# SPARQL Template Transformation Language

Un langage de transformation de graphe RDF

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## **Agenda**

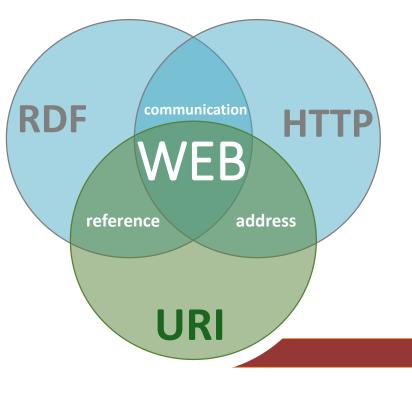
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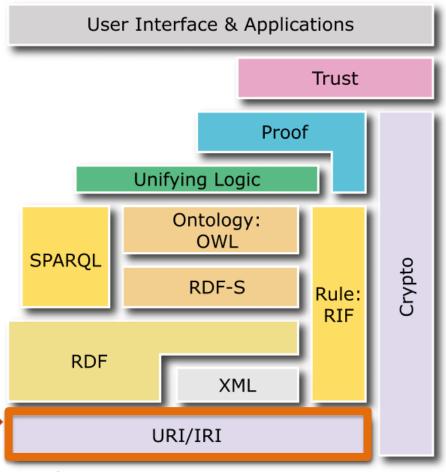
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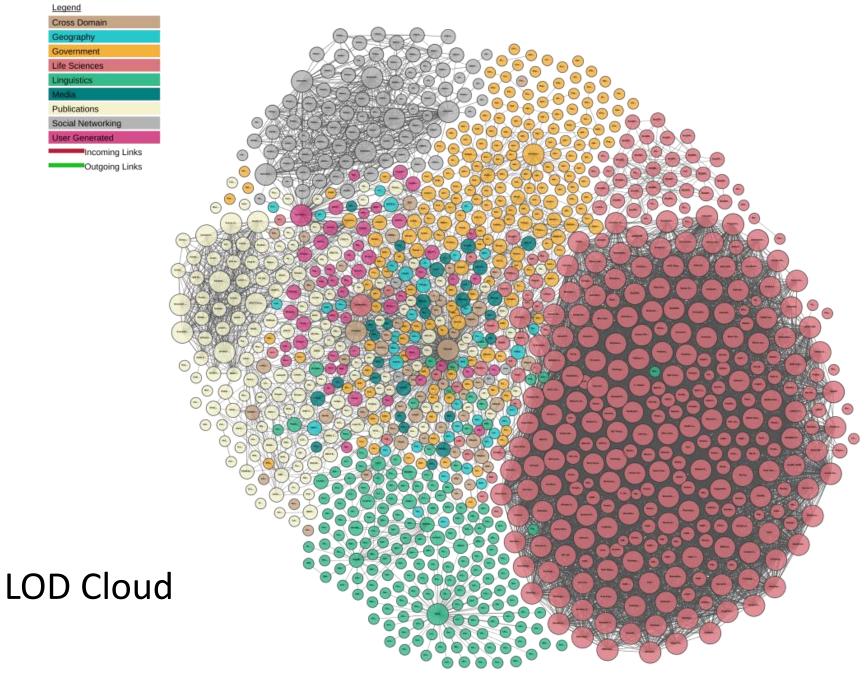
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### **Semantic Web**





universal nodes and types identification



SPARQL Template Transformation Language

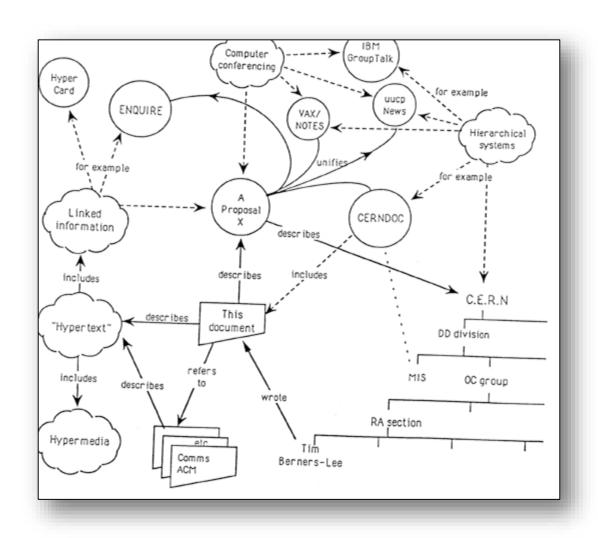
#### **W3C** Web of Data

- 1. RDF: Resource Description Framework
- 2. RDFS: RDF Schema
- 3. SPARQL: RDF Query Language

