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This document is part of the paper “ \mathcal{ELKG}_{app} : An Approach to Represent Multi-dimensional MK in the Web of Data”. It presents the matching algorithm which is used in the paper.

1 Algorithm

Algorithm 1 Transform RDF Reification data into ELKG data

Input: Input file containing dataset in the RDF Reification format.
Output: Output file containing dataset in the form of $\text{pred}:[\text{sub}, \text{obj}, \text{uid1}, \text{uid2}]$ and $\text{uid1}:[C, t, t_s, t_e]$

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1: procedure CREATE A DICTIONARY CONTAINING A KEY AS PREDICATE AND OTHER RELATED INFORMATION AS VALUES
2:   Read RDF Reification dataset as  $\mathcal{GR}$ 
3:   for triples  $\in \mathcal{GR}$  do  $\triangleright$  number varies according to MK. We consider that three dimensions of MK are
   present
4:     if predicate == rdf:subject then
5:       store object position as sub and subject position as uid1
6:     end if
7:     if predicate == rdf:object then
8:       store object position as obj
9:     end if
10:    if predicate == rdf:predicate then
11:      store object position as pred
12:    end if
13:    if the predicate != rdf:subject and predicate != rdf:object and predicate != rdf:predicate and predicate
    != source MK predicate then
14:      if the predicate == truth value MK predicate then
15:        store object position as  $C$ 
16:      end if
17:      if the predicate != truth value MK predicate then
18:        if predicate == time MK predicate then
19:          store object position as  $t$ 
20:        end if
21:        if predicate != time MK predicate then
22:          if predicate == time interval MK predicate then
23:            store the object position of triple as  $t_s$  and store object position of the next triple as  $t_e$ 
24:          end if
25:          if predicate != time interval MK predicate then
26:            if predicate == source MK predicate then
27:              store object position as mobj and store predicate position as mpred
28:            end if
29:          end if
30:        end if
31:      end if
32:    end if
33:    Store triples in DATA  $\leftarrow$  predicate_dictionary and statement_id dictionary. predicate_dictionary as
    {pred:[sub, obj, uid1, uid2], mpred:[uid1, mobj, uid3, uid4]}, statement_id dictionary as uid1:[ $C, t, t_s, t_e$ ]  $\triangleright$ 
    uid2 and uid4 values should be null if there is no nested MK
34:  end for
35:  Call Creation of Compressed file with predicate_dictionary and statement_id dictionary
36: end procedure
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Algorithm 2 Creation of the compression_file, of the decompression_file, and of the dictionaries

Input: Input file DATA containing pred:[sub, obj, uid1, uid2], uid1:[mkv1, mkv2, mkv31, mkv32]
Output: Compressed and Decompressed dictionary files and distinct predicate (pred) dictionary files.

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1: procedure CREATE THE COMPRESSION_FILE, THE DECOMPRESSION_FILE AND THE CREATE_DICTS FILES
2:   Initialization: a variable (counter) to 90000. Create two dictionaries; One for the compression file, and
   another for the decompression file
3:   Read DATA
4:   for each pred in DATA do
5:     Check
6:     if sub is new then
7:       Replace sub with counter value and add sub:counter in compression_file dict.
8:       Add counter:sub in decompression_file dict.
9:     end if
10:    if pred is new then
11:      pred:pred in compression_file dict
12:      Add pred:pred in decompression_file dict.
13:    end if
14:    if obj is new then
15:      Replace obj with counter value and add obj:counter in compression_file dict.
16:      Add counter:obj in decompression_file dict.
17:    end if
18:    if uid1 is new then
19:      Replace uid1 with counter value and add uid1:counter in compression_file dict.
20:      Add counter:uid1 in decompression_file dict.
21:    end if
22:    if uid2 is new then
23:      Replace uid2 with counter value and add uid2:counter in compression_file dict.
24:      Add counter:uid2 in decompression_file dict.
25:    end if
26:    Append to sub, obj, uid1, mkv1, mkv2, mkv31, mkv32, param4 and uid2 dictionaries.
27:  end for
28:  Write compression_file
29:  Write decompression_file.
30:  Write the pred dictionaries with the compression value to a unique file dictionary_<pred> along with uid1
   and uid2 in the form of pred:[sub, obj, uid1, mkv1, mkv2, mkv31, mkv32, uid2].
31: end procedure
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Algorithm 3 Query processing

Input: compression_file, decompression_file and pred-dictionaries files
Output: Result as per query, stored in comma-separated values format.

