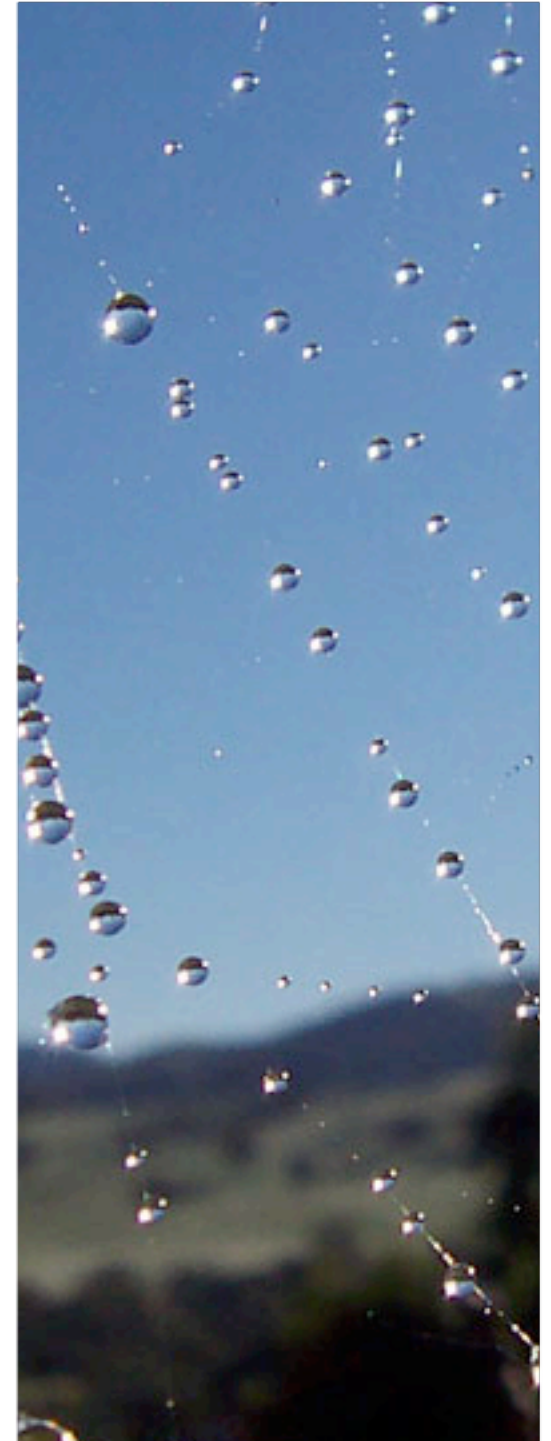# Exploring the Semantic Web with Kowari

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- ▶ Over 12 years of software development experience

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- ▶ Kowari Committer

Agenda

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- ▶ The Web So Far

- ▶ Semantic Web

- ▶ Kowari

- ▶ Other SemWeb Tools

- ▶ Related Non-Semantic Web Technologies

- ▶ The Future

- ▶ References

The Web So Far

What We Like About the Web 菩薩

▶ Global data store

▶ Universal Addressability

▶ Common Transports

▶ Common Structured/Presentation Formats

▶ Search

▶ Web Services

▶ Anyone can publish

What Still Isn't Right

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- ▶ Mixture of Content and Presentation

- ▶ People Can't Agree On Anything!

- ▶ Information Overload

- ▶ Search Could Be Better

- ▶ Web Services are difficult to manage in a global and orchestrated way

- ▶ Seriously, **ANYONE** can publish!

Google Is Just the Beginning 菩薩

▶ How comfortable would you be letting your child use the Internet to find information about Louisa May Alcott's "Little Women"?

▶ Keyword search has its limits: "tank"

Screen-Scraping Stinks

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▶ What does this mean? What happens when the presentation changes?

```
<html>
  <body>
    <table>
      <tr><th>Product</th><th>Price</th></tr>
      <tr><td>Book</td><td>13.00</td>
      <tr><td>CD</td><td>16.00</td>
    </table>
  </body>
</html>
```

(cue RDF/GRDDL theme music)

Network Effects Rule!

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- Metcalfe's Law Lives : *"The value of a network equals approximately the square of the numbers of users of the system."*

- We're good on numbers, we just need to capture what is there

  - What's wrong with sites like Orkut, Friendster, tribe.net?

    (cue FOAF theme music)

The Semantic Web

History

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- Tim Berners-Lee (TBL) had a vision that surpassed where we are today

  - Talked about "Semantic Web" in a few slides back in 1994 at 1st WWW Conference

- *"The Semantic Web is specifically a web of machine-readable information whose meaning is well-defined by standards: it absolutely needs the interoperable infrastructure that only global standard protocols can provide" -- from the foreword to "Spinning the Semantic Web"*

Syntax vs Semantics

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- ▶ XML provides a syntax for web documents

    - ▶ "Format"

    - ▶ Must agree upon semantics upfront

- ▶ We still need something to represent concepts

    - ▶ "Meaning"

Requirements for the Semantic Web

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- ▶ Ability to address arbitrary web resources, concepts, people, organizations

- ▶ Formal languages to express facts and relationships in common formats

- ▶ Ability to encode shared conceptualizations around communities and domains of interest

- ▶ Ability to map between shared conceptualizations

- ▶ Ability to discover implicit relationships

Classes/Concepts

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- Example

  - A computer is a thing; a person is a thing

  - A Software Engineer is a person with one or more computers

  - A Mac is a subclass of computer with a property "creator"="Apple"

  - A Mac User is a person with one or more Macs

  - Brian is a Software Engineer

  - Brian is a Mac User

Class Statements

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- Example

  - **A computer is a thing; a person is a thing**

  - **A Software Engineer is a person with one or more computers**

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  - **A Mac User is a person with one or more Macs**

  - Brian is a Software Engineer

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Instance Statements

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- ▶ Example

  - ▶ A computer is a thing; a person is a thing

  - ▶ A Software Engineer is a person with one or more computers

  - ▶ A Mac is a subclass of computer with a property "creator"="Apple"

  - ▶ A Mac User is a person with a property with one or more Macs

  - ▶ **Brian is a Software Engineer**

  - ▶ **Brian is a Mac User**

Inference

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- ▶ Example

  - ▶ A computer is a thing; a person is a thing

  - ▶ A Software Engineer is a person with one or more computers

  - ▶ A Mac is a subclass of computer with a property "creator"="Apple"

  - ▶ A Mac User is a person with one or more Macs

  - ▶ Brian is a Software Engineer

  - ▶ Brian is a Mac User

  What can we conclude?

Mapping Classes

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- ▶ Example

  - ▶ A computer is a thing; a person is a thing

  - ▶ A Software Engineer is a person with one or more computers

  - ▶ A Mac is a subclass of computer with a property "creator"="Apple"

  - ▶ A Mac User is a person with one or more Macs

  - ▶ **A Programmer is the same thing as a Software Engineer**

  - ▶ **Steve is a Programmer**

    What can we conclude?

SemWeb vs. semweb

▶ Famous debate about the scope of the vision

▶ Top-Down: Visionaries

  ▶ "Computer, find me anything about anything."

▶ Bottom-Up: Doers

  ▶ "Browser, find me images tagged as being about dogs."
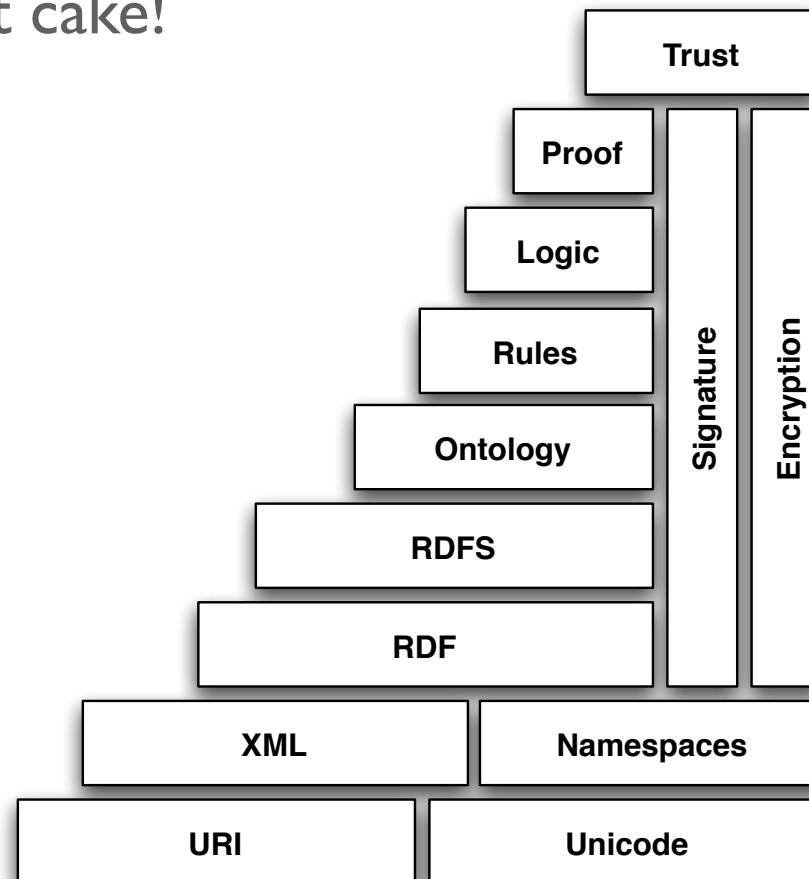
Where are the semantics?

