

Open Data in Practice

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Part I: Introduction to Open Data and Semantic Web

Let's organize a trip from Amsterdam to Aix-en-Provence using the Web!

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Vlucht: Amsterdam (Schiphol) - **Marseille** (Provence) - **Retour** **EUR 183,76**
per volwassene

Heenreis: ma 9 apr 12 13:55 Amsterdam (Schiphol) - 17:20 Marseille (Provence)
Terugreis: vr 20 apr 12 19:40 Marseille (Provence) - 21:05 Amsterdam (Schiphol)

Ticketvoorwaarden

Heenreis: Amsterdam - Marseille
Economy: Aantrekkelijke Economy Class-tarieven

- Wijzigen is toegestaan tegen een toeslag van EUR 50
- Annuleren is niet toegestaan
- Flying Blue-deelnemers sparen 312 Miles ([meer over Flying Blue](#))

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Terugreis: Marseille - Amsterdam

Economy: Aantrekkelijke Economy Class-tarieven

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Uw selectie

Gezocht

Van Amsterdam
(Schiphol)
Naar Marseille
(Provence)

1 volwassene
Economy

Geselecteerde data

Heenreis: ma 9 apr 12
Terugreis: vr 20 apr 12

Geselecteerde vluchten

Heenreis: 13:55 - 17:20
(3h25)
Terugreis: 19:40 - 21:35
(1h55)

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Votre vol aller : Amsterdam - Marseille

 Lundi 9 avril 2012

AF8281 - Economy

09:20

Amsterdam, Schiphol (AMS) - Pays Bas

11:20

Marseille, Provence (MRS) - France - Terminal 4

Effectué par : K L M

Classe de réservation : N

Appareil : Embraer 190

durée : 02h00mn Sans escale

Repas servi(s) à bord : Collation

Franchise : 1 bagage autorisé de 23 kg maximum

Votre vol retour : Marseille - Amsterdam

 Vendredi 20 avril 2012

AF8288 - Economy

19:40

Marseille, Provence (MRS) - France - Terminal 3

21:35

Amsterdam, Schiphol (AMS) - Pays Bas

Effectué par : K L M

Classe de réservation : R

Appareil : FOKKER70

durée : 01h55mn Sans escale

Repas servi(s) à bord : Collation

Franchise : 1 bagage autorisé de 23 kg maximum

Votre voyage

Votre vol aller

Amsterdam - Marseille

09/04/12 - 09:20

Votre vol retour

Marseille - Amsterdam

20/04/12 - 19:40

Passagers :

1 Adulte

Montant total : **188,24 €**

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1. Select the flight of your choice.
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Sorry, there are no available flights departing on the 09 April (Monday)
This may be because:

1. The flight you have chosen is full
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A luxury hotel



Arrival date **02/29/2012** Nights **1** Adults **1**

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The French grandeur moved to Aix-en-Provence

Under the light Cézanne once knew, the Villa Gallici Hotel 18th century Provencal house member of Relais at

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Hotel De France Aix En Provence, France

63 Rue Espariat
Aix En Provence, France
13100

Located in the heart of Aix en Provence, the Hotel de France will offer you all the pleasures of an old hotel, in a original district.

★★★★☆ **User Rating: 3.7** [Read 1 user review](#) [Write a review](#)

Property type: **Hotel** ★★ 27 guest rooms/units

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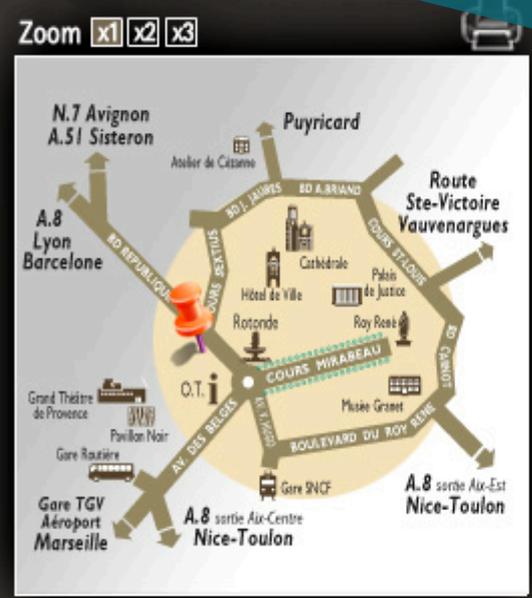
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RESERVATION EN LIGNE
DATE D'ARRIVEE
29 Février 2012

Quiétude, ambiance
Des chambres douces, spacieuses et lumineuses (de la single à la quadruple) idéales pour des nuits tranquilles. Cache décor épuré, confort, climatisation, téléphone direct, minibar, service.
Une fois le seuil de cette belle demeure passé, la vie aixoise s'offre à vous... A deux pas, le centre historique avec ses cafés et restaurants en terrasse, ses allées de platanes, le Grand Théâtre de Provence et Le Pavillon Noir (Ballet Preljocaj) qui vous plongent au cœur des plus grands festivals de danse et d'art lyrique.



Parking sur réservation par téléphone

OFFRES SPÉCIALES ACCÈS CONTACT

Of course, you could decide to trust a specialized site...



City, hotel name, etc. SEARCH

Aix-en-Provence Hotels

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Home > Europe > France > Provence > Bouches-du-Rhone > Aix-en-Provence > Aix-en-Provence Hotels

Aix-en-Provence Hotels

What style of hotel do you prefer?

- All Hotels (68)
- Best Value (6)
- Romantic (12)
- Family (12)
- Luxury (9)
- Business (7)
- Trendy (5)
- Vacation Rentals (25)
- B&Bs (29)

Check availability

Check-in
mm/dd/yyyy

Check-out
mm/dd/yyyy

Adults
2

Search

Special offers in Aix-en-Provence

- La Charlotte Aix en Provence** (5.0) Special offer Complimentary bottle of wine
- Hotel Cezanne** (4.5) Special offer 50% off room rate

Hotels travelers recommend

68 of 68 hotels shown

Sorted by Ranking List view Large map

La Maison d'Aix
\$402 - \$803*Ranked #1 of 68 hotels in Aix-en-Provence
5.0 (66 reviews)

Search by location

Search by address or point of interest

Larger map

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Viewed hotels

Aix Hotel (4.5) by 3 travelers

Refine search

Price per night

All (68)

\$0 - \$75 (14)



VIND JE REIS

Vertrek vanaf:
Amsterdam (en omgeving), Nederl

Naar:
Aix-en-Provence, Frankrijk

Heen: 9-4-2012 Terug: 20-4-2012

Ik heb slechts voor een deel van mijn reis een hotel nodig

Kamers
1

Volw. 2 Senioren 0 Kinderen 0

ZOEKEN NAAR REIZEN

30 Vlucht + Hotelreizen gevonden voor Aix-en-Provence

ma 9 apr - vr 20 apr, 2 tickets, 11 overnachtingen

SORTEREN OP: **De keuze van Expedia** Prijs Gastenbeoordeling Sterrenclassificatie



Kyriad Mas des Oliviers ★★★★★

Gebied: Aix-en-Provence | [Weergeven op kaart](#)
Kamertype: Standaardkamer, tweepersoons | [Kamer upgraden](#)
Inclusief: Gratis parkeren, Gratis draadloos internet

Verblijf 3 nachten en krijg de laatste nacht gratis!

2,9 van 5
8 beoordelingen

Vlucht (2-tickets) € 370
Hotel (11 overnachtingen) € 763
aanbieding € 554
Pakketvoordeel -€ 19
Totaal € 905

€453

Nog maar 2 reizen over voor deze prijs!

Per persoon, omvat vlucht + hotel, belastingen & toeslagen

SELECTEER & DOORGAAN



Amsterdam (AMS) 17:05 → Marseille (MRS) 19:00
Air France Vlucht 8289 verzorgd door KL /KLM CITYHOPPER FOR KLM ROYAL DU
Zonder tussenstop 1uur 55m



Marseille (MRS) 19:40 → Amsterdam (AMS) 21:35
Air France Vlucht 8288 verzorgd door KL /KLM CITYHOPPER FOR KLM ROYAL DU
Zonder tussenstop 1uur 55m

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Hotel Le Pignonnet ★★★★★

4,5 van 5

Vlucht (2-tickets) € 370

You may want to know something
about Aix-en-Provence:
look for some photographs...