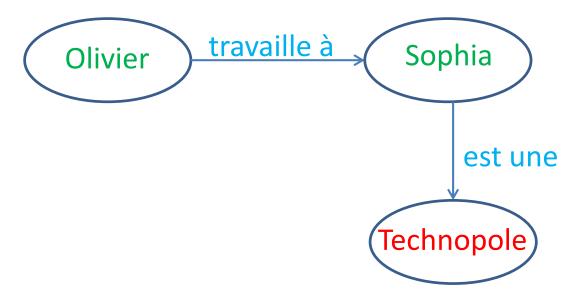
#### Wimmics Web of Data

- 1. RDF: Resource Description Framework
- 2. RDFS: RDF Schema
- 3. SPARQL: RDF Query Language
- 4. SPARQL Rule: Inference Rules
- 5. SPARQL Template: RDF Graph Transformation
- 6. LDScript: SPARQL based Script Language

# RDF: Graphe orienté étiqueté



# Graphe étiqueté orienté



# **Syntaxe Turtle**

```
@prefix foaf: <http://xmlns.com/foaf/0.1/>
@prefix ex: <http://example.org/>
<http://www.inria.fr/olivier.corby>
foaf:name "Olivier Corby ";
ex:workAt <http://example.org/SophiaAntipolis> .
```

### Typer les ressources

ex:Olivier rdf:type foaf:Person, ex:Hiker.

ex:SophiaAntipolis rdf:type ex:Technopole.

# Graphes nommés

```
graph ex:g1 {
     ex:James a ex:Lecturer;
          foaf:name "James"
graph ex:g2 {
     ex:James a ex:Musician;
          foaf:name "Jimmy"
```

# **RDF Schema**

#### **RDFS Class**

ex:Document a rdfs:Class.

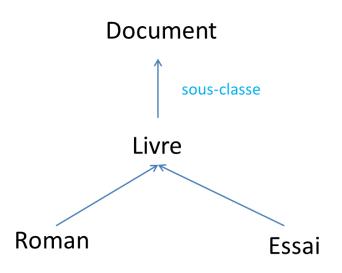
ex:Livre a rdfs:Class;

rdfs:subClassOf ex:Document.

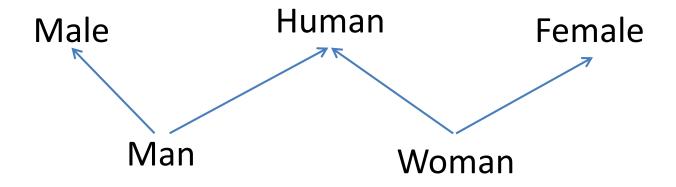
ex:Roman a rdfs:Class;

rdfs:subClassof ex:Livre.

ex:Essai a rdfs:Class; rdfs:subClassof ex:Livre.



# Héritage multiple



ex:Man rdfs:subClassOf ex:Male, ex:Human.

ex:Woman rdfs:subClassOf ex:Female, ex:Human.

### **RDF Property**

```
foaf:knows a rdf:Property;

rdfs:domain foaf:Person; # type du sujet

rdfs:range foaf:Person. # type de la valeur
```

# **SPARQL**

### **SPARQL**

```
select *
where {
   ?x a foaf:Person;
    foaf:name "Olivier"
}
```

# **SPARQL Property Path**

```
select *
where {
  us:Olivier foaf:knows+ ?y
}
```

### **SPARQL Construct**

```
construct {
     ?x us:subPartOf?z
where {
     ?x us:subPartOf ?y
     ?y us:subPartOf ?z
```

### **SPARQL Service**

```
select *
where {
 service <http://fr.dbpedia.org/sparql> {
     ?r rdfs:label "Antibes" @fr;
           3b 3A
```

### **SPARQL Update**

```
delete { ?x foaf:name ?n }
insert { ?x rdfs:label ?n }
where { ?x foaf:name ?n }
```

### **SPARQL Template Transformation Language**

#### **STTL**

STTL: transformation language for RDF

XSLT: transformation language for XML

- Input RDF graph
- Output Text format
- SPARQL based
- Declarative transformation rules