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1: procedure PROCESS_QUERIES
2:   Display choice selection MENU:
3:   for Insertion do
4:     Read query pattern.
5:     Create pred dictionaries for the given query pattern.
6:     Open dictionary file corresponding to the entered pred.
7:     if File exist then
8:       Append query pattern into the file
9:     else Create a new dictionary file for pred and append into it.
10:    end if
11:  end for
12:  for Search do
13:    Read query.
14:    Compress query by loading compression_file.
15:    Replace given sub, obj with their compression values.
16:    Sort queries:
17:    for each pred in query do
18:      Read dictionary_<pred>
19:      Assign aweight to pred by the length of dictionary_<pred>
20:    end for
21:    Call bubble_sort() with weights.
22:    After sorting Call Process_query()
23:  end for
24:  for ASK query do
25:    All the steps shown in the search are the same.
26:    Except here no need to decompress the result dictionary.
27:    Check result dictionary
28:    if non-empty - Display YES then
29:      else empty - Display NO
30:    end if
31:  end for
32: end procedure
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Algorithm 4 Process_query

Input: Dataset and query read by Algorithm 3
Output: The result of query.

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1: procedure EXECUTE_QUERIES
2:   Display choice selection MENU;
3:   for each query pattern in query do
4:     call matching_function(query pattern)
5:   end for
6:   Preparing display:
7:   for each variable associated with SELECT line do
8:     if variable is in result dictionary then
9:       Check yes or no
10:      if yes then
11:        copy result dictionary for the query pattern.
12:      end if
13:      if no then
14:        skip.
15:      end if
16:    end if
17:  end for
18:  Return the result to search() function.
19:  Read decompression_file for decompressing result dictionary.
20:  for each parameter in result dictionary do
21:    Replace parameters with their decompression value.
22:  end for
23:  Display result.
24: end procedure
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Algorithm 5 matching_function

Input: line send by Algorithm 4 .
Output: Result send back to Algorithm 4 .

