo/search.jsp>

Documentation:

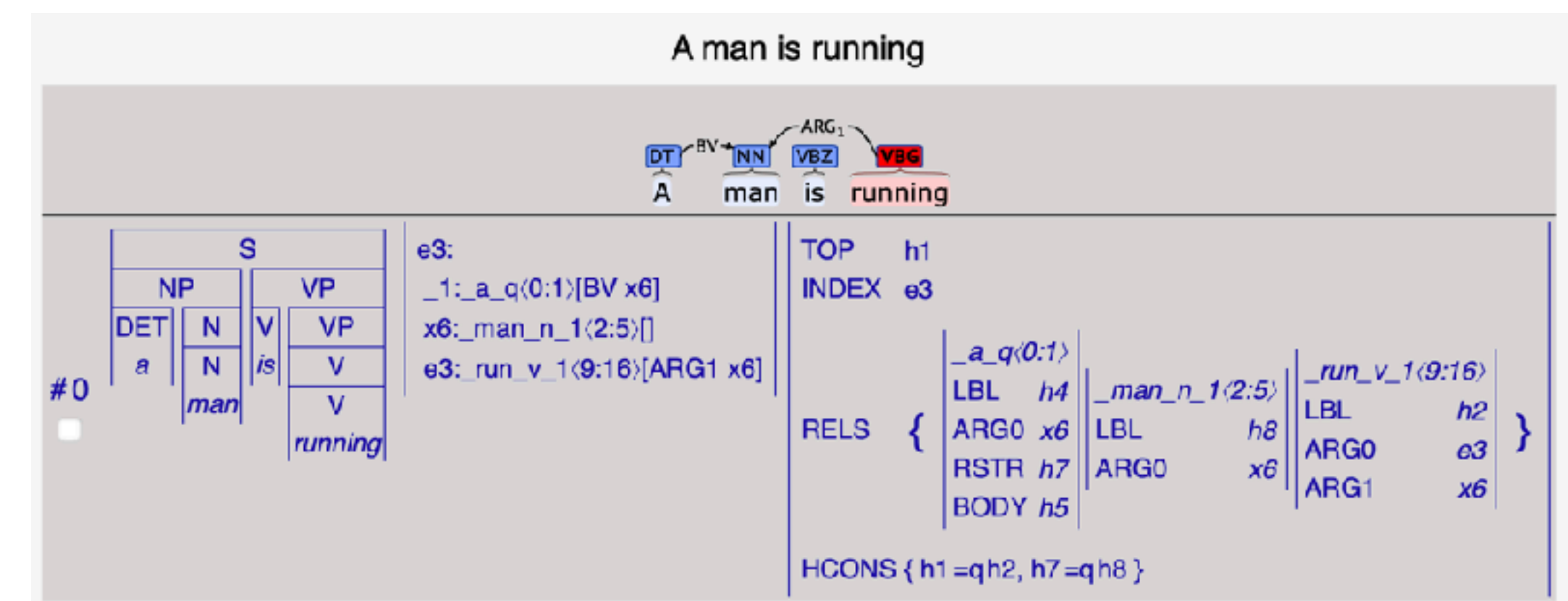
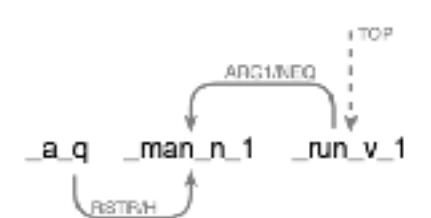