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- ▶ *"The problem is not that there are no semantics, the problem is that the semantics is hidden in software components." --Stefan Decker*

▶ Goal is to move away from stove pipes and push the meaning out of the software into the data

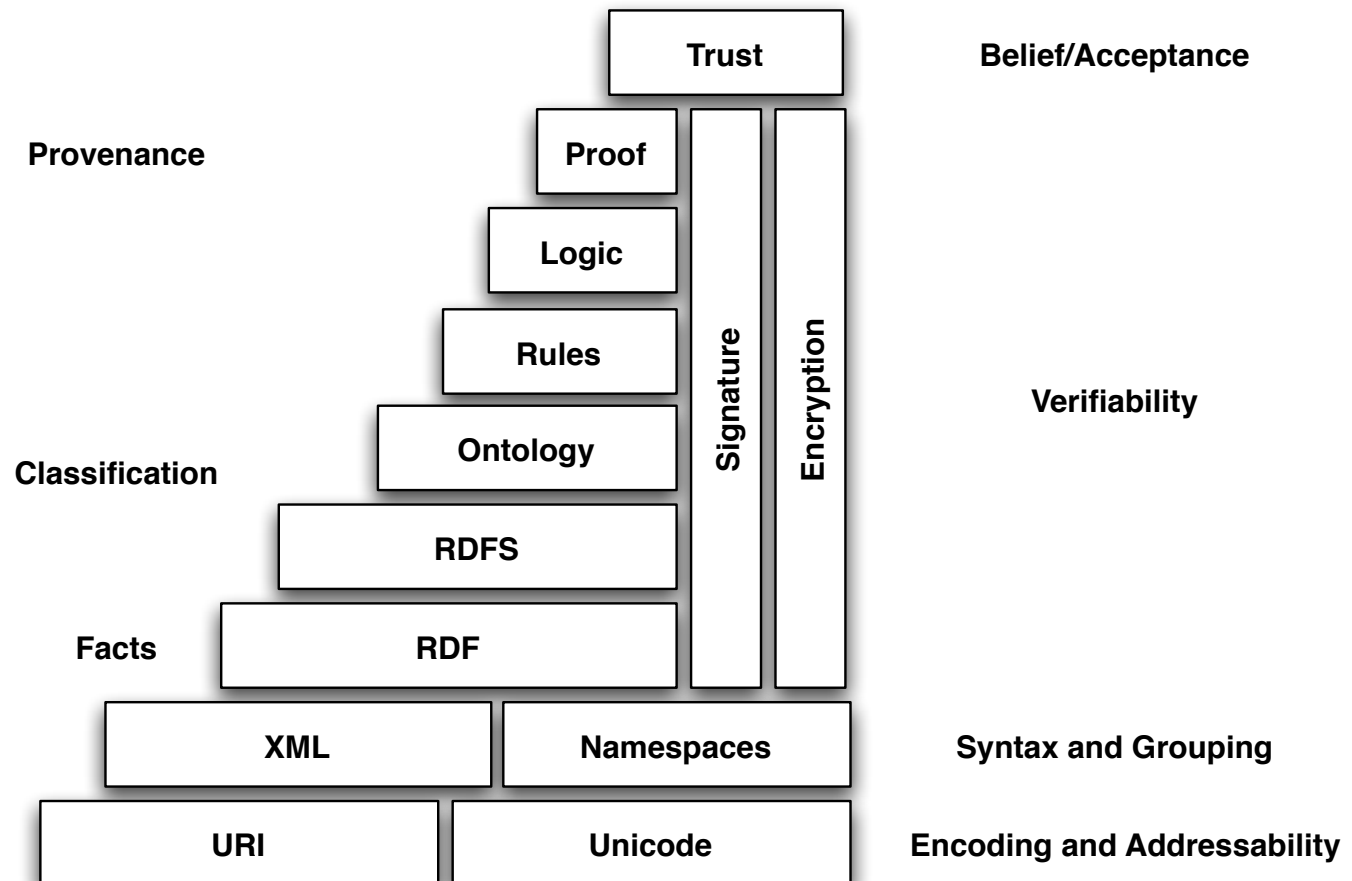 ▶ Increases the potential for integration by maintaining meaning out of context

Technologies
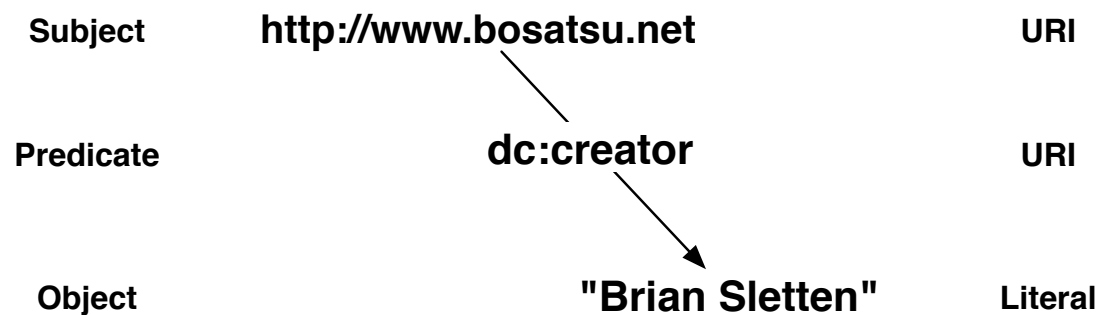
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▶ Let them eat cake!

Technologies

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RDF

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- Resource Description Framework

- W3C Recommendation

- Specification for a graph metamodel to comment on web resources (or anything)

- Uses a triple form

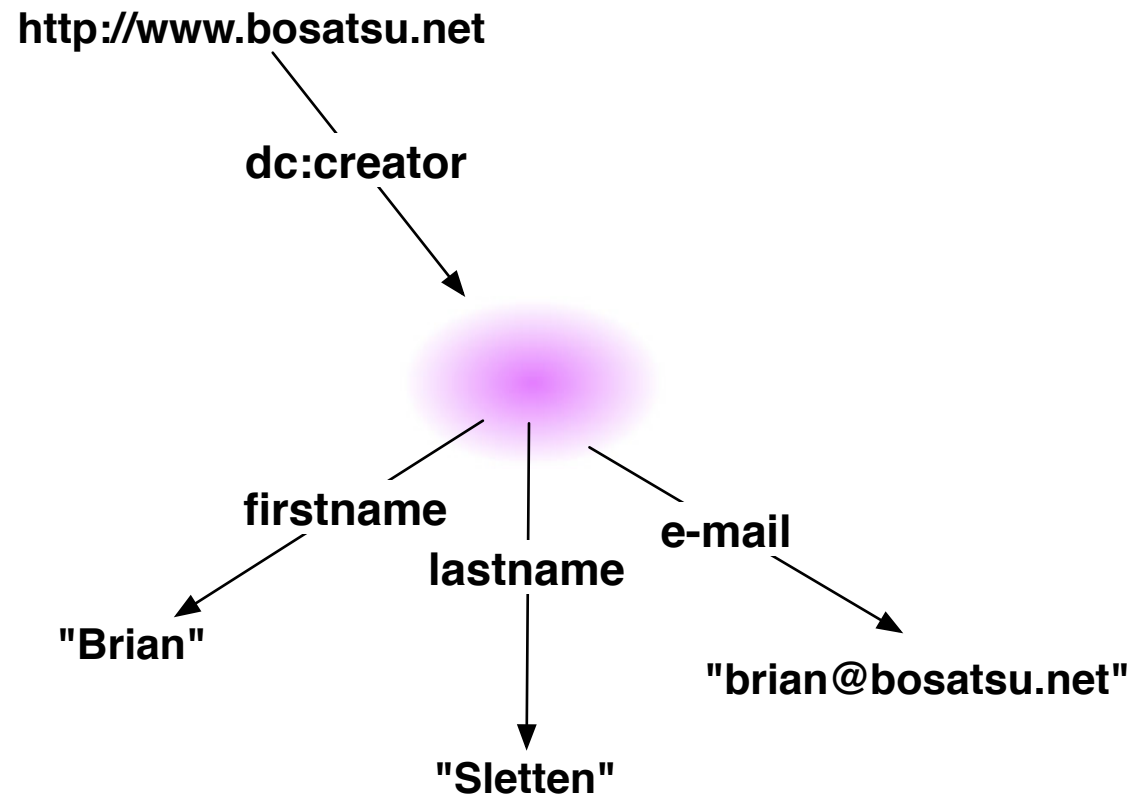| Subject	Predicate	Object
http://www.bosatsu.net	dc:creator	"Brian Sletten"

RDF

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- ▶ RDF objects can be URIs or literals (strings or XSD datatypes)