#### **XSLT - STTL**

```
template { st:apply-templates(?y) }
where { ?in a foaf:Person ; foaf:knows ?y }
```

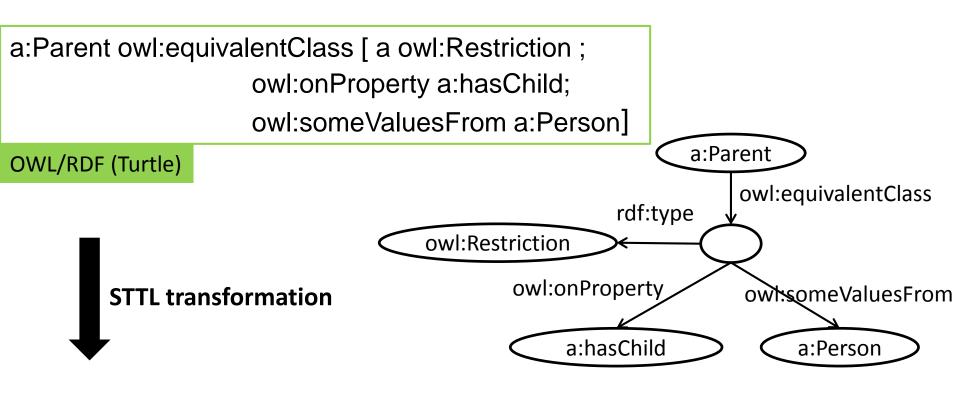
### **XSLT-STTL**

	XSLT	STTL
Input	XML	RDF
Output	XML	Text
Syntax	XML	SPARQL extension
Template	xsl:template	template {} where {}
Named Template	xsl:template name="test"	template ex:test
Apply templates	xsl:apply-templates	st:apply-templates()
Apply named template	xsl:call-template	st:call-template()
Parameters	xsl:with-param	(?x, ?y)
Numbering	xsl:number	st:number()
Sorting	xsl:sort	order by
Grouping	xsl:for-each-group	group by
Condition	xsl:if	if (exp, then, else)

### STTL motivating use cases

- 1. Transformation of RDF data from one RDF syntax to another:
  - Turtle
  - RDF/XML
  - JSON LD
- 2. Presentation of RDF data:
  - RDF to HTML
  - RDF to Latex
  - RDF to Natural Language
  - RDF to graphic format (GML)
- 3. Transformation of statements in a given language from RDF to another syntax:
  - OWL/RDF to OWL functional syntax
  - SPARQL/RDF (SPIN) to SPARQL syntax
  - AST of L in RDF to concrete syntax of L
- 4. Constraint checking
  - OWL Profile: OWL RL
  - SHACL

### Example use case: OWL/RDF to OWL/FS



EquivalentClasses (a:Parent ObjectSomeValuesFrom(a:hasChild, a:Person))

**OWL/Functional Syntax** 

### **SPARQL**

#### Query forms

```
SELECT WHERE { GP }

CONSTRUCT { GP } WHERE { GP }

ASK { GP }

DESCRIBE WHERE { GP }
```

# **SPARQL** Template

#### Query forms

```
SELECT WHERE { GP }
CONSTRUCT { GP } WHERE { GP }
ASK { GP }
DESCRIBE WHERE { GP }
```

TEMPLATE { Text Pattern } WHERE { GP }

# **SPARQL** Template

An additional SPARQL query form:

TEMPLATE { Text Pattern } WHERE { GP }

with Text Pattern = ( VARIABLE | EXP | TEXT )\*

#### RDF to HTML transformation

```
TEMPLATE { format {"<a href='%s'>%s</a>" str(?x) str(?name) } } WHERE { ?x a foaf:Person ; foaf:name ?name }
```

```
ns:olivier a foaf:Person; foaf:name "Olivier".
ns:catherine a foaf:Person; foaf:name "Catherine".
```

```
<a href='http://ns.inria.fr/olivier'>Olivier</a> <a href='http://ns.inria.fr/catherine'>Catherine</a>
```

#### **RDF** to Turtle transformation

```
TEMPLATE { ?x " " rdfs:label " " ?name "." }
WHERE { ?x a foaf:Person ; foaf:name ?name }
```

```
ns:olivier a foaf:Person; foaf:name "Olivier".
ns:catherine a foaf:Person; foaf:name "Catherine".
```

ns:olivier rdfs:label "Olivier".
ns:catherine rdfs:label "Catherine".

#### **STTL: Transformation**

A set of templates

```
TEMPLATE { "EquivalentClasses ("?in " "?c ")" }
WHERE { ?in owl:equivalentClass ?c }
TEMPLATE { "SubClassOf (" ?in " " ?c ")" }
WHERE { ?in rdfs:subClassOf ?c }
TEMPLATE { "ObjectSomeValuesFrom ("?p " "?c ")" }
WHERE { ?in a owl:Restriction;
       owl:onProperty?p;
       owl:someValuesFrom ?c }
```

# Template recursive call

```
TEMPLATE { "EquivalentClasses ("
    ?in " " ?c ")" }
WHERE { ?in owl:equivalentClass ?c . }
```

# Template recursive call

```
TEMPLATE { "EquivalentClasses ("
    st:apply-templates(?in) " " ?c ")" }
WHERE { ?in owl:equivalentClass ?c . }
```

## Template recursive call

```
TEMPLATE { "EquivalentClasses ("
    st:apply-templates(?in) " " st:apply-templates(?c) ")" }
WHERE { ?in owl:equivalentClass ?c . }
```

#### STTL

- 1. SPARQL Template Query form
- 2. Transformation: a set of Templates
- 3. Extension functions: st:apply-templates, st:call-template

### Focus Node ?in

```
template {
    st:apply-templates(?y)
}
where { ?in foaf:knows ?y }
```

### Focus Node ?in

```
template {
     st:apply-templates(?y)
where { ?in foaf:knows ?y }
template {}
where {
     ?in a foaf:Person
```