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Everyone's Uploads

aix-en-provence

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Groups more...

- AIX EN PROVENCE !**
355 members | 3,083 photos
- Provence (France)**
2,426 members | 32,919 photos

Photographers more...

- RedCactus Poker**
See related photos
- ell brown - Birmingham, United Kingdom**
See related photos

Tag Clusters

- Photos with tags like **france, provence and aix**
- Photos with tags like **nuit, night and**

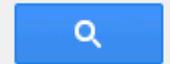
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Places more...



aix-en-provence



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Search

About 12,100,000 results (0.23 seconds)

SafeSearch



Everything

Related searches: [aix en provence france](#) [aix en provence fountains](#) [aix en provence map](#) [aix en provence market](#) [aix en provence cezanne](#)

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Aix-Photo.com

Aix-en-Provence Fontaines Jardins & Parcs Aix Moderne

Aix-en-Provence, le Vieil Aix



Aix —

(148 photos)

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Click a picture to see a larger view. You can navigate among pictures with the arrow keys or the explicit links.



These are mine... 😊



What happened?

- ▶ We had to consult a large number of sites, all different in style, purpose, possibly language...
- ▶ We had to mentally integrate all those information to achieve your goals
- ▶ We all know that, sometimes, this is a long and tedious process!

The real “meat” is the data!



- ▶ All those pages are only tips of respective icebergs:
 - the real data is hidden in databases, XML files, Excel sheets, ...
 - you only have access to what the Web page designers allow you to see

- ▶ Specialized sites (Expedia, TripAdvisor) do a bit more:
 - they gather and *combine data* from other sources (usually with the approval of the data owners)
 - but they still control how you see those sources
- ▶ But sometimes you want to personalize: access the original data and combine it yourself!

Another example: social sites. I have a list of “friends” by...

Filter Connections

Select: All, None

Tag

All Connections (565)

Tags Manage

- partners (227)
- colleagues (143)
- friends (41)
- group members (22)
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colleagues

Send message

Members: 143





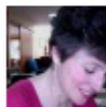
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- Friends**
- Subscriptions

Married to



Éva Bóka

Friends (359)



Janet Daly



Eyal Oren
Vrije Universiteit...



Reho White

Ivan Herman ▸ Friends

Search by name Type a friend's name



Ádám Veszteg

Pénzügyi vezető at For-Vid Kft

✓ Friends



Alain Mille

✓ Friends



Alan Ruttenberg

✓ Friends



Aldo Gangemi

Senior Researcher at C.N.R. - I.S.T.C.

✓ Friends



Alexander Falk

Works at Altova, Inc.

✓ Friends



Alexander Wahler

Works at Seekda

✓ Friends



Alexandre Bertails

Works at World Wide Web Consortium

✓ Friends



Alexandre Passant

CEO & Founder at Seevl

✓ Friends

Friend Requests

See all ✕



Johannes La Poutre

5 mutual friends

Confirm friend

Sponsored

✕



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Ivan Herm... 2 + Share

CREATE CIRCLE

Your circles (264)

- Friends
- Family
- General IT People
- W3C Team
- Semantic Web People
- Amsterdam
- More ▾

Have you in circles
Find people

Your circles (264)

Relevance ▾ More ▾ Type a name

+ Add a new person

Eva bóka
eva@eva-boka.na...

Christophe Guéret

Michael Hausenblas

Richard Ishida

M. Scott Marshall

Manu Sporny

Cameron Neylon

Michael Smith

The Semantic Web

Shelley Powers

Danny Ayers

Thomas Rössler

Web of Data

Julian Reschke

Drag people to your circles to follow and share

Drop here to create a circle

Friends
20

Family
1

General IT People
67

W3C Team
26

Semantic Web People

Amsterdam

CWI Team

IW3C2

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Ács Katalin

57 éves
Budapest

Andréka Béla

58 éves
Budapest

Balassa András

53 éves
Budapest

dr. Bárdos Katalin

[volt/van, _]
Budapest

Bárdossy András

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Stuttgart

Barna Imre

Budapest



Bertalan Vera [Szoke]

Budapest



Bessenyei József

62 éves
Balatonmárfiafürdő

dr. Biro Eszter

49 éves
Budapest

Keresés az ismerősök között

Összes ismerős: 112 ismerős
Találatok: 112 ismerős

Keresés: Név, város, munkahely

Nem: Nő Férfi

Kor: tól - ig

Keresés



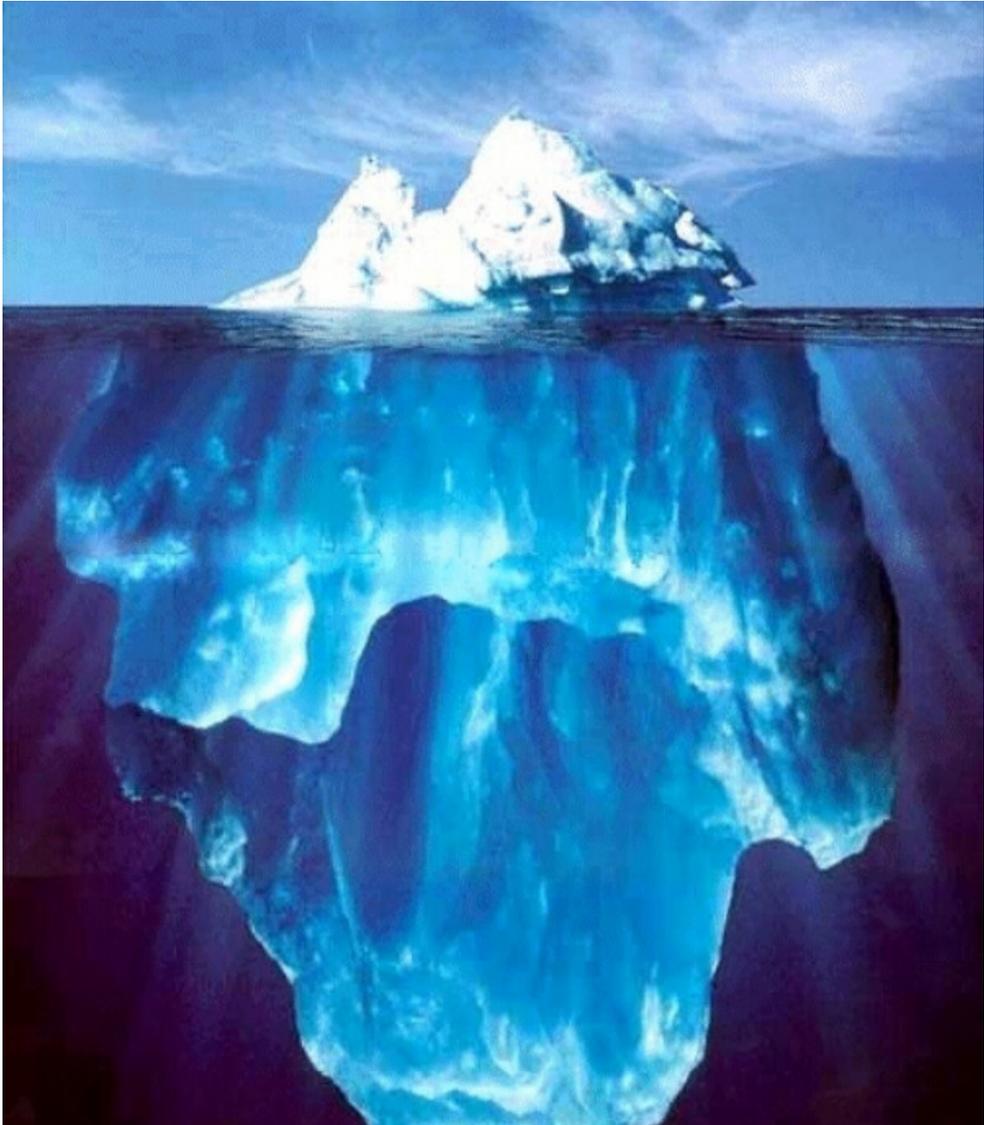
Alkalmazásaim ▾

Kedvenceim ▾



Chat ▾

and it gets boring...