- ▶ Subjects can be blank nodes or URIS

- ▶ Predicates can only be URIs

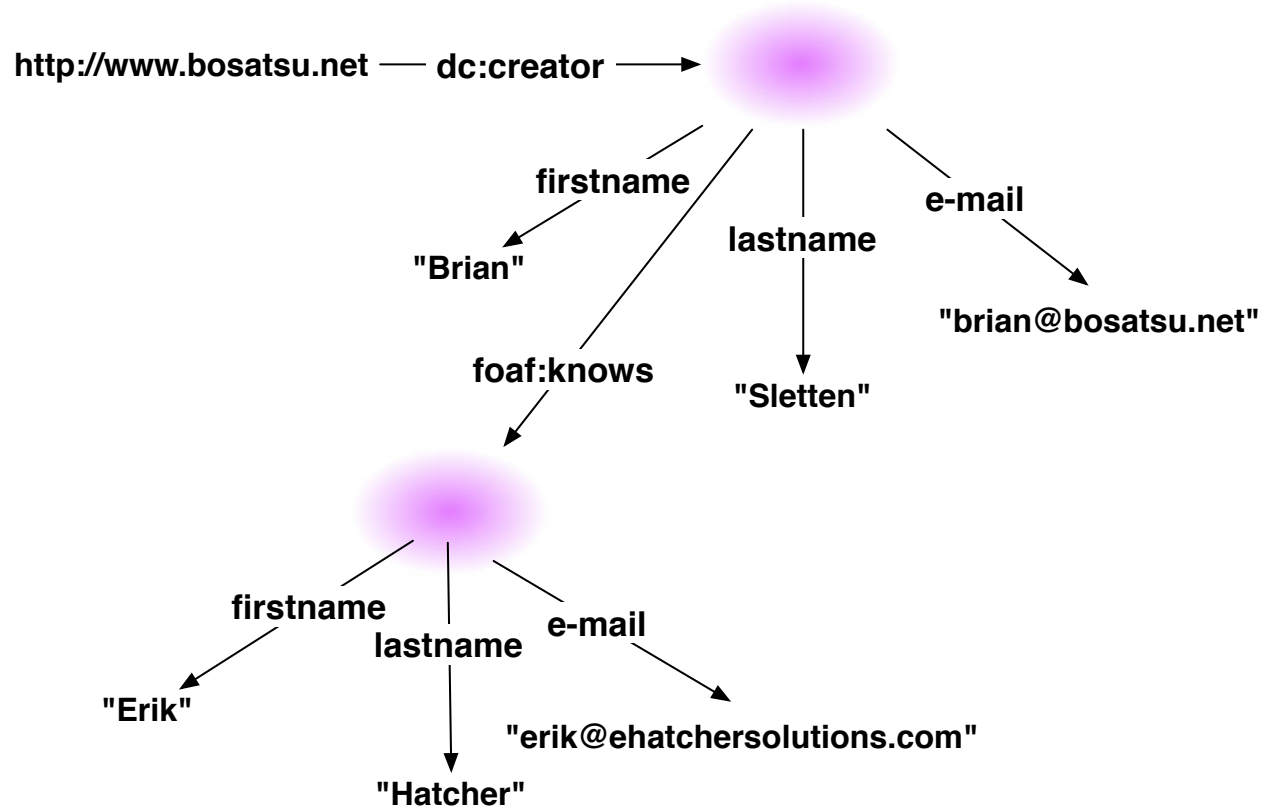- ▶ Objects may be URIs, literals or unnamed blank nodes

Subject	http://www.bosatsu.net	URI
Predicate	dc:creator	URI
Object	"Brian Sletten"	Literal

RDF Graphs

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http://www.bosatsu.net

dc:creator

firstname

lastname

e-mail

"Brian"

"Sletten"

"brian@bosatsu.net"

RDF Graphs (cont)

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http://www.bosatsu.net — dc:creator ——▶ ( )

firstname

"Brian"

lastname

e-mail

"Sletten"

"brian@bosatsu.net"

foaf:knows

( )

firstname

lastname

e-mail

"Erik"

"Hatcher"

"erik@ehatchersolutions.com"

RDF Formats

```
#XML
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>

<rdf:RDF xmlns:dc="http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/"
    xmlns:rdf="http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#">
     <rdf:Description rdf:about="http://www.bosatsu.net">
     <dc:creator>Brian Sletten</dc:creator>
     </rdf:Description>
</rdf:RDF>
```

```
#NTriples
<http://www.bosatsu.net> <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator> "Brian Sletten" .
```

```
#N3
@prefix dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/> .
@prefix rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#> .
<http://www.bosatsu.net>      dc:creator "Brian Sletten" .
```

http://www.mindswap.org/2002/rdfconvert/

rdf:ID vs rdf:about

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- ▶ `rdf:ID` **introduces a new resource**

- ▶ `rdf:about` **adds statements about existing resources**

```
<rdf:Description rdf:about="http://www.bosatsu.net">
  <dc:creator>Brian Sletten</dc:creator>
</rdf>
```

RDF Examples

Sample RDF Vocabularies

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- ▶ Dublin Core

- ▶ FOAF

- ▶ DOAP

- ▶ MusicBrainz

- ▶ WordNet

RDFS

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- A specification for describing vocabularies via RDF

- W3C Recommendation

- Introduces

  - Class/Concept and Property definitions

  - Class/Concept and Property inheritance hierarchies

  - Domain and range restrictions for properties

Classes and Properties

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- Class

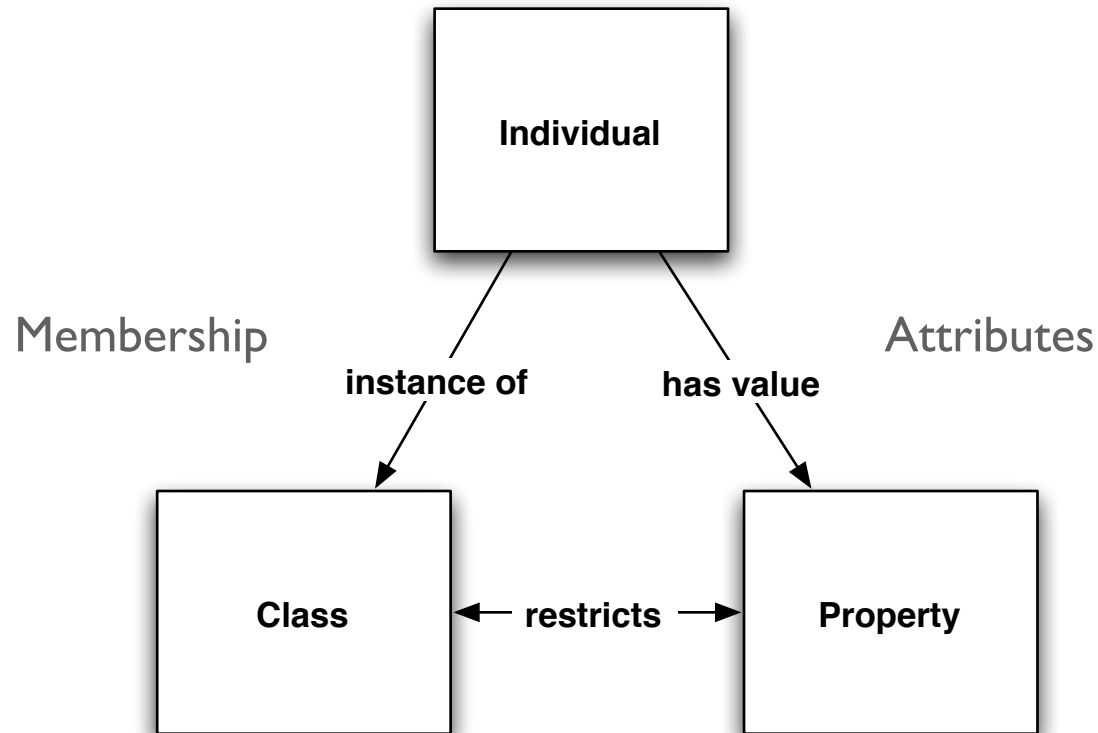 - A Set of instances with common properties

    - Explicit properties are stated

    - Implicit properties are inherited based on other relationships

- Property

  - A binary relationship relating an object instance to a value

Classes, Properties and Instances

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Based on a diagram from [Lacey2005]

rdf:type

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▶ Introduce instances of classes

▶ Individuals can belong to multiple classes

```
<rdf:Description rdf:ID="http://www.bosatsu.net">
  <rdf:type rdf:resource="#webPage" />
</rdf>
```
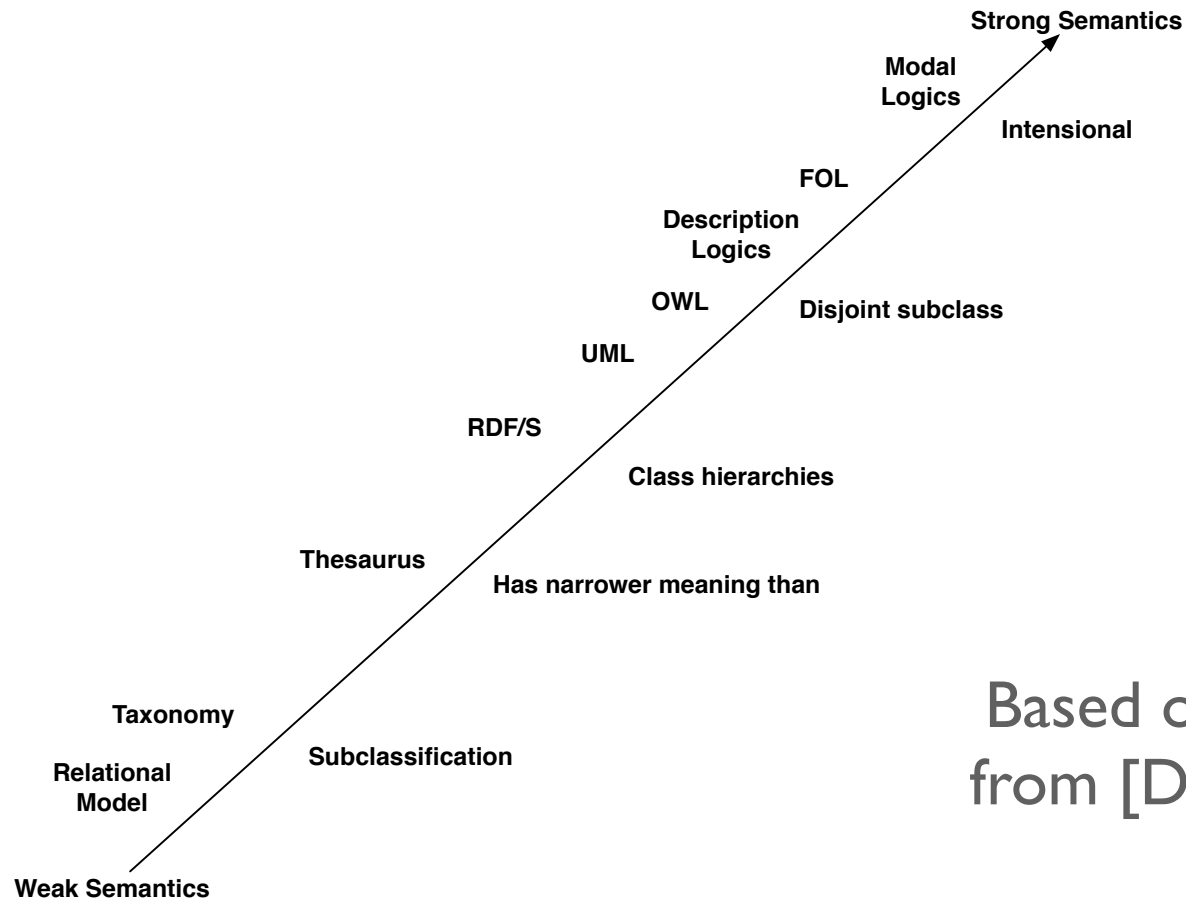
Typed Literals