## **Named Template**

```
template {
    st:call-template(st:title)
}
where {}
```

## **Named Template**

```
template {
      st:call-template(st:title)
where {}
template st:title {}
where {}
```

## **Named Template**

```
template {
      st:call-template(st:title,?y)
where {}
template st:title (?x) {}
where {}
```

### **STTL Features**

#### **STTL Extension Functions**

```
prefix st: <http://ns.inria.fr/sparql-template/>
st:apply-templates(term)
st:apply-templates-with(transform-uri, term)
st:call-template(template-uri, term)
st:call-template-with(transform-uri, template-uri, term)
st:turtle(term)
st:set(term, term)
st:get(term)
```

## **Start template**

```
template st:start {
         st:apply-templates(?x)
}
where {
         ?x a foaf:Person
}
```

## **Priority**

```
template { }
where { }
pragma { st:template st:priority 200 }
```

### **Profile template: Declare Functions**

```
template st:profile {}
where {}
function st:display(?x) {
 if (isBlank(?x),
      concat("bnode: ",?x),
      st:turtle(?x))
```

## **Variable Processing**

Function st:process processes variables

```
template { ?y } where { ?in ?p ?y }
```

Compiled into:

```
template { st:process(?y) }
where { ?in ?p ?y }
```

## **Overloading Variable Processing**

```
function st:process(?x) {
  if (isBlank(?x),
      st:apply-templates(?x),
      st:turtle(?x))
}
```

## **Overloading Template Aggregate**

Function st:aggregate aggregates template results

```
function st:aggregate(?x) {
      aggregate(?x, us:merge)
}

function us:merge(?list) {
      apply(rq:and, ?list)
}
```

# **Template Statements**

- Separator
- Format
- Group
- Box
- Loop
- Numbering
- Values Unnest

## Separator

```
template {
     ; separator = ", "
where {
     ?in foaf:knows ?y
```

#### **Format**

```
template {
format {
     "<h2>%1$s</h2>%2$s"
     st:apply-templates(?x)
     st:apply-templates(?y)
where {
```

#### **External Format**

```
template {
 format {
        <a href="http://example.org/format/test.html">http://example.org/format/test.html</a>
        st:apply-templates(?x)
        st:apply-templates(?y)
where {
```

### **Format Function**

st:format(format, exp+)

### Group

```
group { E1 .. En }
::=
group_concat(concat(E1, .. En))
```

### Group

```
template {
     ?in " : " group { ?y }
}
where {
     ?in foaf:knows ?y
}
```

### Group

```
group { E1 .. En ; separator = "--" }
```

#### Box

```
box { E1 .. En }
concat(E1, .. En)
st:nl()
box | sbox | ibox
```

### Box

box: nl(+1) exp nl(-1)

sbox: nl(+1) exp indent(-1)

ibox: indent(+1) exp indent(-1)

## Numbering

```
template {
     st:number() " " st:apply-templates(?x)
where {
     ?in foaf:knows ?y
order by ?x
```

### **Values Unnest**

Extend SPARQL values with expressions

```
template { }
where {
    values ?val { unnest (exp) }
}
```

## **Constraint Checking with STTL**

- OWL Profile checking
  - OWL ontology conforms to OWL RL?
- SHACL Validation
  - RDF Graph conforms to SHAPE ?

## **Constraint Checking with STTL**

- Template returns a boolean true/false whether a constraint is verified/not verified
- Aggregate operator is boolean AND

#### **SHACL Validation**

```
template { ?suc }
where {
      graph sh:shape {
            ?sh sh:property [
                  sh:path?p;sh:class?c]
      values ?val { unnest(sh:path(?in, ?p)) }
      bind (exists { ?val rdf:type/rdfs:subClassOf* ?c }
      as ?suc)
```

## **Compiling STTL**

```
template { E1 .. En }
where {}
compiled as:
select (concat(cp(E1), .. cp(En)) as ?out)
where {}
+
aggregate(\Omega, group concat, ?out)
```

## **STTL Compilation**

```
cp(Var(x)) = st:process(x)
```

```
Default:
```

```
st:process(?x) = st:turtle(?x)
```

#### Overloaded:

```
function st:process(?x) {
  st:apply-templates(?x)
}
```

### **LDScript: Linked Data Script Language**

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- Simple language to define extension functions
- For SPARQL and STTL
- On top of SPARQL Filter language

### **Function Definition**

```
function us:fac(?n) {
  if (?n = 0, 1, ?n * us:fac(?n - 1))
}
```

### **Locable Variable**

```
let (?x = us:foo(?y)) {
     us:bar(?x)
}
```

## List datatype

```
xt:list(1, 2, 3)

let (?l = @(1 2 3)) {
}
```

xt:iota(5) = xt:list(1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

#### **Iterator**

```
for (?x in ?list) {
map(us:fun, ?list)
maplist(us:fun, ?list)
mapfind(us:test, ?list)
mapfindlist(us:test, ?list)
```

```
let (?sol = select * where { ?x foaf:knows ?y}){
```

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```
let (?sol = select * where { ?x foaf:knows ?y}){
    for ((?x, ?y) in ?sol) {
        xt:display(?x, ?y)
    }
}
```