- ▶ I have to type the same data again and again...
- ▶ And this is even worse: I feed the icebergs... 😞

What would we like to have?

- ▶ The *raw data* should be available on the Web
 - let the community figure out what applications are possible...

But wait! Isn't what mashup sites are already using?



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Itinerary: Expand | Collapse

Fri, Apr 13

Marseille, France - Avg: Hi 17°C / Lo 7°C

+ Add Plans

17:05

Amsterdam (AMS) to Marseille (MRS)

Options

CEST

KLM Royal Dutch Airlines 1409 - Conf # 43Z6TT

Aircraft Fokker 70

nonstop 1h, 55m 985 km - Get seating advice

Depart: Amsterdam (AMS), 17:05 CEST

Arrive: Marseille (MRS), 19:00 CEST

Booking Information

Booked on 7/2/2012

Reference #: 43Z6TT

People and sharing

Update

People

Travelers: Ivan Herman

Non-travelers: None.

Social networks

Triplt Contacts and LinkedIn

This trip is not private. Change

Advertisement

Sat, Apr 14

Marseille, France - Avg: Hi 17°C / Lo 7°C

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Sun, Apr 15

Marseille, France - Avg: Hi 17°C / Lo 8°C

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14:59

SNCF TGV from Aix-en-Provence to Lyon

Options

Yes, and it shows the power of
accessing data directly!

but...

- ▶ Mashup sites are forced to do very ad-hoc jobs
 - various data sources expose their data via Web Services, API-s
 - each with a different API, a different logic, different structure
 - mashup sites are forced to reinvent the wheel many times because there is no standard way getting to the data! ☹️

What would we like to have?

- ▶ The raw data should be available *in a standard way* on the Web
 - i.e., using URIs to access data
 - dereferencing that data should lead to something useful

Why is that so important?

- ▶ What makes the current (document) Web work?
 - people create different documents
 - they give an address to it (i.e., a URI) and make it accessible to others on the Web



The Internet Guide to Amsterdam

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Designed to be printed out and taken with you.

Written by [Steven Pemberton](#), CWI, Amsterdam, and Astrid Kerssens, Amsterdam.

Linked to by more than 450 other sites; more than **3,500,000** grunted readers!

The top [Amsterdam travel guide](#) according to [Google](#). If you know [how Google works](#), you know that that says something about this site!

See also [London](#).

A Review of this Guide

The Internet Guide To Amsterdam:

[WebUser Gold Award](#)

Rating: ★★★★★

Reviewed By: Jane Hoskyn

Sometimes, it's the simple things in life that make your heart skip a beat.

This is especially true when you're abroad and you need a guide that loads really fast on your mobile phone or PDA (check), doesn't involve clicking from page to page to find what you want (check), isn't written in fluffy tourist-board-speak (check), has all the links you need and none of the ones you don't (check), and is put together by someone who loves your destination and knows it better than the insides of his own eyelids (check). Step forward Steven Pemberton, creator of this exemplary guide to having a damn good time in the 'Dam.

Introduction

Amsterdam is an unusual city in that it has all the advantages of a big city – culture, history, food, entertainment, good transport – with relatively few of the disadvantages: it is physically small, beautiful, relatively quiet, and largely thanks to the canals, has relatively little traffic.

This guide tells you something about Amsterdam in the hope that it will improve your enjoyment while here.

Time

Amsterdam time in the summer is two hours ahead of GMT, one hour in winter; when daylight saving time is in operation the sun is at its highest point at around 13:40 (which makes for long evenings: since Amsterdam is very far West in its time zone, in mid-Summer the sky is still light as late as 11 in the evening).

In the dead of winter, the sun rises at 8:40 and sets at 16:30; in the height of summer it rises at 5:20 and sets at 22:05

Amsterdam is a late city: many shops don't open until 10 in the morning, and bars and cafés stay open till 1 or 2 in the morning.

Weather



Then some magic happens...

- ▶ Others discover the site and they link to it
- ▶ The more they link to it, the more important and well known the page becomes
 - remember, this is what, eg, Google exploits!
- ▶ This is the “Network effect”: some pages become important, and others begin to rely on it even if the author did not expect it...

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This could be expected...



See **Getting Around** below to get to the hotel, and read our [Packing Tips for Amsterdam](#).

Amsterdam Sights And Maps

An annotated [Google Map around the Moevenpick](#) is available. NOTE: there has been significant construction since the Google satellite images were taken!

The comprehensive description of sights Amsterdam has to offer is available at Steven Pemberton's website <http://homepages.cwi.nl/~steven/amsterdam.html>.

David Reid has hosted a [Feathercast Podcast](#) about visiting Amsterdam for Apachecon.

Walking in Amsterdam

Reminder: bicycles and trams are major transportation options in Amsterdam. When walking on most streets, be sure to stay on the sidewalk. There will often be a narrow red roadway with a dashed line; this is only for bikes and mopeds. Then there will be one or more lanes for cars. Then there will also be a set of tram tracks. This makes for interesting sets of stoplights (cars, bikes, trams, and crosswalks).

Getting Around / Getting to the Hotel

This may not be the best way to get from the airport to the hotel and back, but it'll do the job. We definitely recommend taking the train to Centraal, since a cab to the hotel is 37EUR.

- Get the train from Amsterdam Schiphol to Amsterdam Centraal. Don't get a return (unless you're going back the same day). A single should cost you c. 3.60EUR. Note there are various Train Ticket machines that may accept your credit/debit card. To pay with cash, go to the station entrance itself (at edge of airport) and go to a human teller; there is a .50EUR fee for this per ticket.
- (EITHER) When you get to Amsterdam Centraal, get a ticket for the local transport - [mostly trams](#) - by 3VH. You can get day passes from the GVB Tickets & Info place in the station (or at the machines, as long as you don't want a 96h one) - 24h->7EUR; 48h->11.50EUR; 72h->14.50EUR; 96h->17.00EUR. If you don't think you'll use that much transport, get a "strippenkaart". Travelling with the strippenkaart "costs" one strip per journey, plus one strip per zone. So a 1-zone journey is 2 strips, a 2-zone journey is 3 strips etc. Costs are 2-strip->1.60EUR; 3-strip->2.40EUR; 8-strip->6.40EUR (this also works as a day ticket, but I'm not sure how); 15-strip->10.90EUR; 45-strip->20.40EUR
- That's the hard part over! Exit Centraal Station and walk all the way down to the end of the station (to your left, if your back is to the station). This is the side towards the buses and trams; if you are facing a "large" canal, you're on the wrong side of the station (there's a small canal right behind the bus/tram stops that - look for cars!).
- The line for Tram 26 should be the one nearest to the station, at this end. If it's not, you've gone the wrong direction 😊
- Get on Tram 26 (it only goes one direction past here - IJburg), and stamp your card (2-strips, if it's a strippenkaart). Go one stop, to the [Musiekgebouw](#), and alight.
- Cross the tram lines, then the bike path, and walk down a bit to your right, until you find a [black arched pedestrian bridge](#). Go over the bridge, down the steps to your left, and double back underneath the bridge - you're at the hotel!
- (OR) Walk! In this case, the easiest way is to go out of Centraal to the north, through the construction, and facing the large canal. Walk straight across the major street alongside the canal (wait for the light).
- Turn right, so you are heading east; keep the large canal on your left. Walk along the canal until you come to a very wide and long bridge sloping gently upwards.

But this was not planned!

Network effect on the data

- ▶ *The same network effect works on the raw data*
 - Many people link to the data, use it
 - Much more (and diverse) applications will be created than the “authors” would even dream of!

Is that it?

le: let's publish the data on the Web
and we are done?