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- ▶ Syntactic Convenience

```
<rdf:Description rdf:ID="http://www.bosatsu.net">
  <rdf:type rdf:resource="#webPage" />
</rdf>
```

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```
<webPage rdf:ID="http://www.bosatsu.net">
...
</webPage>
```

Language Expressivity

▶ The more expressive a language is, the more complicated it can be to reason about the language semantics

▶ Quickly get into theoretical computer science and decidability

▶ We want to strike a balance between being able to say interesting things and being able to get answers back before t→∞

Semantic Strength in Modeling Languages

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Strong Semantics

Modal Logics

Intensional

FOL

Description Logics

OWL

Disjoint subclass

UML

RDF/S

Class hierarchies

Thesaurus

Has narrower meaning than

Taxonomy

Subclassification

Relational Model

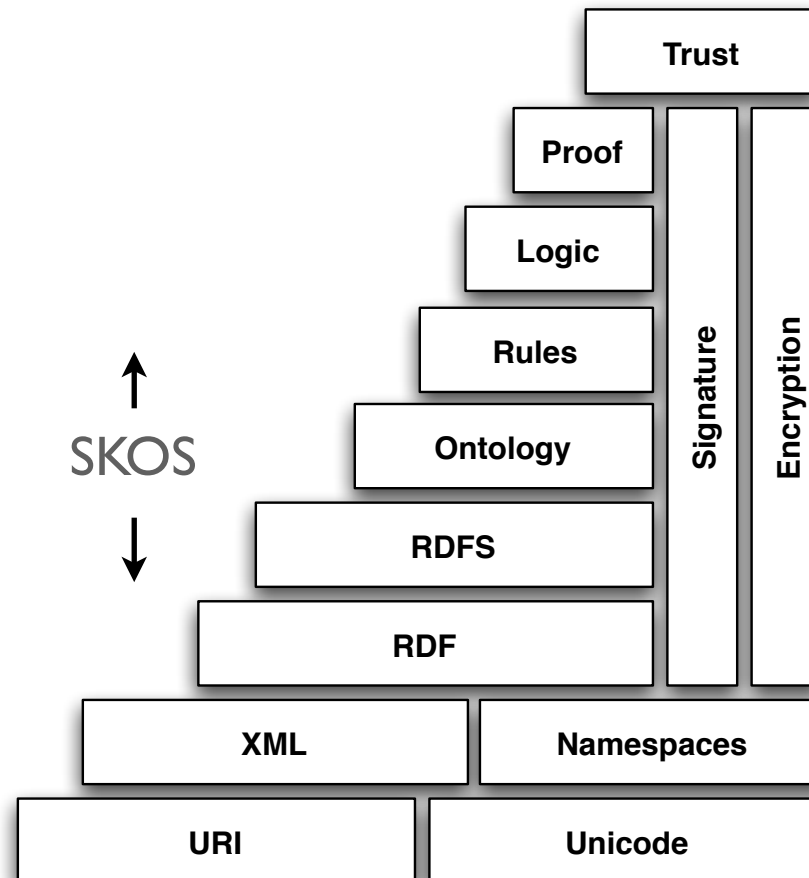Weak Semantics

Based on a diagram from [Daconta2003]

SKOS

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- ▶ Simple Knowledge Organization System (SKOS)

- ▶ W3C Working Draft (Recommendation in 2006)

- ▶ RDFS++/OWL Lite Lite

- ▶ Used to specify particular 'concept schemes' as RDF graphs
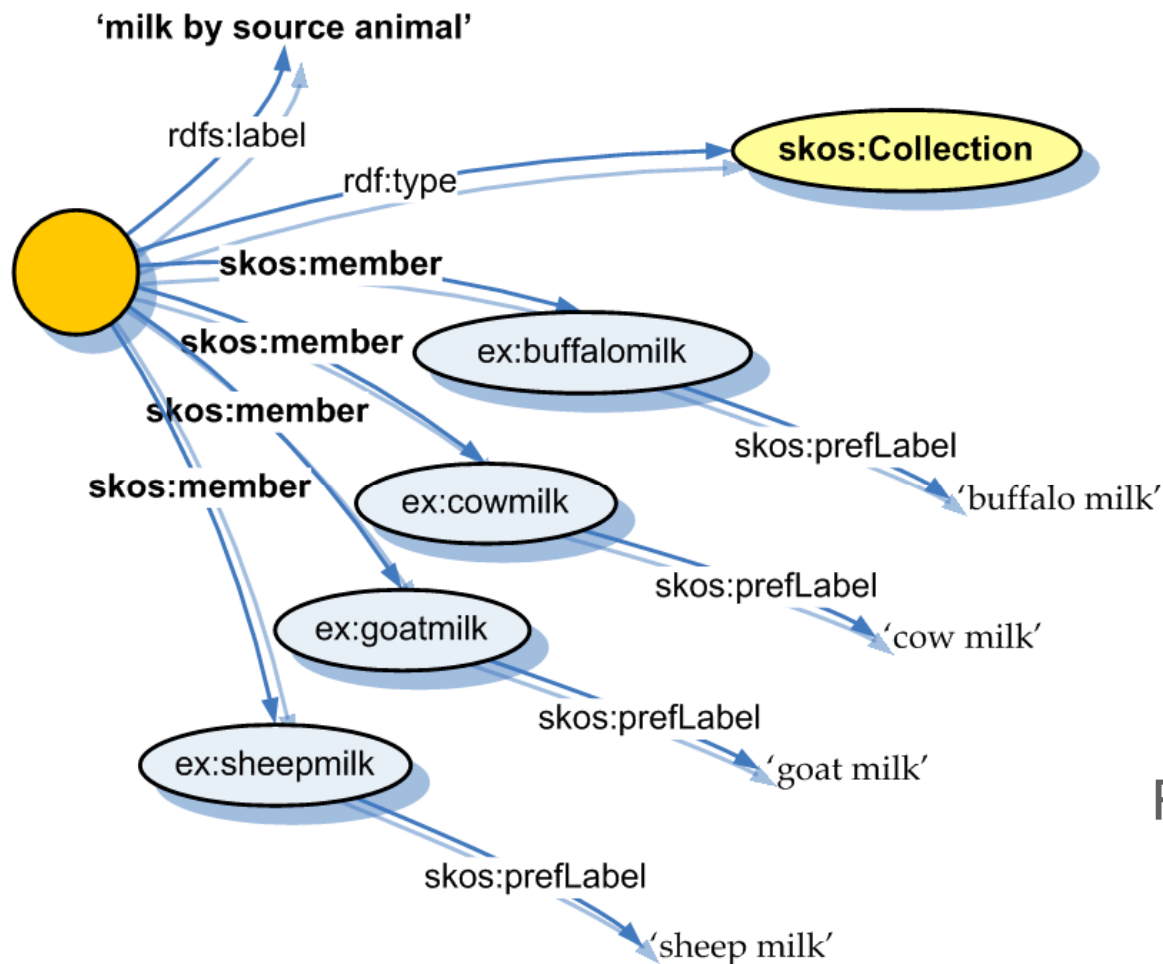
Where SKOS Fits

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Concept Schemes

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- ▶ Thesauri

- ▶ Taxonomies

- ▶ Subject Headers
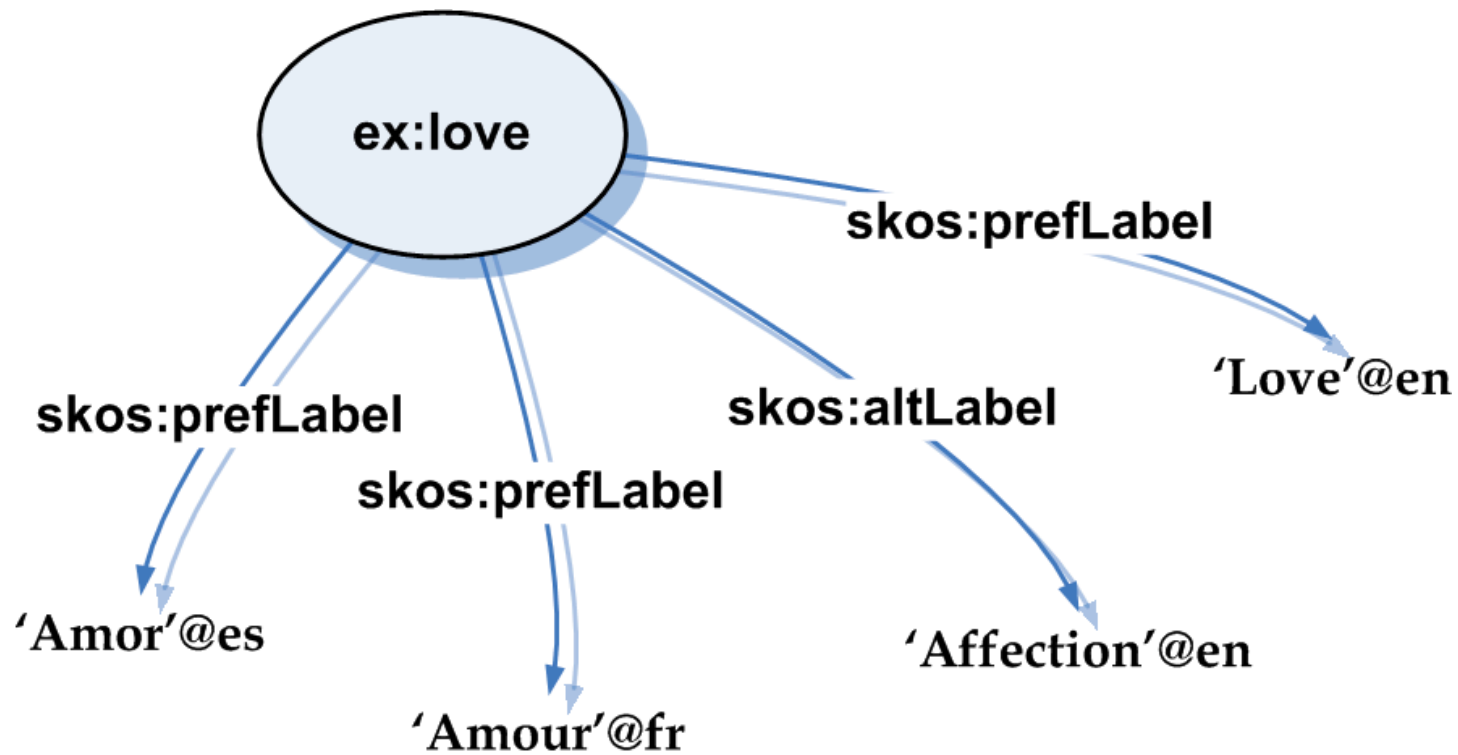
- ▶ Controlled Vocabularies

SKOS Example

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'milk by source animal'

rdfs:label

rdf:type

skos:Collection

skos:member

skos:member   ex:buffalomilk

skos:member

skos:member   ex:cowmilk

ex:goatmilk

ex:sheepmilk

skos:prefLabel   'buffalo milk'

skos:prefLabel   'cow milk'

skos:prefLabel   'goat milk'

skos:prefLabel   'sheep milk'

Picture Courtesy of
Alistair Miles

SKOS Example

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OWL

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- Web Ontology Language (OWL)

- W3C Recommendation

- Designed to support different levels of expression with different computational requirements

  - OWL Lite

  - OWL DL

  - OWL Full

OWL Metadata

▶ `owl:Ontology`

▶ `owl:versionInfo`

▶ `owl:priorVersion`

▶ `owl:backwardCompatibleWith`

▶ `owl:incompatibleWith`

▶ `owl:DeprecatedClass/owl:DeprecatedProperty`

▶ `owl:imports`

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Predefined OWL Classes

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- `owl:Thing`

  - Superclass of all classes

- `owl:Nothing`

  - Subclass of all classes

OWL Lite

▸ Allows class definitions and properties from RDFS

  ▸ `rdfs:subClassOf, owl:objectProperty, owl:datatypeProperty`

▸ Domain and range qualification

  ▸ `owl:domain, owl:range`

▸ Basic quantifier expressions

  ▸ `owl:allValuesFrom, owl:someValuesFrom`

▸ Only supports cardinality restrictions of 0 or 1

OWL Properties

