

ROBOT Tutorial Commands

Getting Started

Optionally, update your ROBOT version to v1.2.0-alpha ([CLICK HERE](#)). Download the JAR and replace your existing `robot.jar` file with the new one.

Make sure you have downloaded the tutorial repository ([CLICK HERE](#)) and open the `examples` directory in the command line.

ROBOT for Repetitive Tasks

Merge

Merge Separate Ontologies

```
robot merge --input edit.owl \  
  --input foo.owl \  
  --collapse-import-closure false \  
  --output merged.owl
```

Merge Imports

```
robot merge --input edit.owl \  
  --collapse-import-closure true \  
  --output merged_imports.owl
```

Reason

Logical Validation

```
robot reason --input inconsistent.owl
```

Automatic Classification

```
robot reason --input non-reasoned.owl \  
  --output reasoned.owl
```

Annotate

Add Metadata

```
robot annotate --input edit.owl \  
  --ontology-iri https://github.com/ontodev/robot/edit.owl \  
  --version-iri \  
    https://github.com/ontodev/robot/releases/2018-08-07/edit.owl \  
  --annotation oboInOwl:date "08:07:2018 12:00" \  
  --output annotated.owl
```

Convert

Convert the Edit File

```
robot convert --input edit.owl \  
  --format owl \  
  --output release.owl
```

Convert to OBO

```
robot convert --input edit.owl \  
  --output release.obo
```

Automated Workflows

Chaining Commands

```
robot merge --input edit.owl --collapse-import-closure true \  
  reason --reasoner ELK --create-new-ontology false \  
  annotate --version-iri \  
    http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/robot/2018-08-07/release.owl \  
  convert --output chained_release.ttl
```

Makefiles

```
make release
```

Quality Assurance

Diff

Compare Axioms

```
robot diff --left non-reasoned.owl \  
  --right reasoned.owl \  
  --output diff.txt
```

Query

Select Query

```
robot query --input edit.owl \  
  --query select.rq select.tsv
```

Ask Query

```
robot query --input edit.owl \  
  --query ask.rq ask.txt
```

Verify

Successful Verification

```
robot verify --input edit.owl \  
  --queries verify.rq \  
  --output-dir results
```

Unsuccessful Verification

```
robot verify --input edit.owl \  
  --queries verify_fail.rq \  
  --output-dir results
```

Report

Generate a Report

```
robot report --input edit.owl --output report.tsv
```

Modular Development

Extract

Extract with SLME

```
robot extract \  
  --input-iri http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/obi.owl \  
  --term OBI:0000443 \  
  --method BOT \  
  --output obi_bot.owl
```

Extract with MIREOT

```
robot extract \  
  --input-iri http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/obi.owl \  
  --method MIREOT \  
  --lower-terms obi_terms.txt \  
  --output obi_mireot.owl
```

Template

Create a Module

```
robot template --input edit.owl \  
  --template module.tsv \  
  --output module.owl
```

Add a Class to an Ontology

```
robot template --input edit.owl \  
  --merge-before \  
  --collapse-import-closure false \  
  --template new_class.tsv \  
  --output edit.owl
```

```
--output new_class.owl
```

Modular Releases

Querying with SPARQL CONSTRUCT

Update Annotations with CONSTRUCT

```
robot query --input edit.owl \  
  --query construct.rq construct.ttl  
robot merge --input edit.owl \  
  --input construct.ttl \  
  --output update.owl
```

Remove

Remove a Class + Descendants

```
robot remove --input edit.owl \  
  --entity UBERON:0000475 \  
  --select "self descendants" \  
  --output removed.owl
```

Create a ‘Simple’ Version

```
robot remove --input edit.owl \  
  --axioms equivalent \  
  remove --select parents --select anonymous \  
  --output simple.owl
```

Filter

Extract a Branch

```
robot filter --input edit.owl \  
  --entity UBERON:0000475 \  
  --select self --select descendants --select annotations \  
  --output branch.owl
```

Create a Subset

```
robot filter --input edit.owl \  
  --select \  
  "oboInOwl:inSubset=<http://purl.obolibrary.org/obo/uberon/core#uberon_slim>" \  
  --select annotations \  
  --output uberon_slim.owl
```