Not quite...



We do not want that!

Imagine...

- ▶ A “Web” where
 - documents are available for download on the Internet
 - but there would be no hyperlinks among them
- ▶ This is certainly not what we want!

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http://www.cocomac.org

CoCoMac DATABASES SORT EXAMPLES

CoCoDat: Collation of Cortical [Soma and microcircuitry] Data

CoCoDat is a microcircuitry database that collates published experimental reports. The data include morphology (cellular compartment), as well as the following properties:

- Morphology
- Firing properties
- Ionic currents
- Ionic conductances
- Synaptic currents
- Connectivity

The database is available for download of the data tables but also a Search Board with manual or automatic relaxation of the search criteria.

- Brain region
- Layer
- Neuron type

http://www.cocomac.org/cocodat/catalyzer/index.html

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NeuronDB

Thalamic relay neuron

Mode: **Overview** Data/Search plus Connectivity plus Classical References/Notes Models

Region: **Distal equivalent dendrite** Middle equivalent dendrite Proximal equivalent dendrite Soma Axon hillock Axon fiber Axon terminal All Compartments

Properties: **Receptors** Channels Transmitters **All Properties**

Interoperation: **Gene and Chromosome** Experimental Data (neurodatabase.org) Microscopy Data (CCDB)

Neuron type: principal
Organism: Vertebrates

1. Equivalent dendrite [Show other](#)

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What would we like to have?

- ▶ The raw data should be available in a standard way on the Web
- ▶ *There should be links among datasets*

Some relationships already exist among the datasets!

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- Festival website [\[in French\]](#)
- Official site of the town Aix-en-Provence [\[in French\]](#)
- Information and photos from ProvenceBeyond website [\[in French\]](#)

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Aix-en-Provence visit, photos, travel info and hotels, by Provence Beyond

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Aix-en-Provence

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Aix-en-Provence is the city of art, and a city of light and active also a home of art schools and several universities, including American, attracting a youthful population that sparks the atmosphere.

Aix is also ancient: a Celtic-Ligurian capital from the 3rd century BC pushed aside for the founding of Aix in 122 BC, as *Aquae Sextiae* [Aix-History].

More: | [Aix-en-Provence History](#) | [Aix-en-Provence Museums](#) |

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For **pronunciation**, you pronounce the "x", so Aix sounds like ex, as in "X marks the spot". Or Aix-en-Pce.

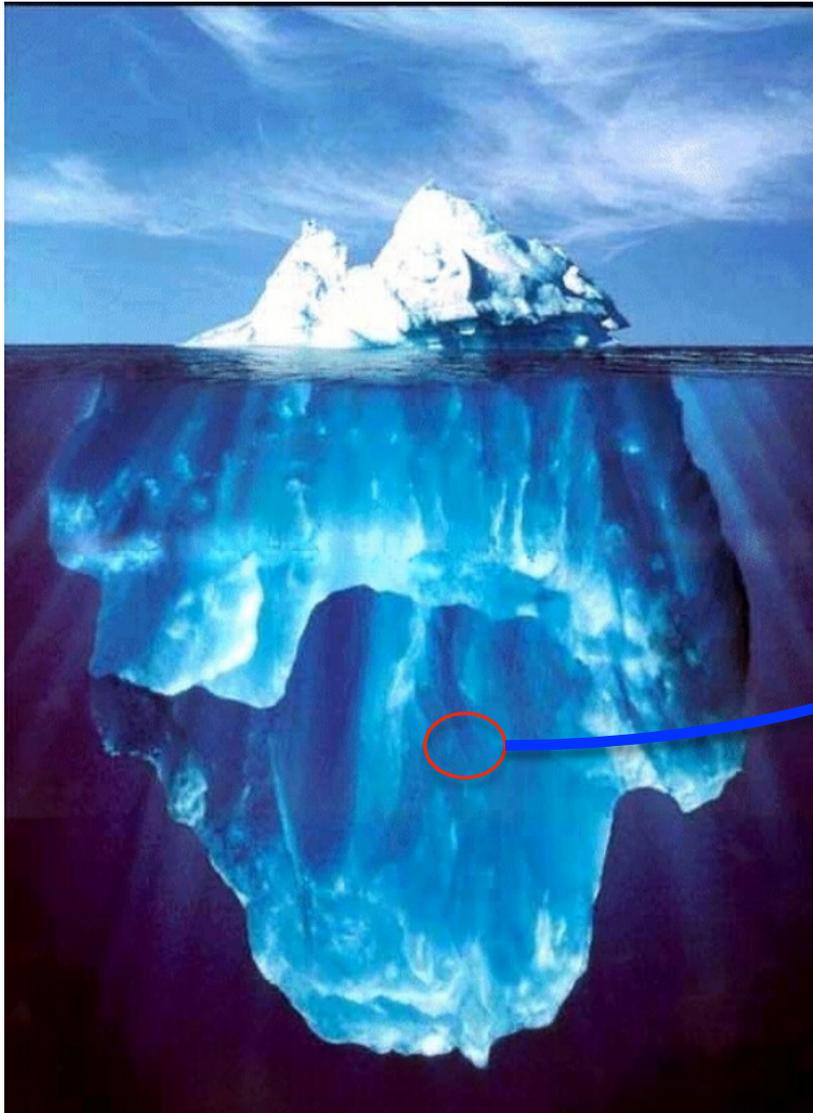
The center of Aix is the old town (vieille ville), ringed by a circle of boulevards and squares. It's a bit of a challenge to see in one or two days. The medieval Aix was protected by a wall in the 13th century "Tourreluquo" tower remains, at the northwest corner of the town.



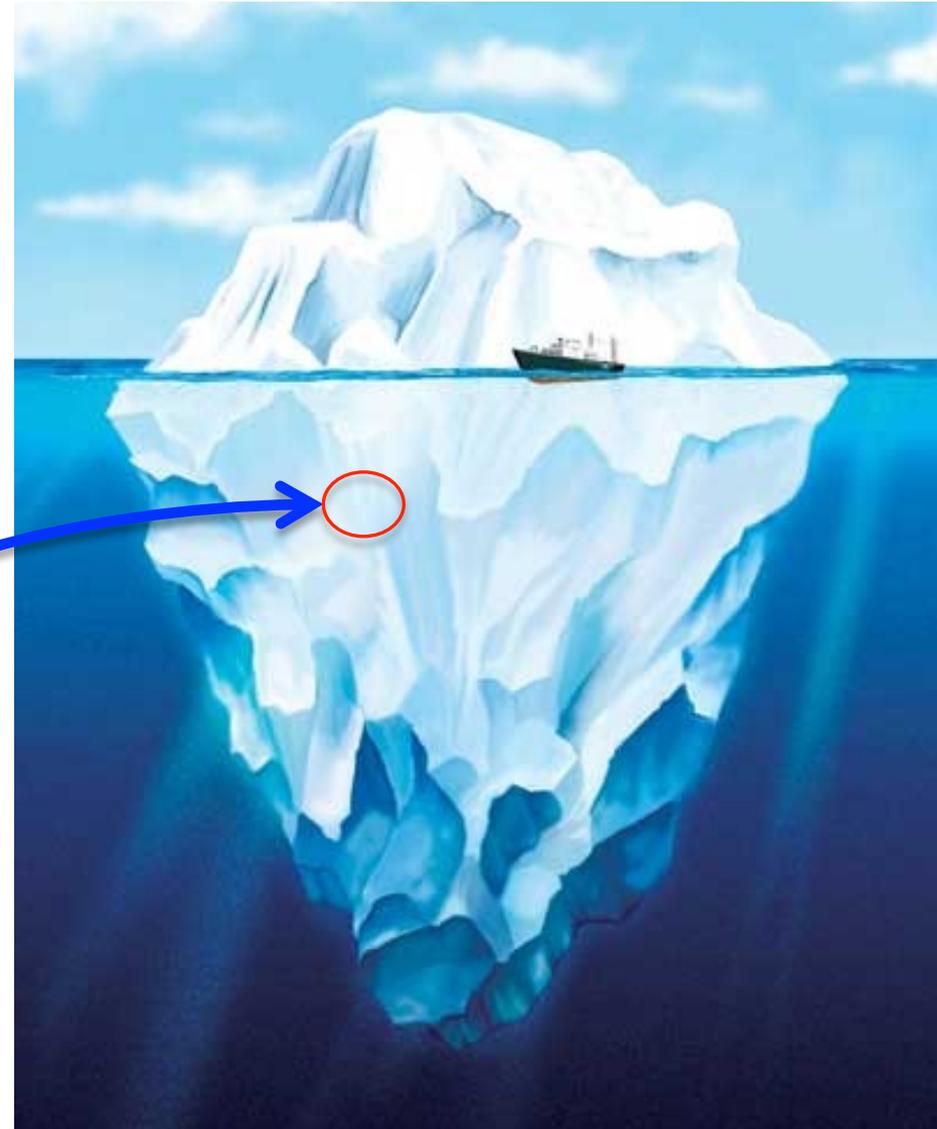
Cours Mirabeau is the center of the center, and the heart of the city, with one side lined with wonderful terraces and one French sidewalk café outside of Paris, it should be here, and the sidewalk alive. Large plane trees overhang the length of the street.