▶ Subclasses rdf:Property

▶ `owl:DatatypeProperty (instance->data type)`

▶ `owl:ObjectProperty (instance->individual)`

▶ `owl:AnnotationProperty`

  ▶ `rdfs:label, rdfs:comment, rdfs:isDefinedBy`

▶ `owl:OntologyProperty`

OWL DL

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- Builds on OWL Lite features

- Based on Description Logics

  - A family of knowledge representation languages to formally describe the terminological knowledge of an application domain*

- Allows arbitrary cardinality restrictions

(*Thanks to Wikipedia for a concise way to describe Description Logics!)

OWL DL (cont)

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- Class definition based on property values

  - `owl:hasValue`

- Class expressions via boolean combinators

  - `owl:unionOf, owl:intersectionOf, owl:complementOf`

- Class enumeration and disjunction

  - `owl:oneOf, owl:disjointWith`

OWL Full

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▶ Builds on OWL DL

▶ Classes can be treated as instances

▶ Inverse functional properties

▶ Undecidable but useful given the "Open World" assumption about the Web

OWL Property Restrictions

- `owl:FunctionalProperty`

  - Only one value per individual (reasoner hint)

- `owl:InverseFunctionalProperty`

  - Relates two properties

- `owl:equivalentProperty`

  - Equates two properties

OWL Property Restrictions (cont)

▶ `owl:TransitiveProperty`

  ▶ Allows inference by following the transitivity

▶ `owl:SymmetricProperty`

  ▶ An object property that simplifies expression

Kowari

What's a Kowari?

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History

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- Scalable open source RDF triplestore database

- Originally created by Tucana Technologies as the core of their Tucana Knowledge Server (TKS) triplestore database

- Northrop Grumman bought the TKS assets in 2005 and will continue to support the commercial and open source development

Kowari Features

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- ▶ 100% Java with native RDF support

- ▶ SQL-like Query language (moving toward SPARQL support)

- ▶ Can be embedded or standalone

- ▶ Multiple transports

- ▶ Plug-in Resolver architecture

- ▶ Integration with Lucene for full-text search

- ▶ Simple inference capabilities
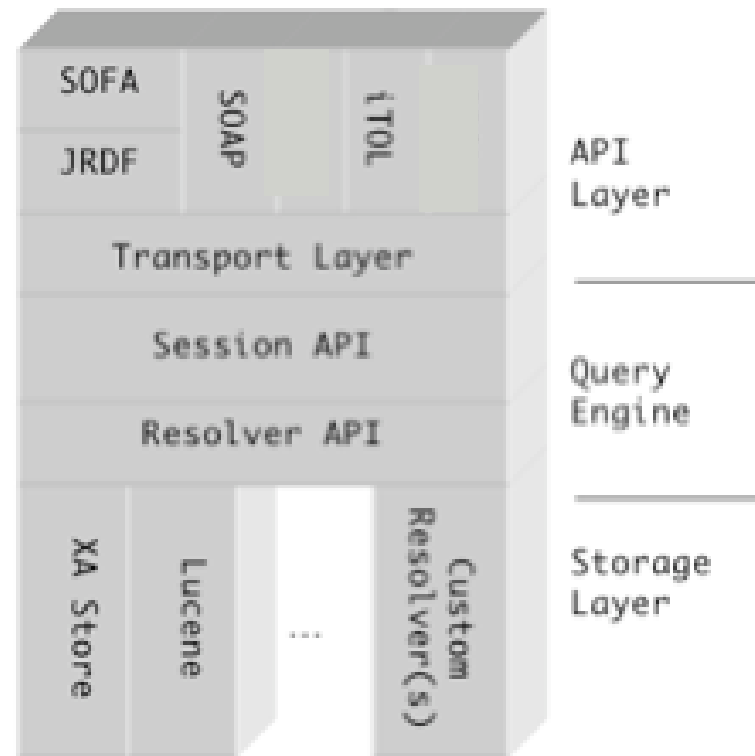
Why Not an RDBMS?

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- Semantic Web stack is based on RDF triples

- Generalized RDBMSes could certainly store RDF, but the tables would end up very long

- Kowari is optimized for storing triples

- Complex, dynamic data and complex queries don't fit RDBMes as well

Complexity of Queries
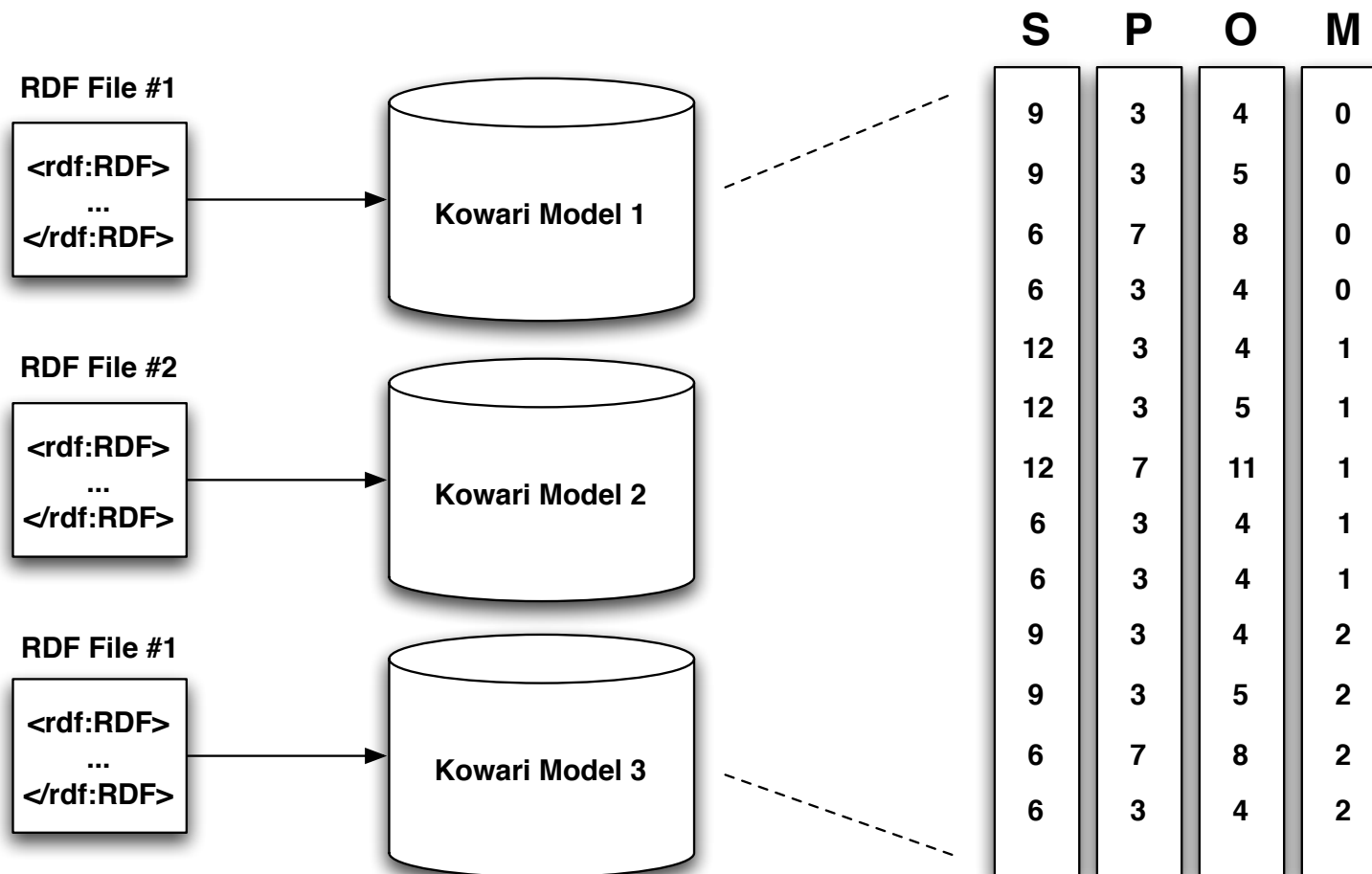
Relational Model

Directed Graph Model

Hierarchy

Object Model

Complexity of Data
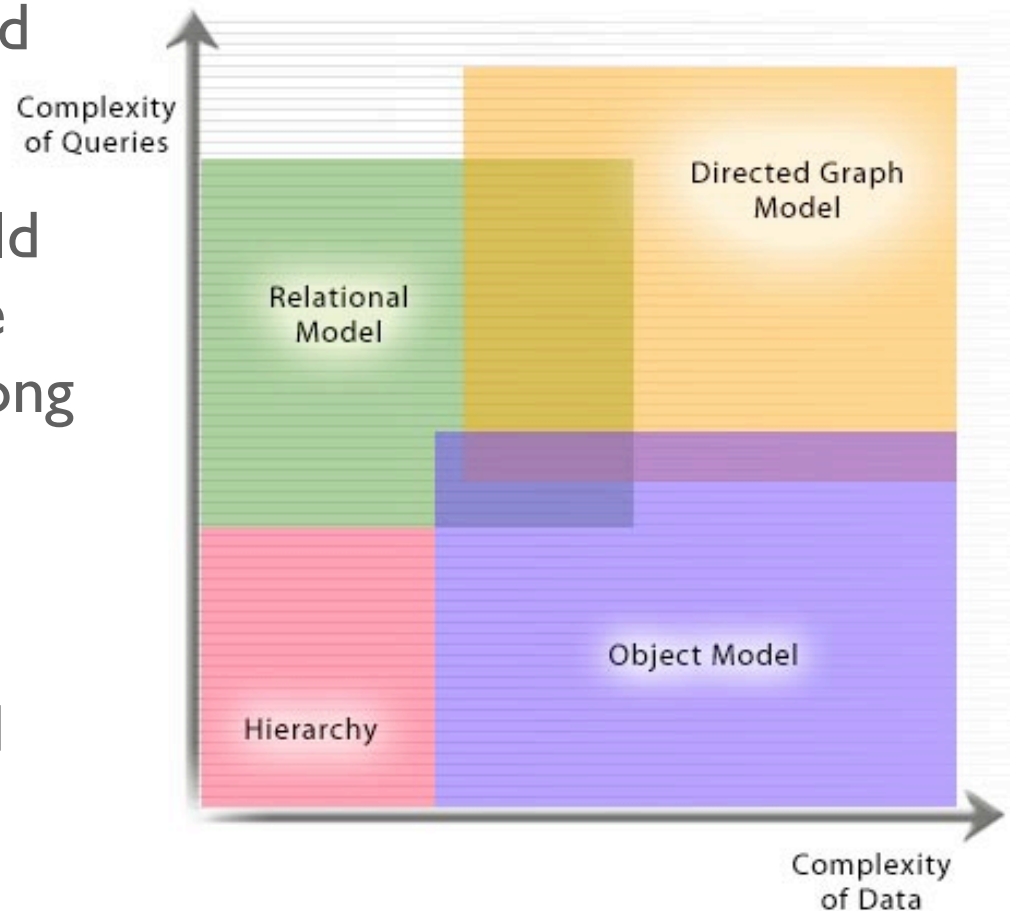
Kowari Architecture

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(Thanks to Dave Wood for the previous two images)

Kowari Storage

RDF File #1