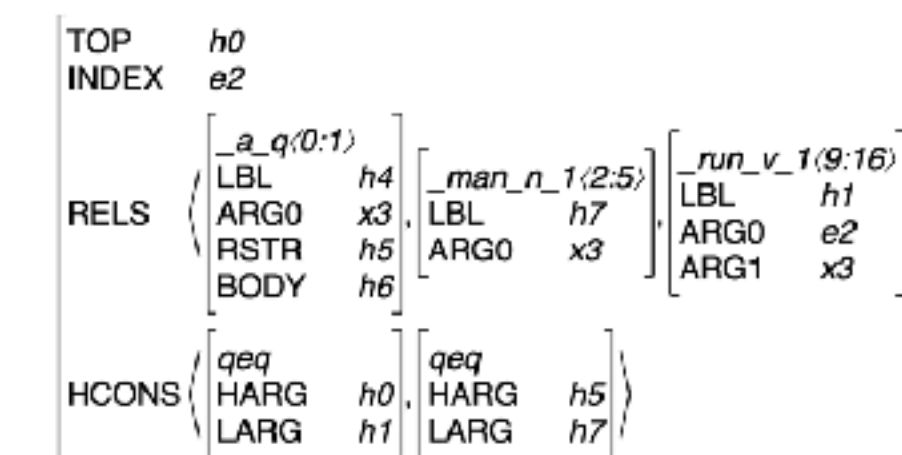
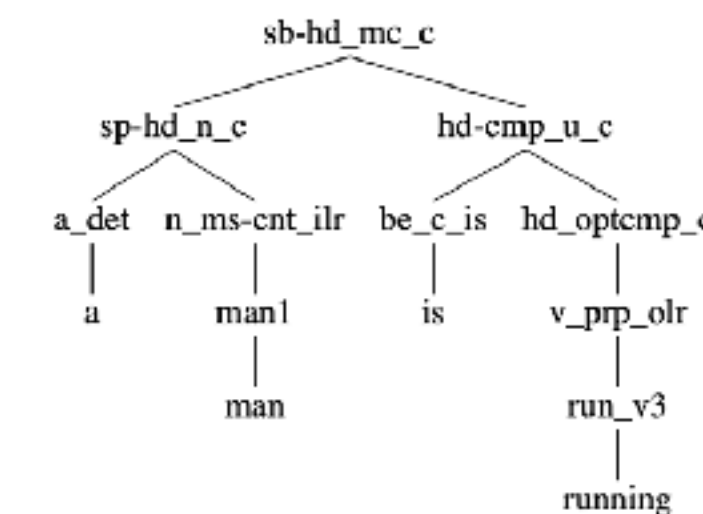