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1: procedure EXECUTE_QUERY_PATTERN_CONTAINING_QUERY
2:   for each query pattern do
3:     if sub is variable, obj is variable then.
4:       if sub variable is new then
5:         Append the contents of sub_dict of result dictionary with that of sub_dict of
          current dictionary. And Add variable to list in vars['sub']
6:       end if
7:       if sub is variable and is previously encountered then
8:         Find the position of previous encounter and select the associated_dictionary.
9:         for each key in associated_dictionary do
10:          if key exists in current dictionary's sub_dict then
11:            Make union of current dictionary's sub_dict[key] and result dictionary's
              associated_dictionary[key].
12:          end if
13:          if key not found in sub_dict of current dictionary then
14:            Delete the key from associated_dictionary of result dictionary.
15:          end if
16:        end for
17:      end if
18:      if obj variable is new then
19:        Append the contents of obj_dict of result dictionary with that of obj_dict of
          current dictionary. Add variable to list in vars['obj']
20:      end if
21:      if obj is variable and is previously encountered then
22:        Find the position of previous encounter and select the associated_dictionary.
23:        for each key in associated_dictionary do
24:          if key exists in current dictionary's obj_dict then
25:            Make union of current dictionary's obj_dict[key] and result dictionary's
              associated_dictionary[key].
26:          end if
27:          if key not found in obj_dict of current dictionary then
28:            Delete the key from associated_dictionary of result dictionary.
29:          end if
30:        end for
31:      end if
32:    end if
33:  end for
34: end procedure
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35:         if sub is given, obj is variable then
36:             Keep the matching given sub in result dictionary's sub_dict.
37:             for each non_matching key in sub_dict do
38:                 Remove sub from obj_dict of result dictionary.
39:                 Remove obj from uid_dict of result dictionary.
40:             end for
41:             Remove the non_matching keys.
42:             if obj variable is new then
43:                 Append the contents of obj_dict of result dictionary with that of obj_dict of
current dictionary and add variable to list in vars['obj']
44:             end if
45:             if obj is variable and is previously encountered then
46:                 Find the position of previous encounter and select the associated_dictionary.
47:                 for each key in associated_dictionary do
48:                     if key exists in current dictionary's obj_dict then
49:                         Make union of current dictionary's obj_dict[key] and result dictionary's
associated_dictionary[key].
50:                         Store it as value of associated_dictionary[key].
51:                     end if
52:                     if key not found in obj_dict of current dictionary then
53:                         Delete the key from associated_dictionary of result dictionary.
54:                     end if
55:                 end for
56:             end if
57:         end if
58:         if sub is variable, obj is given then
59:             Keep the matching given obj in result dictionary's sub-dict.
60:             for each non-matching key in obj-dict do
61:                 Remove sub from sub-dict of result dictionary.
62:                 Remove obj from uid-dict of result dictionary.
63:             end for
64:             Remove the non-matching obj keys.
65:             if sub variable is new then
66:                 Append the contents of sub-dict of result dictionary with that of sub-dict of
current dictionary.
67:                 Add variable to list in vars['sub']
68:             end if
69:             if sub is variable and is previously encountered then
70:                 Find the position of previous encounter.
71:                 Previously at sub, obj or uid position, select the associated_dictionary.
72:                 for each key in associated_dictionary do
73:                     if key exists in current table's sub-dict then
74:                         Make union of current dictionary's sub-dict[key] and result table's associ-
ated_dictionary[key].
75:                         Store it as value of associated_dictionary[key].
76:                     end if
77:                     if key not found in sub-dict of current dictionary then
78:                         Delete the key from associated_dictionary of result dictionary.
79:                     end if
80:                 end for
81:             end if
82:         end if
83:         if sub is given, obj is given then
84:             Keep the matching given obj in result dictionary's sub-dict.
85:             for each non-matching key in obj-dict do
86:                 Remove sub from sub-dict of result dictionary.
87:                 Remove obj from uid-dict of result dictionary.
88:             end for
89:             Remove the non-matching keys.
90:             Keep the matching given sub in result dictionary's sub-dict.
91:             for each non-matching key in sub-dict do
92:                 Remove sub from obj-dict of result dictionary.
93:                 Remove obj from uid-dict of result dictionary.
94:             end for
95:             Remove the non-matching keys.
96:         end if
97:         Start UID1 processing.
98:         if UID is variable in user query then check:
99:             if UID variable is new then
100:                 Append the contents of uid-dict of result dictionary with that of uid-dict of
current dictionary.
101:                 Add variable to list in vars['uid']
102:             end if
103:             if UID is variable and is previously encountered then
104:                 Find the position of previous encounter.
105:                 Previously at sub, obj or uid position, select the associated_dictionary.
106:                 for each key in associated_dictionary do
107:                     if key exists in current table's uid-dict then
108:                         Make union of current dictionary's uid-dict[key] and result table's asso-
ciated_dictionary[key].
109:                         Store it as value of associated_dictionary[key].
110:                     end if
111:                     if key not found in uid-dict of current dictionary then
112:                         Delete the key from associated_dictionary of result dictionary.
113:                     end if
114:                 end for
115:             end if
116:         end if

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117:      if UID1 is given then
118:          Keep the matching given UID in result dictionary's uid-dict.
119:      for each non-matching key in uid-dict do
120:          Remove sub from sub-dict of result dictionary.
121:          Remove obj from obj-dict of result dictionary.
122:      end for
123:      Remove the non-matching keys.
124:  end if
125:  Predicate parameters processing.
126:  for each parameter do
127:      if parameter is variable then
128:          Check if parameter is new OR Check if parameter matches with previous pa-
parameter variables and match
129:      end if
130:      if parameter is given then
131:          Match given parameter accordingly with result table.
132:      end if
133:      if parameter is not required then
134:          No processing required.
135:      end if
136:  end for
137:  Start UID2 processing.
138:  if UID2 is variable then
139:      Check if UID2 is new OR
140:      Check if UID2 matches with previous variables and match accordingly
141:  end if
142:  if UID2 is given then
143:      Match given UID2 with result table
144:  end if
145:  end for
146: end procedure

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