```
let (?g = construct where { ?x foaf:knows ?y}){
```

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```
let (?g = construct where { ?x foaf:knows ?y}){
    for ((?s, ?p, ?o) in ?g) {
        xt:display(?s, ?o)
    }
}
```

### **STTL Transformations**

1.	RDF to Turtle	st:turtle
2.	RDF to RDF/XML	st:rdfxml
3.	RDF to JSON-LD	st:jsonld
4.	OWL to Functional Syntax	st:owl
5.	SPIN to SPARQL	st:spin
6.	SPARQL Query Result	st:sparql
7.	SPARQL Tutorial	st:web
8.	DBpedia Navigator	st:navlab
9.	Wikipedia Edit History Navigator	st:dbedit
10.	Calendar	st:calendar
11.	History Timeline	
12.	Sudoku (1 template)	
13.	OWL Profile check	st:owlrl
14.	SHACL Validation	st:dsmain

## **Usage**

Create a directory e.g. sttl

Write one template per file in sttl, with extension .rq

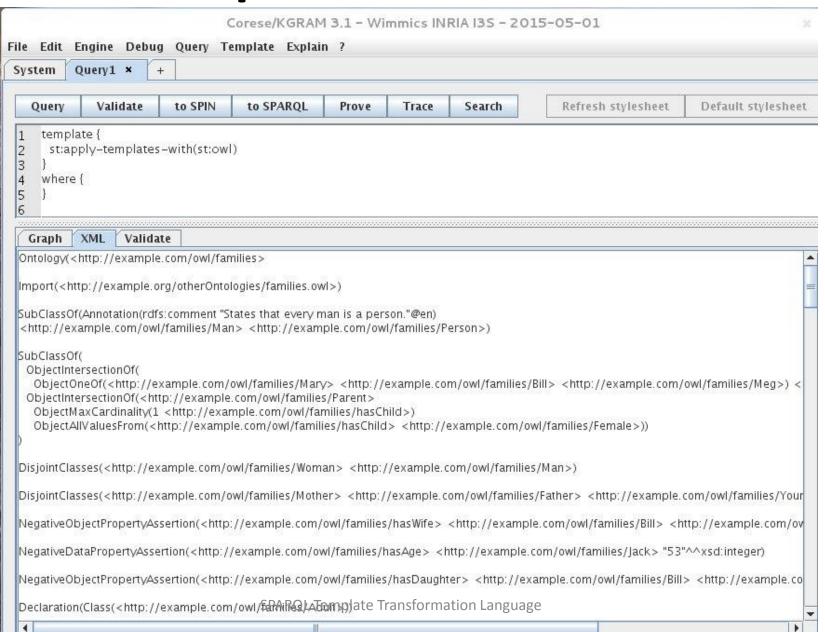
#### Use:

st:apply-templates-with("/home/myself/sttl/")

#### Use in Java:

Transformer t = Transformer.create(g, "/home/myself/sttl/");
String str = t.transform();

# STTL development environment



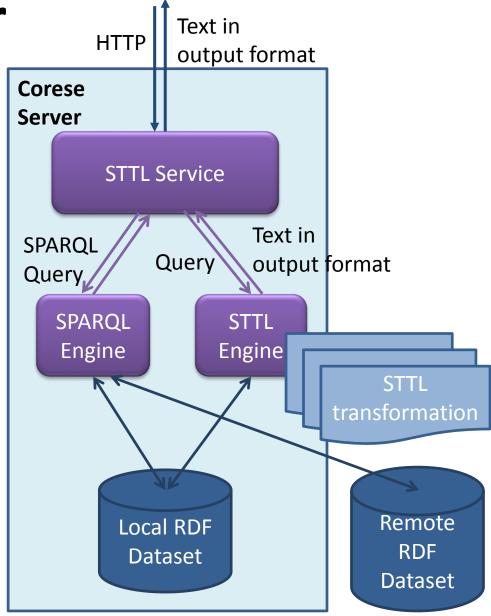
# **Application**

## STTL engine

#### available in the Corese Semantic Web Factory

- Free download: <a href="http://wimmics.inria.fr/corese">http://wimmics.inria.fr/corese</a>
  - SPARQL engine
  - STTL engine
  - Standalone environment to develop transformation
  - SPARQL endpoint
  - STTL server
- Web Server

#### **STTL Server**

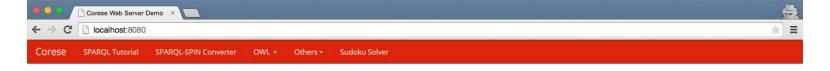


### Workflow

- 1. SPARQL Query  $\rightarrow$  Result  $\rightarrow$  Transformation  $\rightarrow$  HTML
- 2. Service SPARQL Query  $\rightarrow$  Result  $\rightarrow$  Transformation  $\rightarrow$  HTML
- Transformation(Graph) → HTML
- 4. Transformation(Graph, URI) → HTML
- 5. Transformation avec clause service e.g. à DBpedia (long, lat)