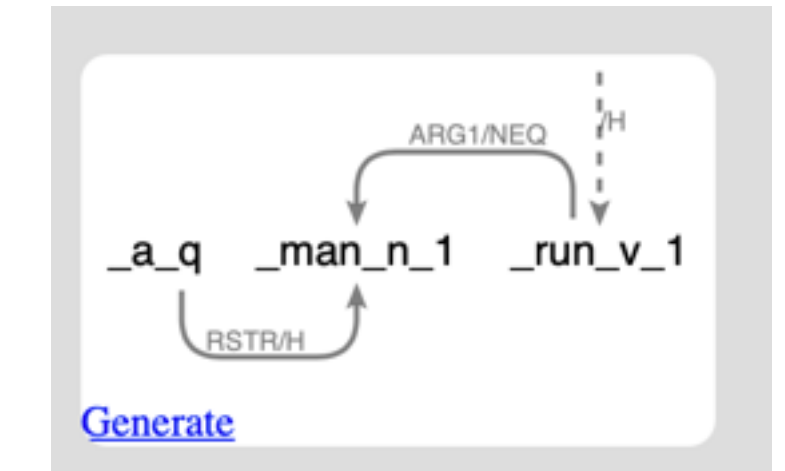
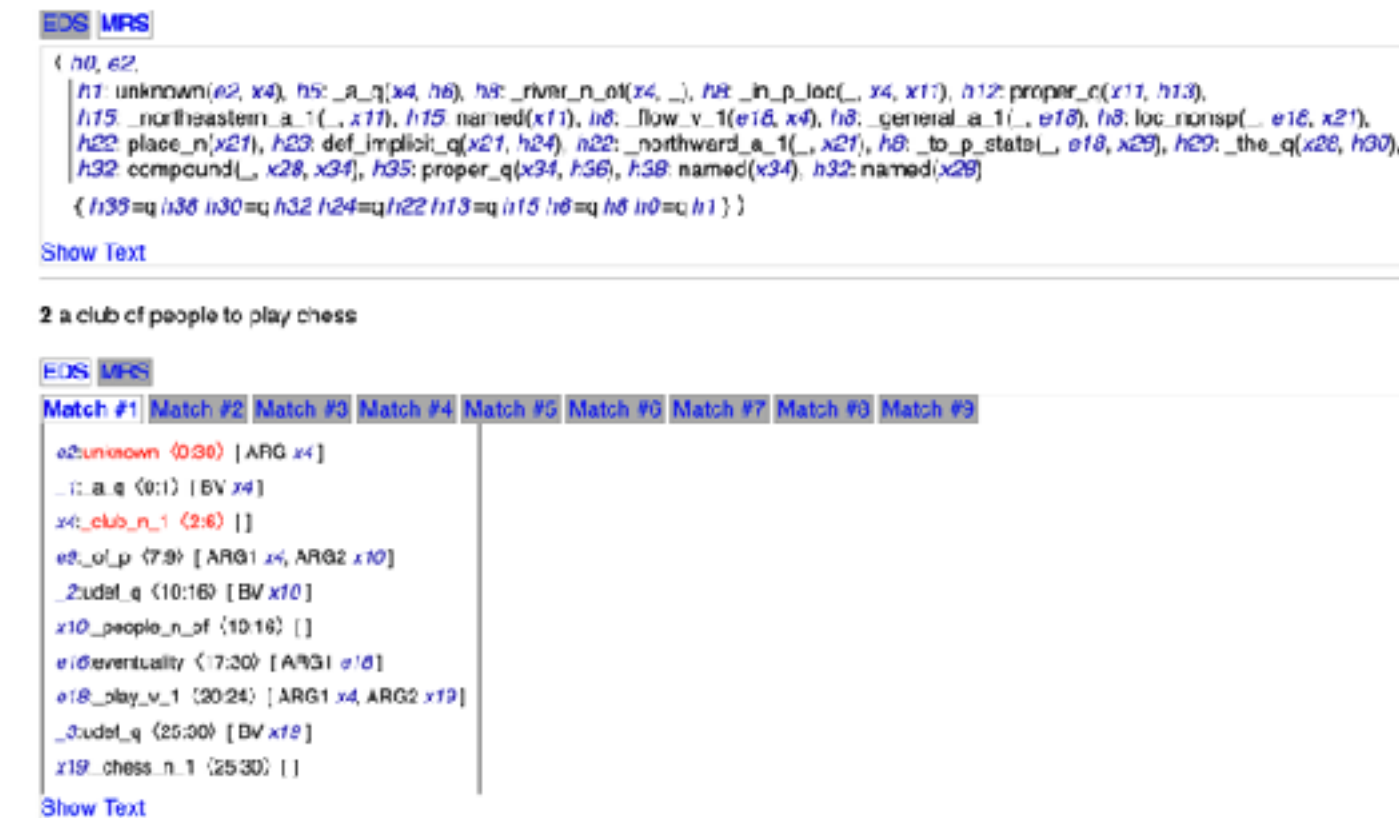
<http://sdp.delph-in.net/2015/search.html>