Some relationships already exist among the datasets!

Aix-en-Provence on Wikipedia



Aix-en-Provence on "Provence and Beyond"



Those relationships should be exposed, too!



We want to link the silos!

Is that it?

le: let's publish the data on the Web,
add HTML-like hyperlinks and we are
done?

Not quite... but almost!

It is indeed a little bit more complicated

- ▶ On the traditional Web, humans are implicitly taken into account
- ▶ A Web link has a “context” that a user implicitly uses ☹️



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My Work at W3C

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HIGHLIGHT

2012 Alan Turing Year

ALAN TURING YEAR



2012 is the centenary of Alan Turing's birth. Turing made an unique impact on mathematics and computer science. He was the founding father of the computer and of artificial intelligence, and played an essential role in cracking the Enigma code in World War II. CWI will contribute to the Alan Turing Year through a number of events.

CWI NEEDS TALENT!

- **Postdoc in the area of Life Sciences**
Life Sciences
- **2 PhD Students on Interface design**

- ▶ A human understands that this is where my office is, i.e., the institution's home page
- ▶ He/she knows what it means
 - realizes that it is a research institute in Amsterdam
- ▶ But, when handling data, something is missing; *machines can't make sense of the link alone*

▶ New lesson learned:

- extra information (“label”) must be added to a link: “this links to my institution, which is a research institute”
- this information should be machine readable
- this is a characterization (or “classification”) of both the link and its target
- in some cases, the classification should allow for some limited “reasoning”

Let us put it all together!

What would we like to have?

- ▶ The raw data should be available in a standard way on the Web
- ▶ Datasets should be linked
- ▶ Links, data, sites, should be characterized, classified, etc.
- ▶ In future: possibility to write and change data...
 - but that is still further down the line
- ▶ The result is a *Web of Data*

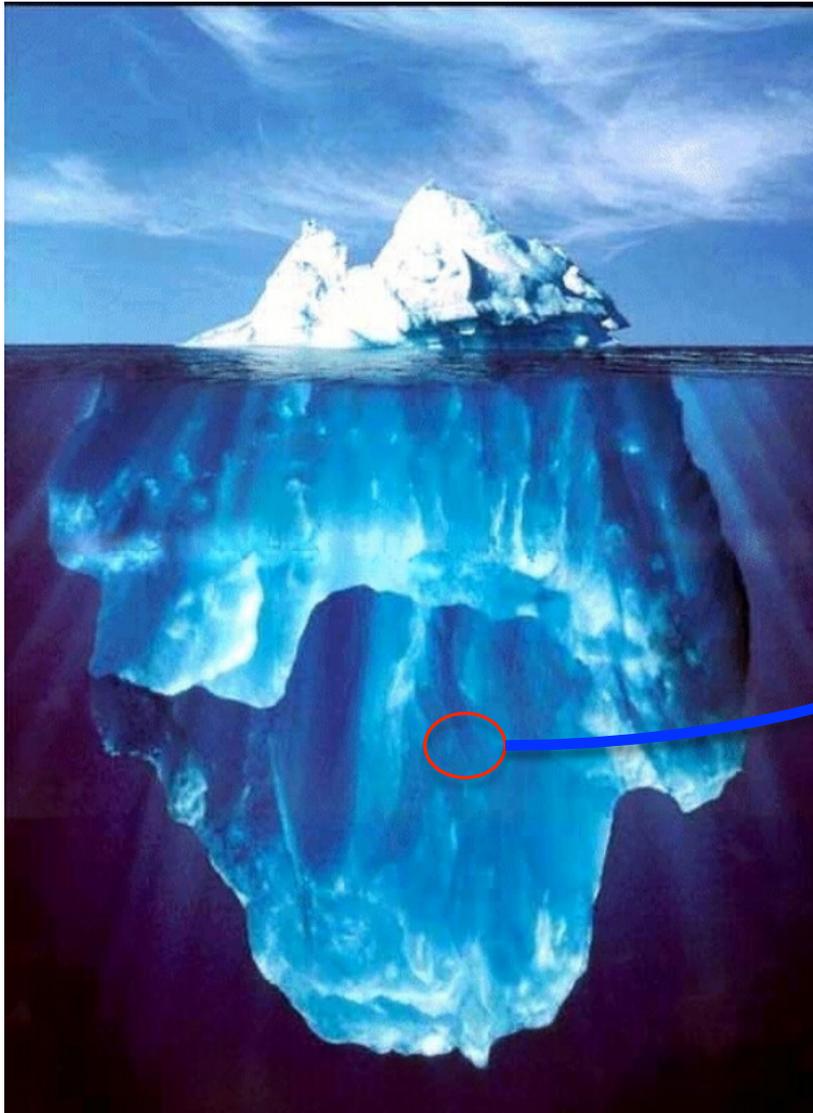
So what is the Semantic Web?

It is a collection of standard technologies to realize a Web of Data

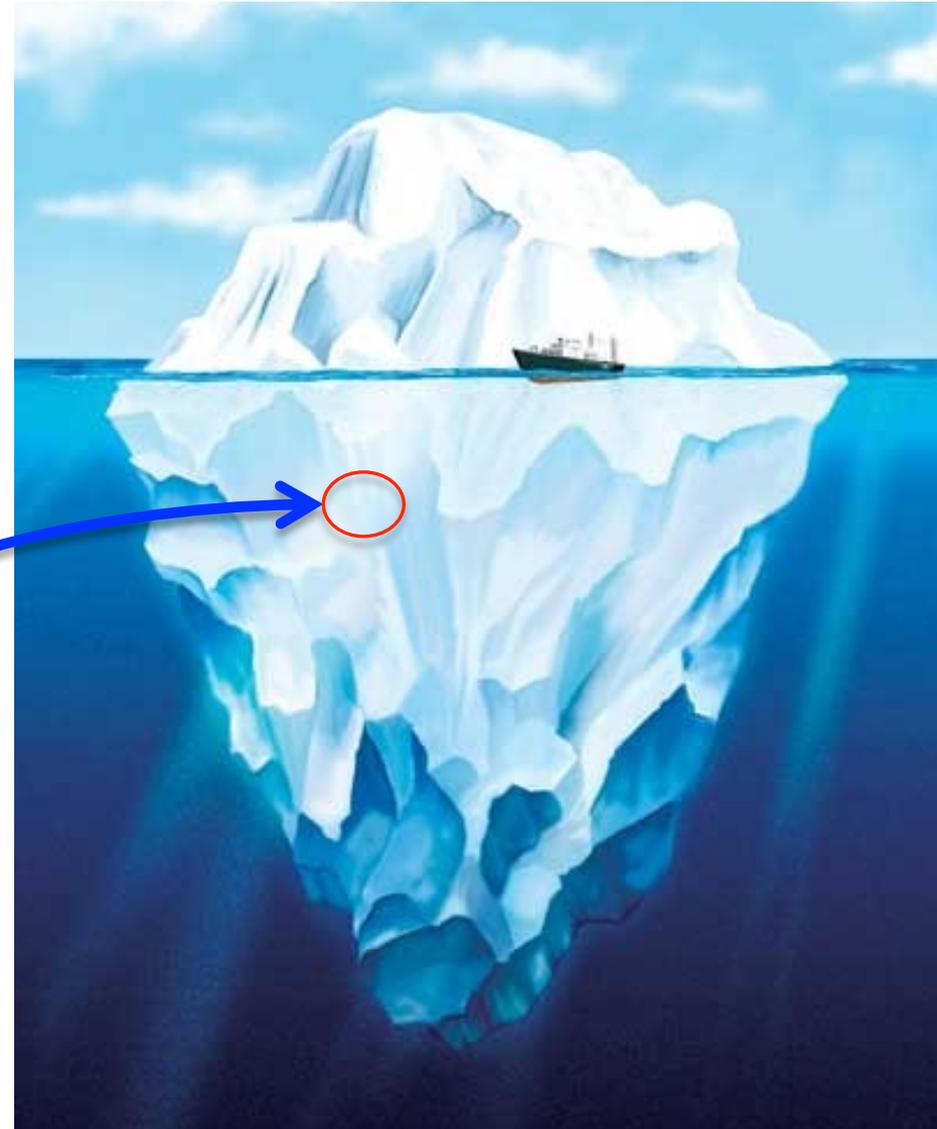
Let us see some technology...