```
<rdf:RDF>
...
</rdf:RDF>
```

→ Kowari Model 1

RDF File #2

```
<rdf:RDF>
...
</rdf:RDF>
```

→ Kowari Model 2

RDF File #1

```
<rdf:RDF>
...
</rdf:RDF>
```

→ Kowari Model 3

S	P	O	M
9	3	4	0
9	3	5	0
6	7	8	0
6	3	4	0
12	3	4	1
12	3	5	1
12	7	11	1
6	3	4	1
6	3	4	1
9	3	4	2
9	3	5	2
6	7	8	2
6	3	4	2

Starting Kowari

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```
Harpua:/usr/local/workspaces/kowari-pmn/kowari-1.1 brian$ java -jar dist/kowari-1.1.0.jar
Kowari Metadata Store Version 1.1.0 (Build v1.1.0.214)
 INFO [main] (EmbeddedKowariServer.java:736) - RMI Registry started automatically on port
1099
0 [main] INFO org.kowari.server.EmbeddedKowariServer  - RMI Registry started
automatically on port 1099
 INFO [main] (EmbeddedKowariServer.java:785) - java.security.policy set to jar:file:/usr/
local/workspaces/kowari-pmn/kowari-1.1/dist/kowari-1.1.0.jar!/conf/kowari-rmi.policy
35 [main] INFO org.kowari.server.EmbeddedKowariServer  - java.security.policy set to
jar:file:/usr/local/workspaces/kowari-pmn/kowari-1.1/dist/kowari-1.1.0.jar!/conf/kowari-
rmi.policy
2005-10-25 23:21:56,613 INFO  Database - Host name aliases for this server are:
[localhost, Harpua.local, 127.0.0.1, 10.0.0.5]
2005-10-25 23:22:12,406 INFO  EmbeddedKowariServer - Successfully started Kowari server
at rmi://10.0.0.5/server1 in directory /usr/local/workspaces/kowari-pmn/kowari-1.1/
server1
2005-10-25 23:22:12,408 INFO  EmbeddedKowariServer -

Typing Ctrl-C in this console or killing this process id will shutdown this server
```

Starting iTQL Shell

Harpua:/usr/local/workspaces/kowari-pmn/kowari-1.1 brian$ **java -jar dist/itql-1.1.0.jar**

Kowari Webui

Creating Models

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Host name   Model name

```
create <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
```

Transport   Server
Instance

(2 queries, 0.698 seconds)
Query Executed:
create <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
Result Message:
Successfully created model rmi://10.0.0.5/server1#nofluffjuststuff

Inserting Statements

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Query Executed:
insert <http://www.bosatsu.net> <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator> 'Brian Sletten'
   into <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
Result Message:
Successfully inserted statements into rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff

Query Executed:
insert <http://www.bosatsu.net> <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/description>
'Bosatsu Consulting,Inc. Homepage' into <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
Result Message:
Successfully inserted statements into rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff

Query Executed:
insert <http://www.bosatsu.net> <ns:managedBy> <http://www.hunttech.net>
into <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
Result Message:
Successfully inserted statements into rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff

Querying Model

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Query Executed: select $s $p $o from <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff> where $s $p $o;

s	p	o
http://www.bosatsu.net	http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator	"Brian Sletten"
http://www.bosatsu.net	http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/description	"Bosatsu Consulting,Inc. Homepage"
http://www.bosatsu.net	ns:managedBy	http://www.hunttech.net

```
iTQL> select $s $p $o from <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>
where $s $p $o;
[ http://www.bosatsu.net, http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/creator,
"Brian Sletten" ]
[ http://www.bosatsu.net, http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/
description, "Bosatsu Consulting,Inc. Homepage" ]
[ http://www.bosatsu.net, ns:managedBy, http://www.hunttech.net ]
3 rows returned.
```