## **Example**

```
http://corese.inria.fr/srv/template?
        uri=http://fr.dbpedia.org/resource/Auguste&
        profile=st:dbpedia
profile st:dbpedia:
    query = construct where {
        bind (st:get(st:uri) as ?uri)
        service <a href="http://fr.dbpedia.org/sparql">http://fr.dbpedia.org/sparql</a> {
        ?uri rdfs:label ?l; ... }}
    transform = st:navlab
```

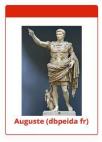


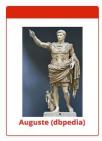


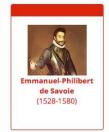
Corese is a Semantic Web Factory implementing RDF, RDFS, SPARQL and Inference Rules. This site presents demos of Semantic Web servers and Linked Data Navigators designed with SPARQL Template Transformation Language.

#### Linked data browsers

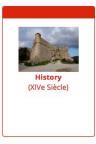












#### Online services



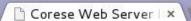
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1	
limit 10	
offset 10	







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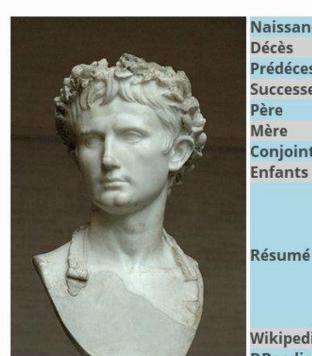
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Sudoku Solver

#### Auguste



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Successeur Tibère

Père Gaius Octavius

Mère Atia Balba Caesonia

Conjoints Scribonia (épouse d'Octavien) Clodia Pulchra Livie

Enfants Iulia Caesaris filia

> Auguste, né sous le nom de Caius Octavius le 23 septembre 63 av. J.-C. à Rome, d'abord appelé Octave puis Octavien, porte le nom de Imperator Caesar Divi Filius Augustus à sa mort le 19 août 14 ap. J.-C. à Nola. Il est le

premier empereur romain, du 16 janvier 27 av. J.-C. au 19 août 14 ap. J.-C.Issu d'une ancienne et riche famille de rang équestre appartenant à la gens

plébéienne des Octavii, il devient fils adoptif posthume de son grand-oncle

maternel Jules César en 44 av.

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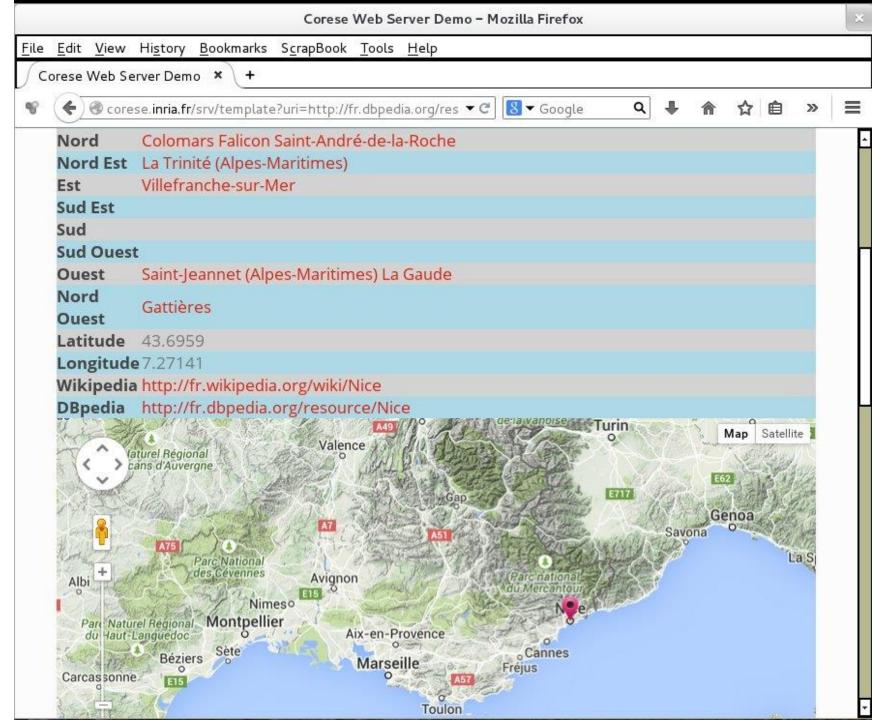