Remember this?

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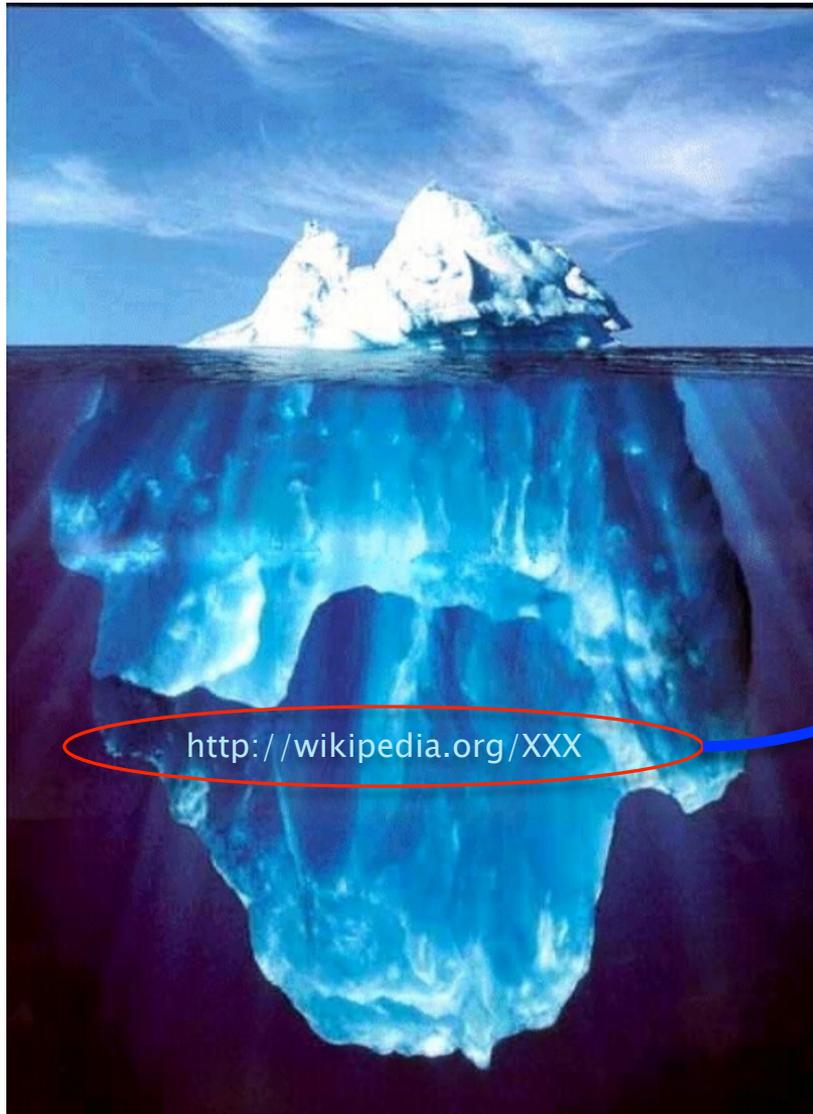


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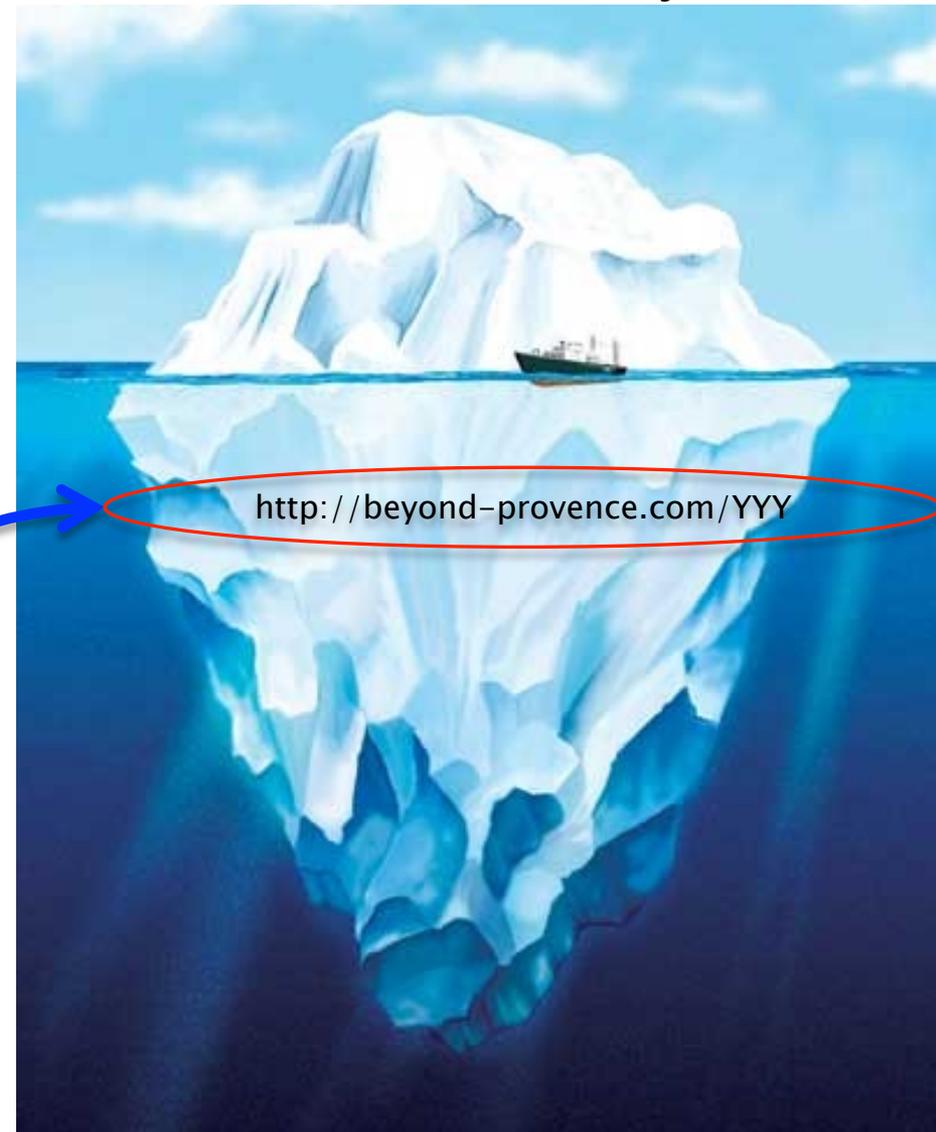