Loading From a File/URL

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Query Executed:
load <file:/Users/brian/Documents/Personal/brian.rdf> into <rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff>;
Result Message:
Successfully loaded 73 statements from file:/Users/brian/Documents/Personal/brian.rdf into rmi://localhost/server1#nofluffjuststuff

Query Executed:
create <rmi://localhost/server1#slashdot>;
Result Message:
Successfully created model rmi://10.0.0.5/server1#slashdot
Query Executed:
load <http://slashdot.org/index.rss> into <rmi://localhost/server1#slashdot>;
Result Message:
Successfully loaded 156 statements from http://slashdot.org/index.rss into rmi://localhost/server1#slashdot

More Complicated Queries

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```
select <variable list> from <model> where <constraint expression>;

select $title $link $description from <rmi://10.0.0.5/server1#slashdot> where
$article <http://purl.org/rss/1.0/title> $title and $article <http://purl.org/
rss/1.0/link> $link and $article <http://purl.org/rss/1.0/description>
$description;
```

title	link	description
"Slashdot"	"http://slashdot.org/"	"News for nerds, stuff that matters"
"Remote Control for Humans?"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1430"	"FatMacDaddy writes \"The SFGate is reporting on a remote c
"Google and Oregon Launch Open Source Initiative"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1429"	"* * Beatles-Beatles tells us that Google is entering into a $35
"IBM Leads Team to Alleviate Data Storage Woes"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1428"	"Kailash Nadh writes to tell us ABC News is reporting that IBM
"Google Developing Database Service"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1427"	"QuantumT writes \"Ars Technica has the details on the unan
"Roadkill on the Convergence Highway"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1426"	"Duke Weber writes \"Microsoft sometimes gets it right after
"Google Summer of Code Results"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1425"	"Nattfodd writes \"Almost two months after the projects, dea
"The H-1B Swindle"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1424"	"An anonymous reader writes \"A new study shows that comp
"VeriSign To Control .com Domain Until 2012"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1423"	"DIY News wrote to mention a Reuters article reporting that V
"Building a Massive Single Volume Storage Solution?"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1422"	"An anonymous reader asks: \"I've been asked to build a mass
"Behind the Fight to Control the Internet"	"http://rss.slashdot.org/Slashdot/slashdot?m=1421"	"Carl Bialik from the WSJ writes \"The battle over control of

Resolver Example - MP3

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Query Executed: select $s $p $o from <file:/Users/brian/theone.mp3> where $s $p $o;

s	p	o
_node-2	http://musicbrainz.org/mm/mm-2.1#sortName	"The Stone Roses "
_node-2	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#uri	file:/Users/brian/theone.mp3
_node-2	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#title	"The Stone Roses "
_node-2	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#originalTitle	"This Is the One "
_node-2	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#comment	" "
_node-2	http://musicbrainz.org/mm/mm-2.1#trmid	"Unknown"
_node-2	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#releaseYear	"1990"
_node-2	http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#type	http://tucana.org/tucana/id3#MP3

Tucana Knowledge Server

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- ▶ Commercially-supported product based on Kowari