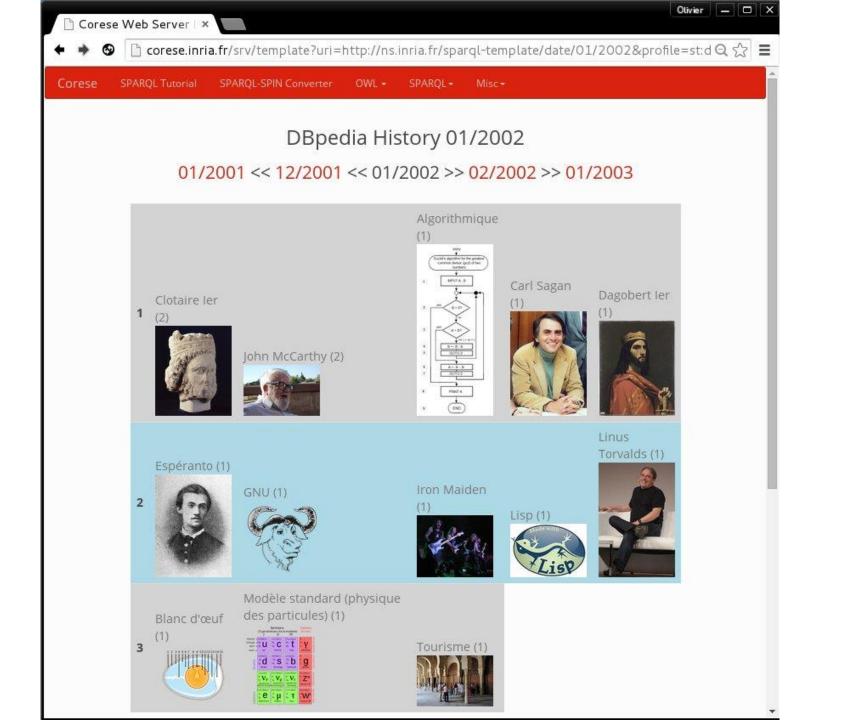


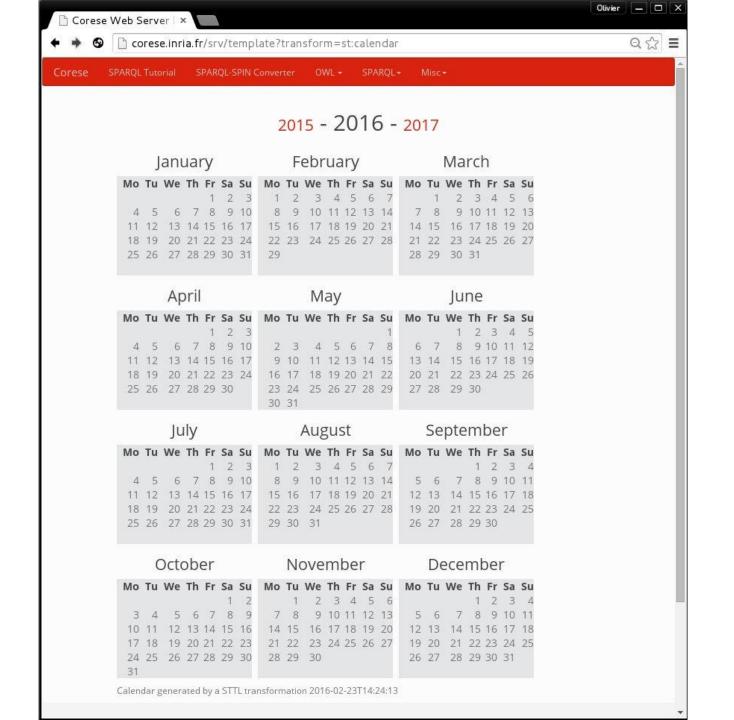
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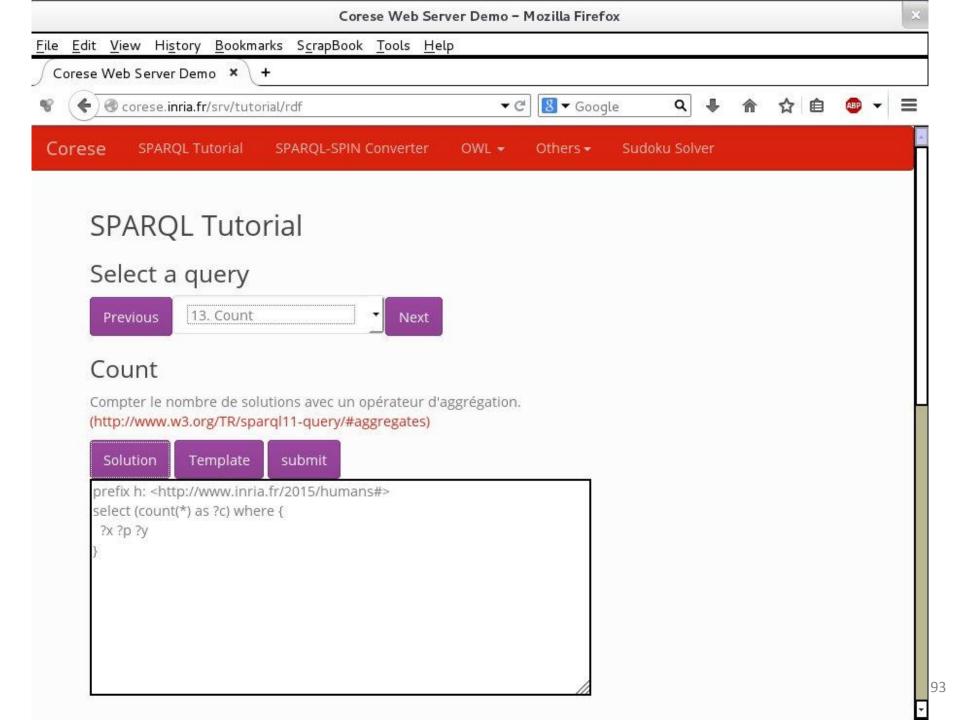