Give URI-s to data points

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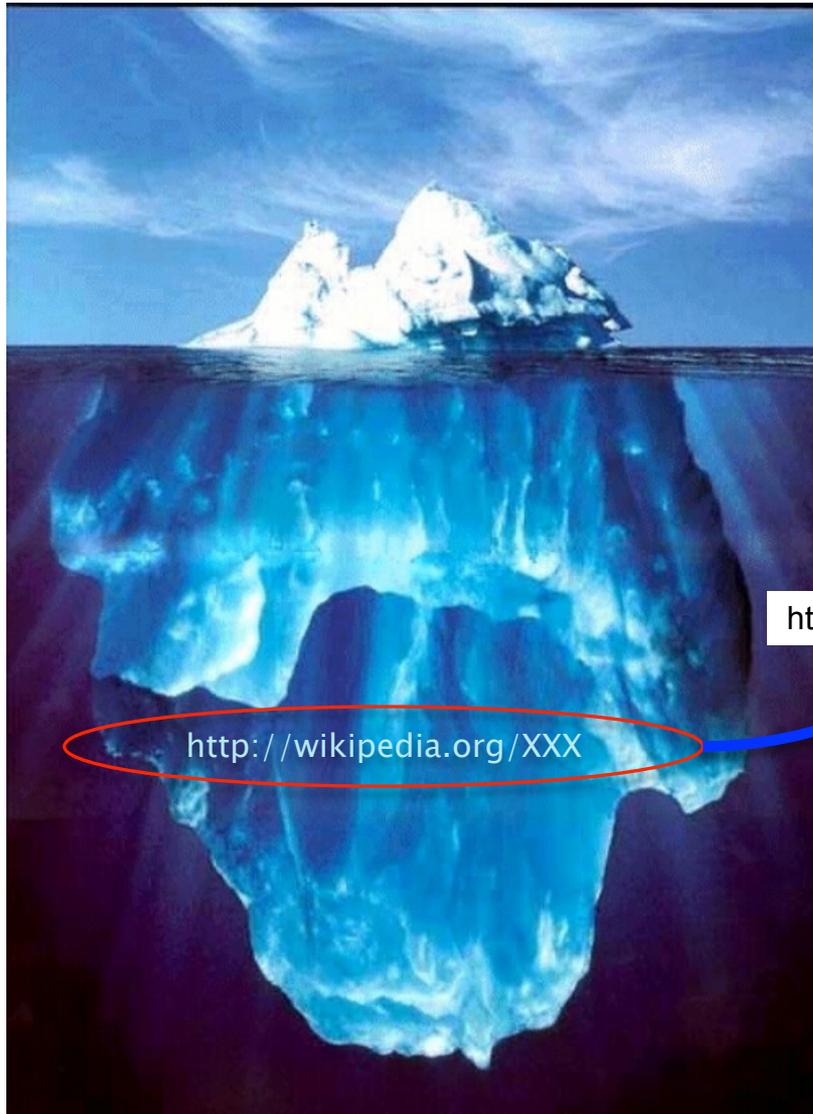


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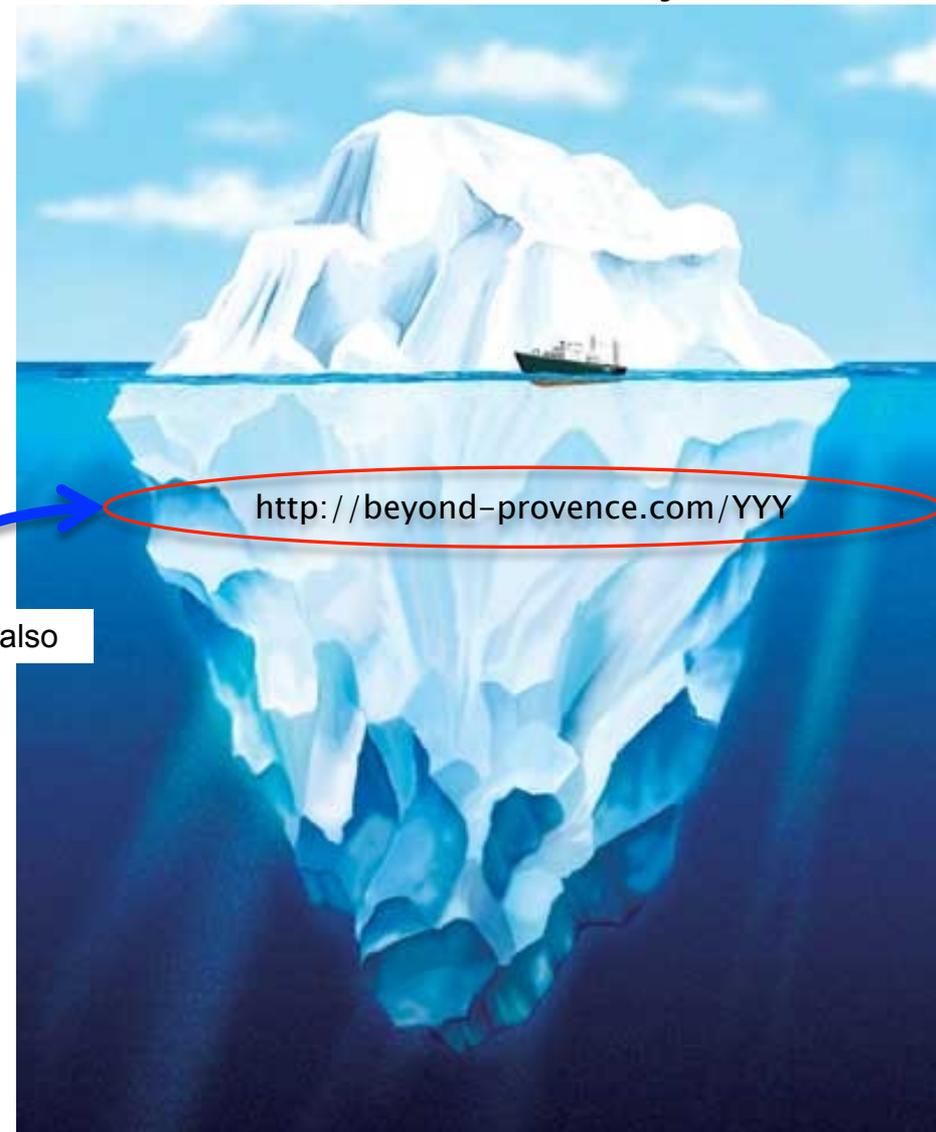
“Label” the link

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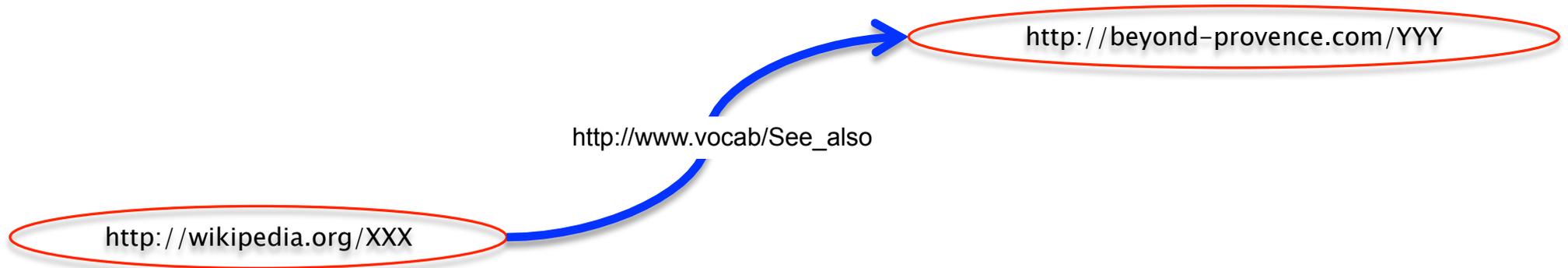


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Aix-en-Provence on
“Provence and Beyond”