- ▶ Tucana Management Console

- ▶ Support for Distributed Queries

- ▶ `relate` **keyword**

- ▶ Model-level Security

SemWeb Tools

Jena/Joseki

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- Jena
  - Java-based API for reading and writing RDF
  - OWL API
  - In-Memory and persistent storage
- Joseki
  - RDF publishing server

Simile

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- Joint project between W3C and MIT

- Application of SemWeb technologies to DSpace digital repository for

  - digital assets

  - schemata

  - vocabularies

  - ontologies

Tupelo

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- ▶ Project at NCSA supported by NEES and OGCE

- ▶ RDF-OWL-based metadata and data archiving system

- ▶ Version and access control at the object-level

- ▶ Grid Service interfaces for metadata and data services

SWOOP

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- ▶ Ontology Editor from UMD MindSwap group

- ▶ GUI with ontology debugging support

- ▶ "Dave, your class definition subsumes nothing"
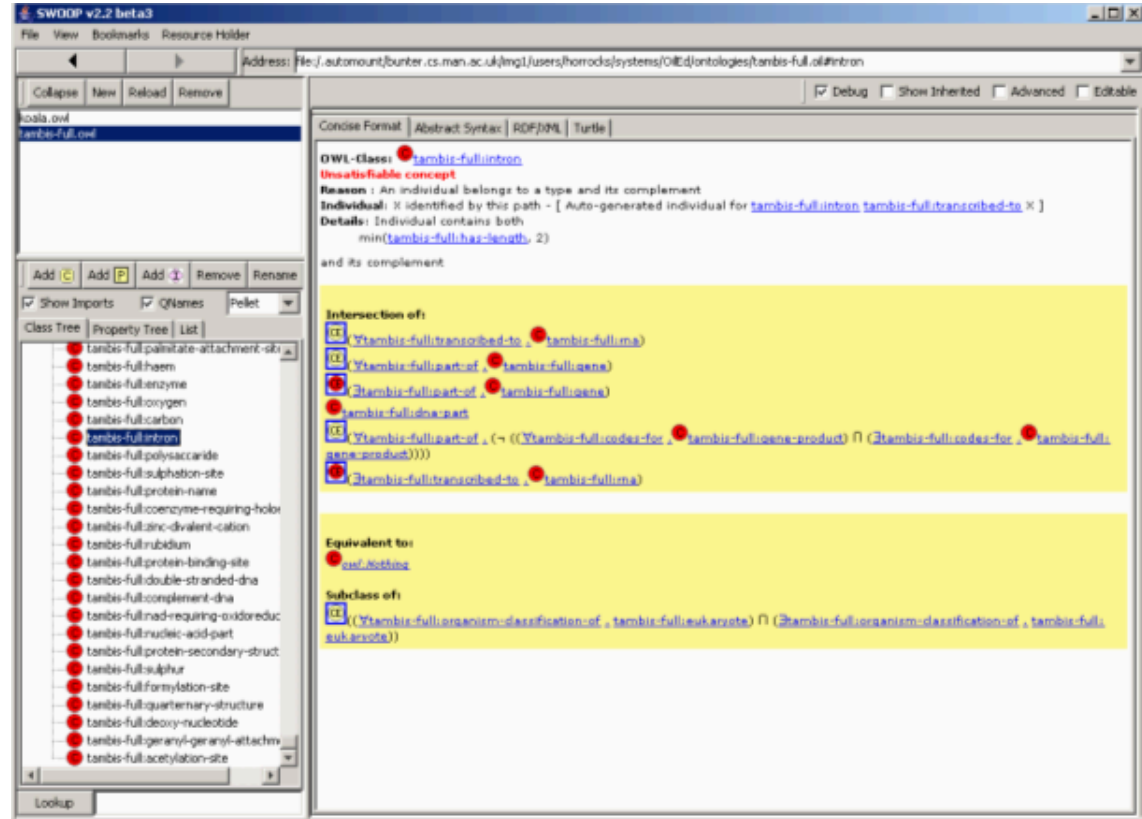
Related Non-SemWeb Technologies

New Applications (cont)

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▶ CNet has new ontology-driven "Big Picture" navigator

▶ Identifies related stories based on keywords and central concepts

Related Non-SemWeb Technologies (cont)

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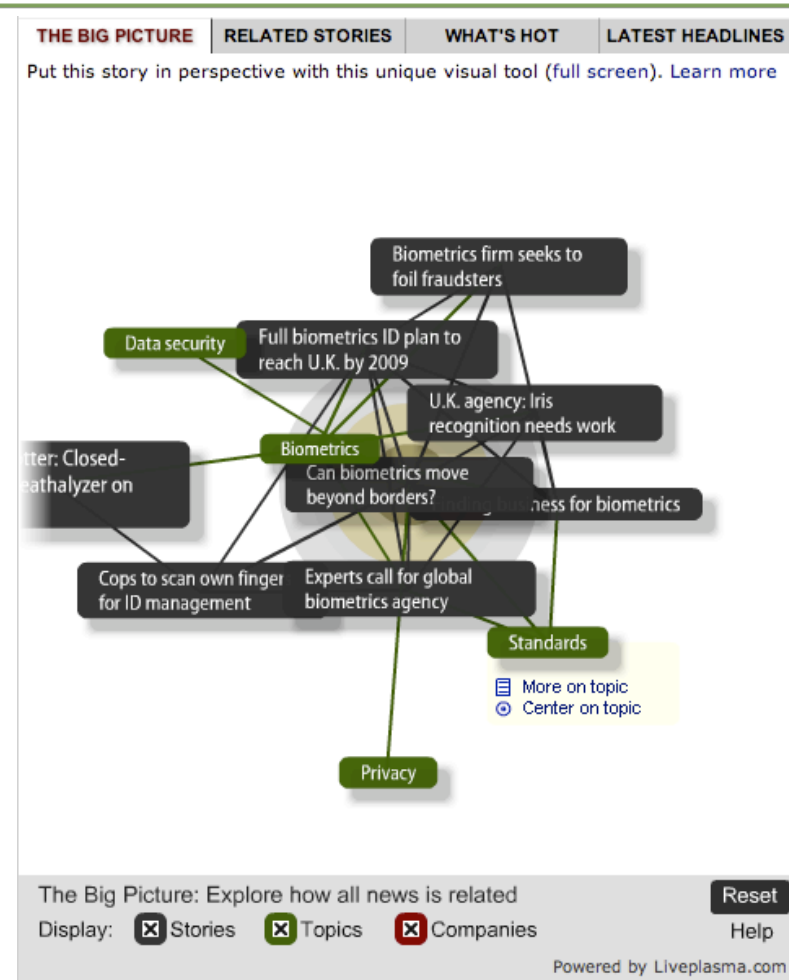
- del.icio.us

- Social bookmarks driven by decentralized user-tagging

Related Non-SemWeb Technologies (cont)

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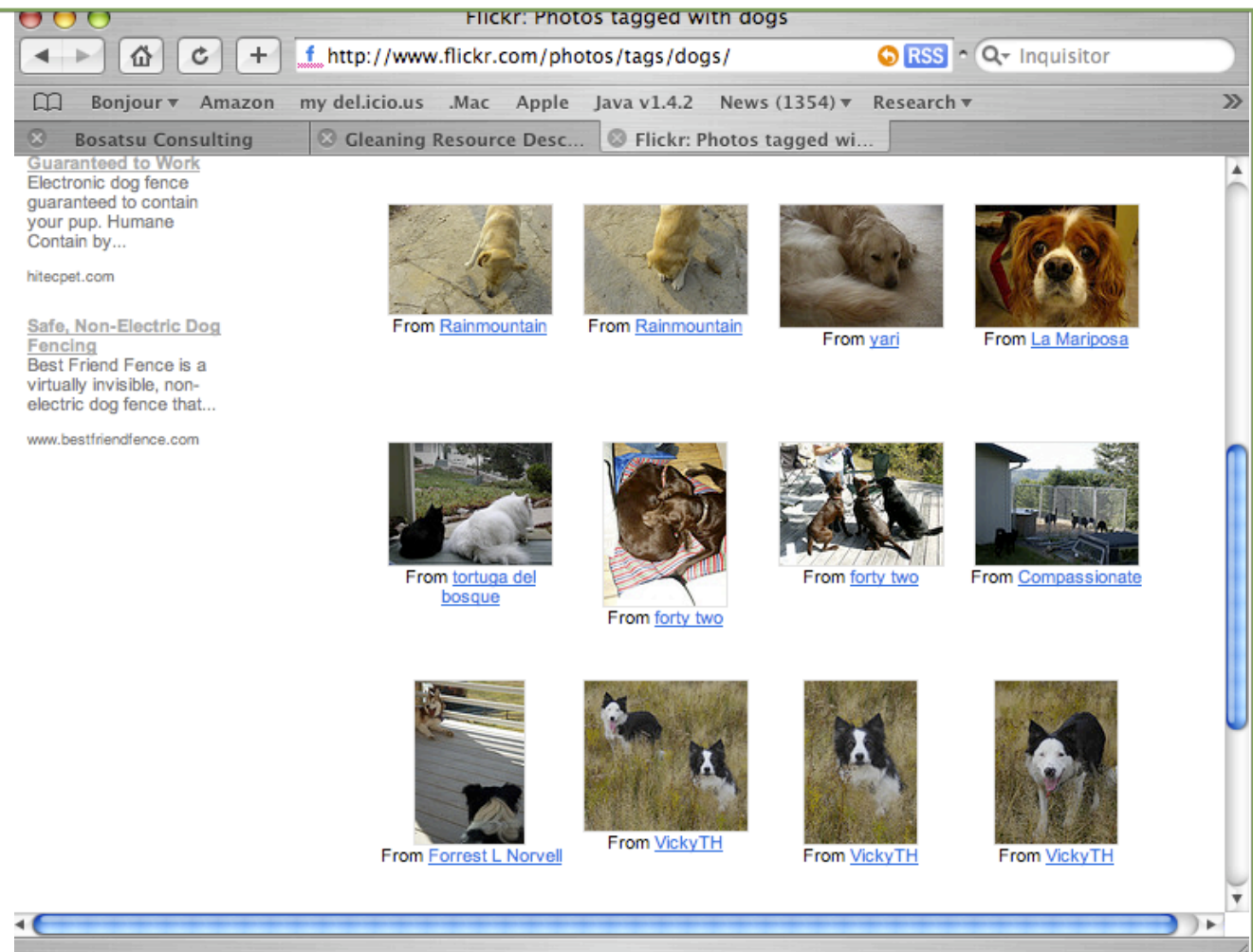- ▶ del.icio.us + RSS + PodCasts + iTunes = decentralized content feeds based on user-driven metadata tagging
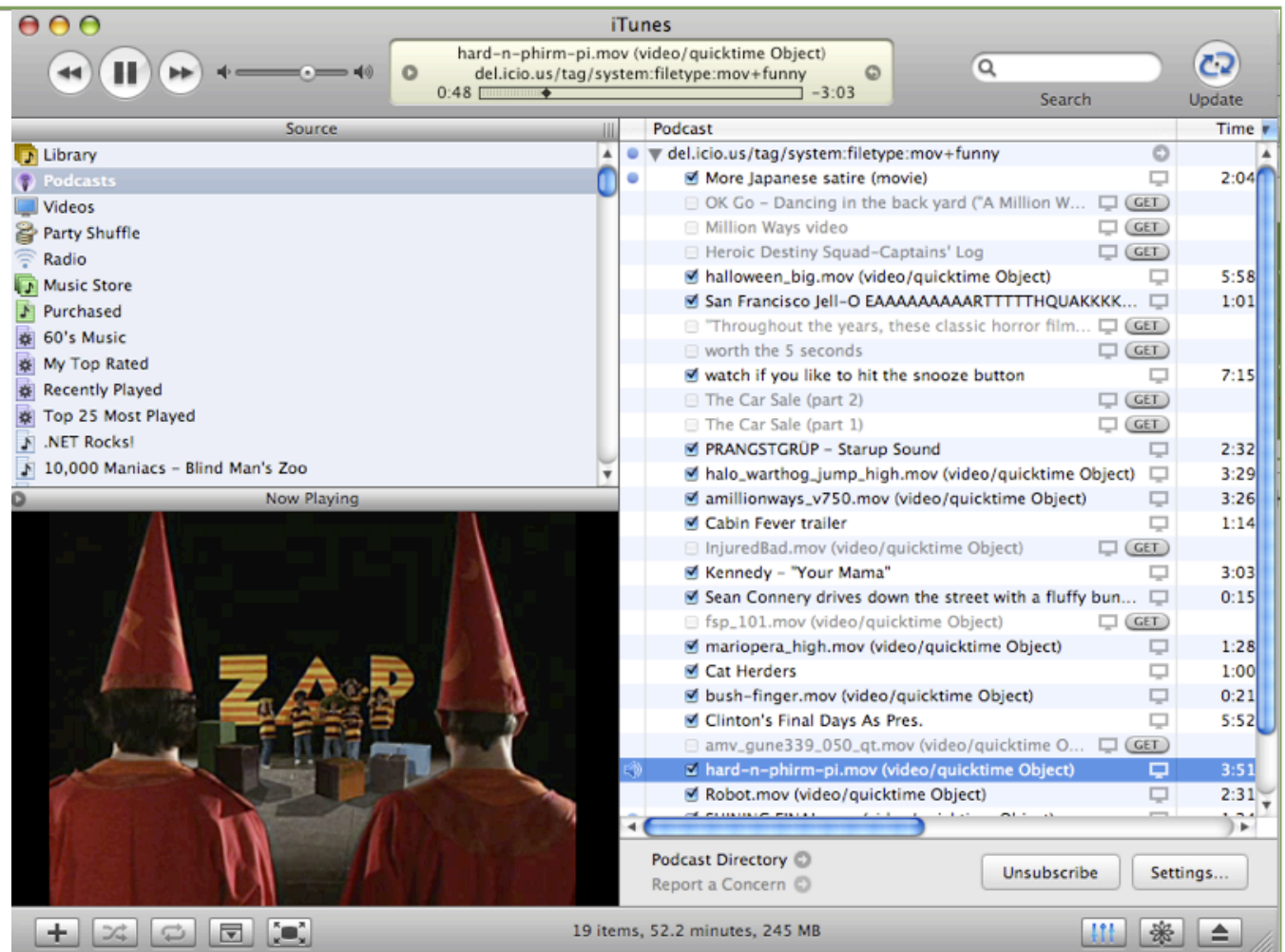
Related Non-SemWeb Technologies (cont)

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▶ Flickr : decentralized user-driven metadata tagging of photos

The Future

What's Ahead?

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- ▶ Interest is rising in SemWeb technologies!

- ▶ RDF and OWL are starting to show up in more places

- ▶ Altova just announced a SemWeb editing product

- ▶ Oracle is announcing SemWeb capabilities

- ▶ Yahoo and Google are hiring SemWeb personalities

- ▶ Web Services are calling out for semantics!

SemWeb Directions

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- One complaint is that no one wants to enter metadata

  - Oh yeah? MusicBrainz, Flickr, del.icio.us, etc.

  - Still we want to minimize the burden on humans to improve the web experience for computers

- Ontology editors will improve for better user experience

SemWeb Directions (cont)

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- ▶ Entity extraction will get better for automagic tagging

- ▶ Embedded RDF/OWL via languages like GRDDL

- ▶ Continued adoption of Doer technologies like FOAF/DOAP

- ▶ Web Service annotation with semantic markup for easier and richer orchestration

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RDFS	http://www.w3.org/TR/rdf-schema/
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FOAF	http://www.foaf-project.org/
DOAP	http://usefulinc.com/doap
Dublin Core	http://dublincore.org/
MusicBrainz	http://musicbrainz.org/
Examples	http://www.bosatsu.net/talks/SemWebExamples.zip

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Jena	http://jena.sourceforge.net/
Joseki	http://www.joseki.org/
Simile	http://simile.mit.edu
Tupelo	http://dlt.ncsa.uiuc.edu/wiki/index.php/Main_Page
SWOOP	http://www.mindswap.org/2004/SWOOP/

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