Code at:

<https://github.com/own-pt/wsi>

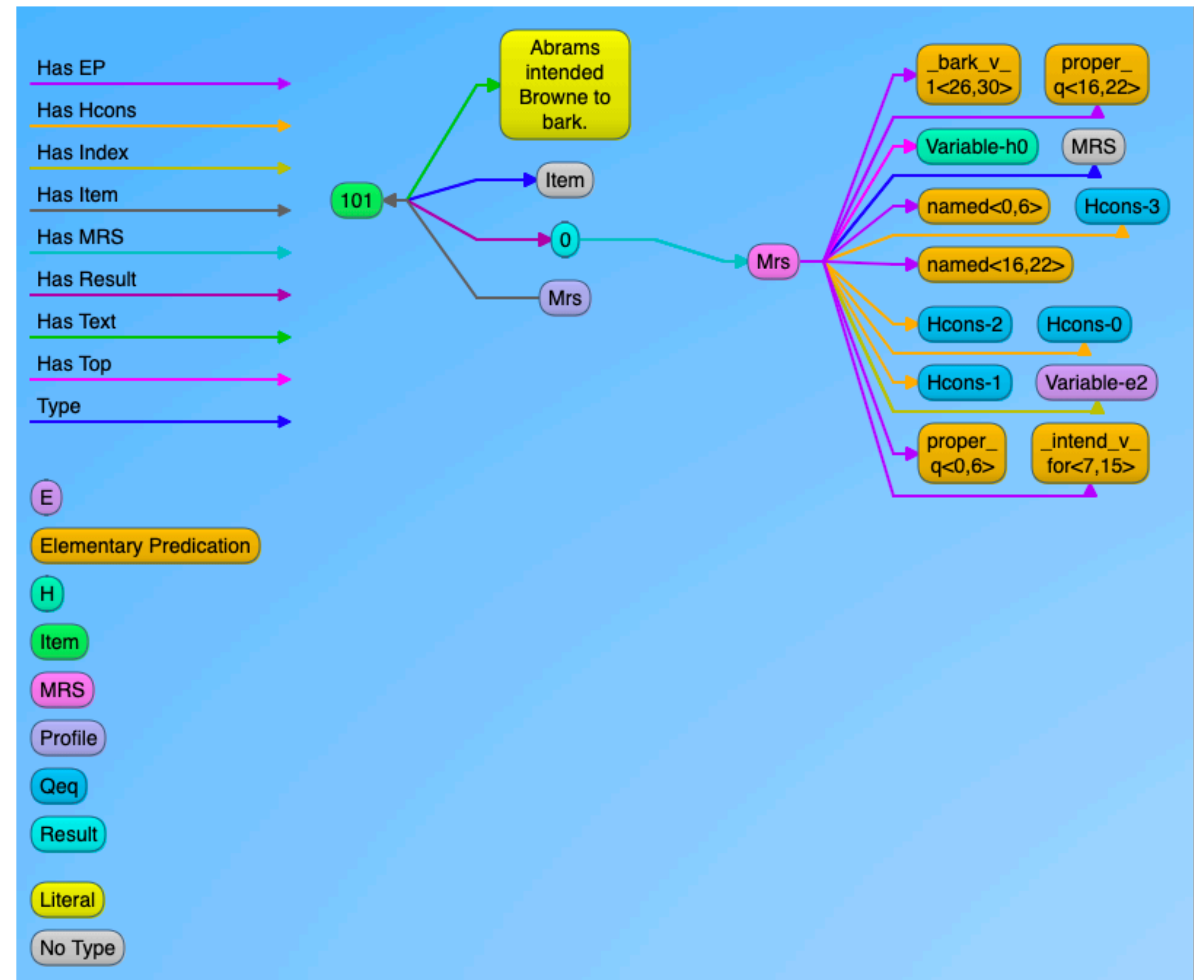
Web visualization

- <http://delph-in.github.io/delphin-viz/demo/> (JS + SVG + CSS)
- <http://chimpanzee.ling.washington.edu/demophon/erg/parse> (DMRS)
- <http://erg.delph-in.net/logon> (DM, MRS AVM-Like, EDS) (Lisp + HTML + CSS)
- <https://wsi.mybluemix.net/demo/search.jsp> (JS + Java + HTML + CSS)
- http://compling.hss.ntu.edu.sg/ltadb/cgi/ERG_1214//showtype.cgi?typ=aj_-_i-att_le



RDF Representation

- <https://github.com/own-pt/delphin-rdf/tree/master/vocabularies>
 - `erg.ttl`
 - `semstructs.ttl`
 - `eds.ttl`
 - `dmrs.ttl`
 - `mrs.ttl`
- URI pattern
 - `http://example.com/`
 - `item/result/mrs#...`
 - `item/result/dmrs#...`