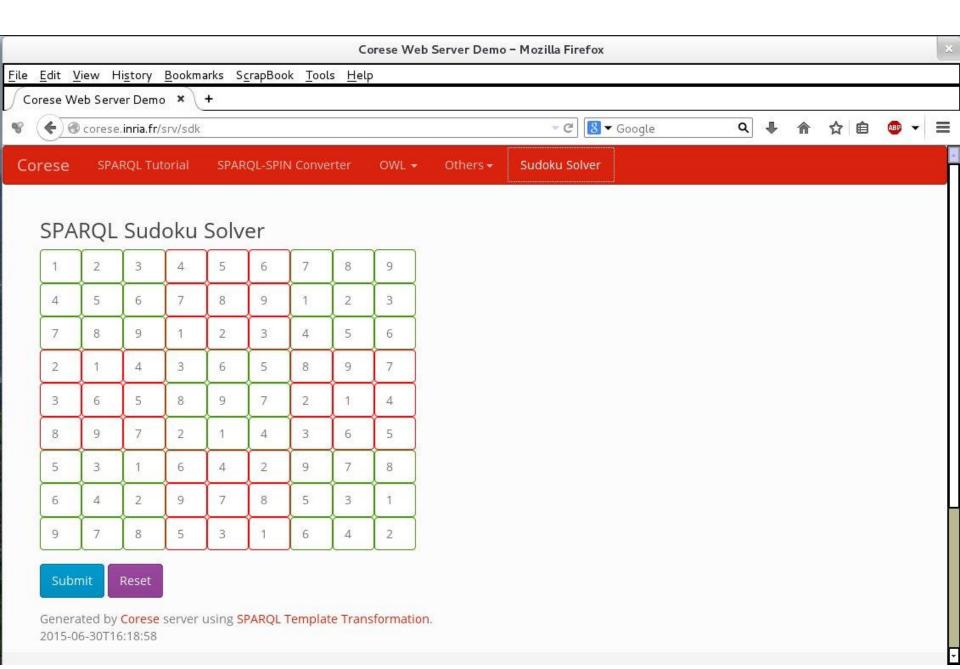


Load: /data/primer.owl Transform: st:owl

#### Result

```
Ontology(<http://example.com/owl/families>
Import(<http://example.org/otherOntologies/families.owl>)
SubClassOf(Annotation(rdfs:comment "States that every man is a person.")
<http://example.com/owl/families/Man> <http://example.com/owl/families/Person>)
SubClassOf (
  ObjectIntersectionOf(
    ObjectOneOf(<http://example.com/owl/families/Mary> <http://example.com
 owl/families/Bill> <http://example.com/owl/families/Meg>) <http://example.com/
/owl/families/Female>)
  ObjectIntersectionOf(<a href="http://example.com/owl/families/Parent">http://example.com/owl/families/Parent</a>
    ObjectMaxCardinality(1 <a href="http://example.com/owl/families/hasChild">http://example.com/owl/families/hasChild</a>)
    ObjectAllValuesFrom(<a href="http://example.com/owl/families/hasChild">http://example.com/owl/families/hasChild</a>
<http://example.com/owl/families/Female>))
DisjointClasses(<http://example.com/owl/families/Woman> <http://example.com
/owl/families/Man>)
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/owl/families/Father> <http://example.com/owl/families/YoungChild>)
NegativeObjectPropertyAssertion(<http://example.com/owl/families/hasWife>
<http://example.com/owl/families/Bill> <http://example.com/owl/families/Marv>)
NegativeDataPropertyAssertion(<http://example.com/owl/families/hasAge>
<http://example.com/owl/families/Jack> "53"^^xsd:integer)
NegativeObjectPropertyAssertion(<http://example.com/owl/families/hasDaughter>
<http://example.com/owl/families/Bill> <http://example.com/owl/families/Susan>)
Declaration(Class(<http://example.com/owl/families/Adult>))
EquivalentClasses(<http://example.com/owl/families/Adult> <http://example.org
/otherOntologies/families/Grownup>)
Declaration(Class(<http://example.com/owl/families/ChildlessPerson>))
EquivalentClasses(<http://example.com/owl/families/ChildlessPerson>
```





### Conclusion

- STTL Transformation Language for RDF
- Based on SPARQL
- XSLT like

#### TP

Navigateur hypertexte HTML pour le Web de données