The new system

Haskell

<https://hackage.haskell.org/package/hsparql>

<https://github.com/own-pt/wql>

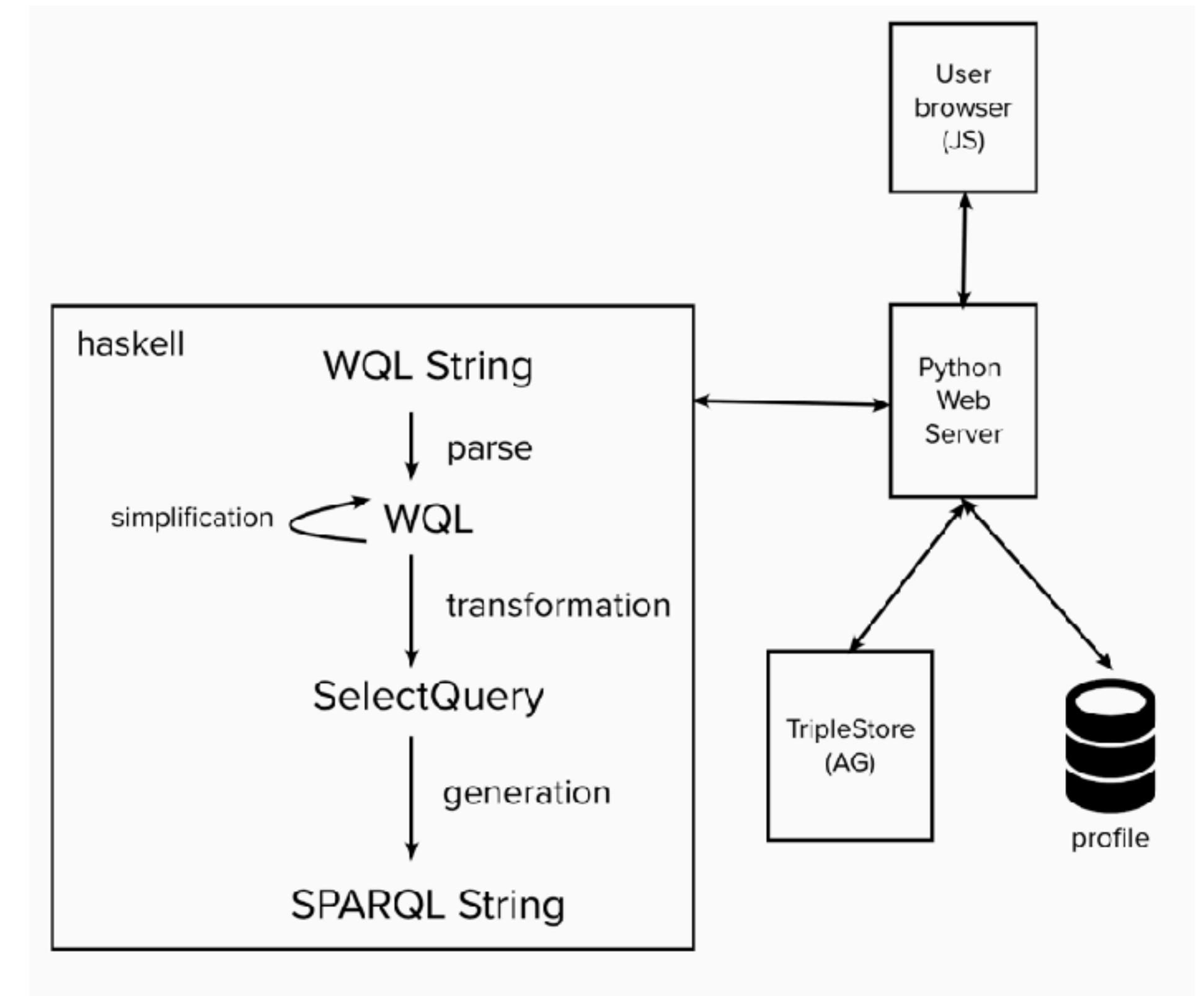
Python

Pydelphin + delphin-rdf plugin

<https://github.com/own-pt/delphin-rdf>

JavaScript

<https://github.com/delph-in/delphin-viz>



Questions and TODO

- WQL
 - variables (x vs ?x) vs patterns
 - MRS, DMRS, EDS dialects?
- visualization:
 - highlighting matches
 - show derivations, syntactic tree etc
- SPARQL pretty printing

Step by Step

setup TripleStore

clone and create a virtual env with Pydelphin + delphin-rdf

delphin profile-to-rdf -o mrs.nq -f nquads -p <http://www.delph-in.net/data/erg/gold/mrs> ~/hpsg/terg/tsdb/gold/mrs

import RDF; anonymous access to the store in AG

cd wql ; stack build ; stack exec wql-exe

FLASK_APP=demo flask run

Visit <http://127.0.0.1:5000/test-form>