What we get



- ▶ We have a “triple”:
 - a subject (referring to the wikipedia data point)
 - an object (referring to the “Provence and Beyond” data point)
 - a labeled, directed link between the two
- ▶ We can also create:
 - a graph, i.e., a collection of all these triples
 - a “triple store”, i.e., a physical storage of these triples on the Web

RDF: Resource Description Framework

- ▶ RDF is a standard describing these triples formally
- ▶ There are some details to settle
 - using simple literals as objects (some sort of a property-value pairs)
 - how to serialize these triples
- ▶ But the fundamentals are just that: a collection of (subject,property,object) triples



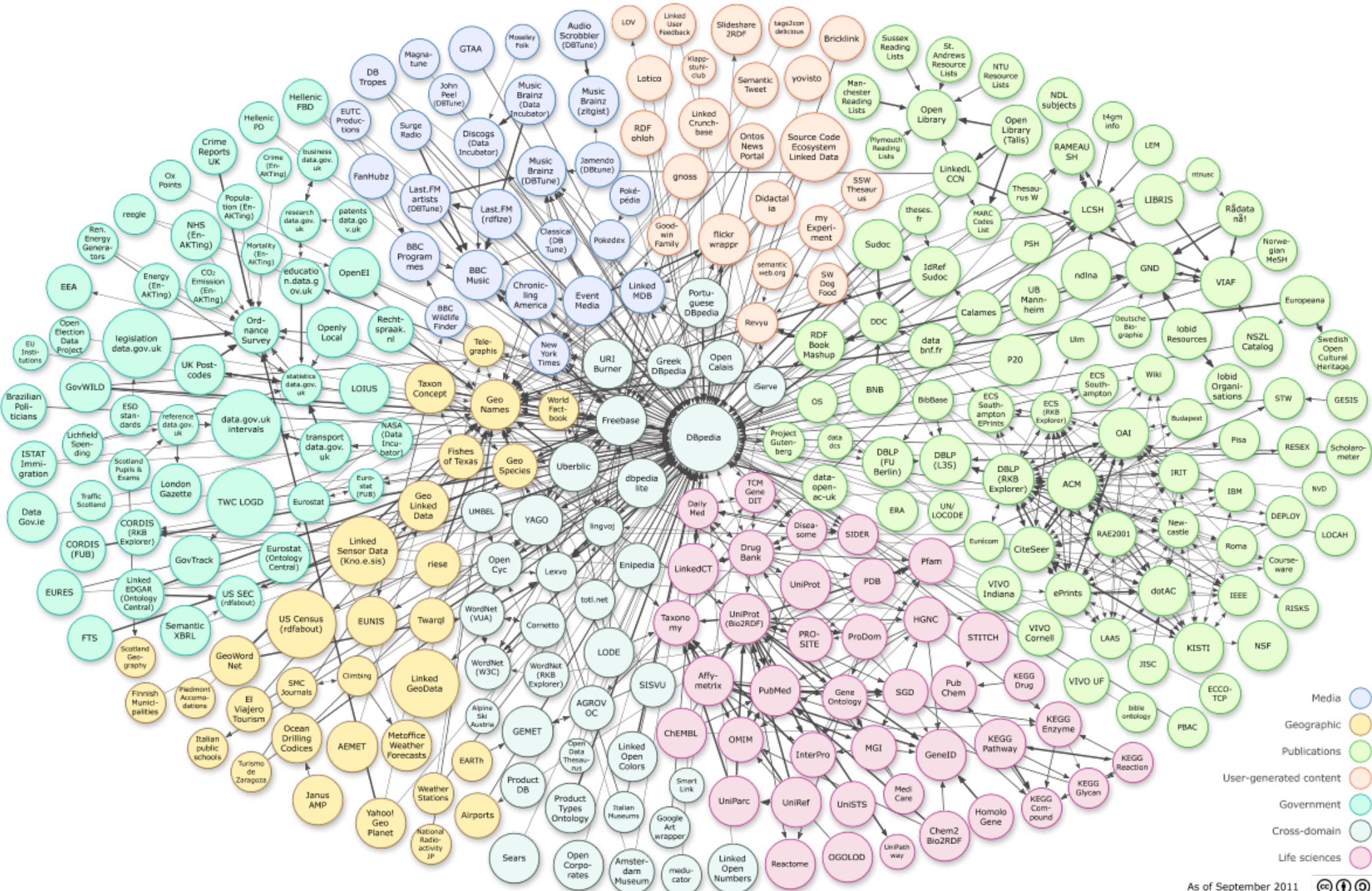
Some other technologies are also needed

- ▶ What are the “terms” that can be used for those labels
 - separate documents (“vocabularies” or “ontologies”) describe those  
- ▶ How can I query into a triple
 - an “SQL for Triples” 
- ▶ How do I access other types of data (RDB Databases, XML, etc.)   
- ▶ Etc.



It is that simple!
(of course, the devil is in the details...)





As of September 2011

Courtesy of Richard Cyganiak and Anja Jentzsch

Linked Data: a seed for a Web of Data



- ▶ “Linked Data” is also a set of principles:
 - put things on the Web through URI-s
 - use HTTP URI-s so that things could be dereferenced
 - use machine readable, non-proprietary formats
 - provide useful information (using standards) when a URI is dereferenced
 - *include links* to other URI-s

Any other examples in the wild?

Eric Clapton

Born 30 March 1945.

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Biography

Eric Patrick Clapton, CBE (born 30 March 1945) is an English blues-rock guitarist, singer, songwriter and composer. Clapton has been inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame as a solo performer, as a member of rock bands; the Yardbirds and Cream. Clapton is the only person ever to be inducted three times. Often viewed by critics and fans alike as one of the most important and influential guitarists of all time, Clapton was ranked fourth in Rolling Stone magazine's list of the "100 Greatest Guitarists of All Time" and #53 on their list of the Immortals: 100 Greatest Artists of All Time.

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Me And Mr Johnson

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this focus, he is credited as an innovator in a wide variety of genres. These include blues-rock (with John Mayall & the Bluesbreakers and The Yardbirds) and psychedelic rock (with Cream). Clapton's chart success was not limited to the blues, with chart-toppers in Delta Blues (Me and Mr. Johnson), pop ("Change the World") and reggae (Bob Marley's "I Shot the Sheriff") (He is often credited for bringing reggae and Bob Marley to the mainstream.) Two of his most successful recordings were the hit love song "Layla", which he played with the band Derek and the Dominos, and Robert Johnson's "Crossroads", which has been his staple song since his days with Cream.

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Paris

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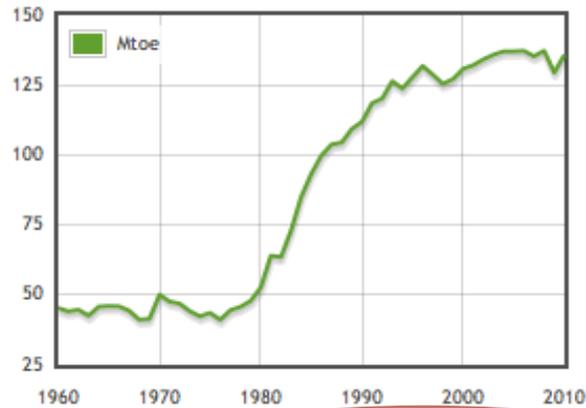
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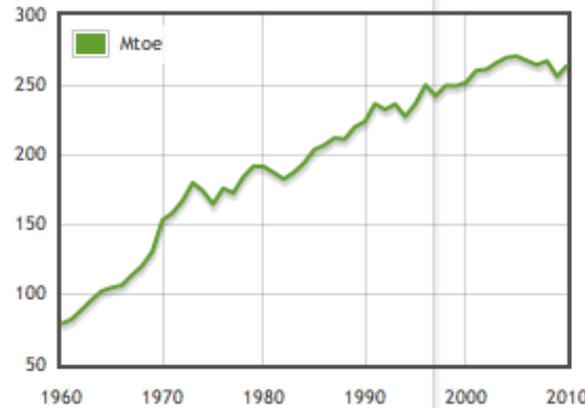
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Energy production



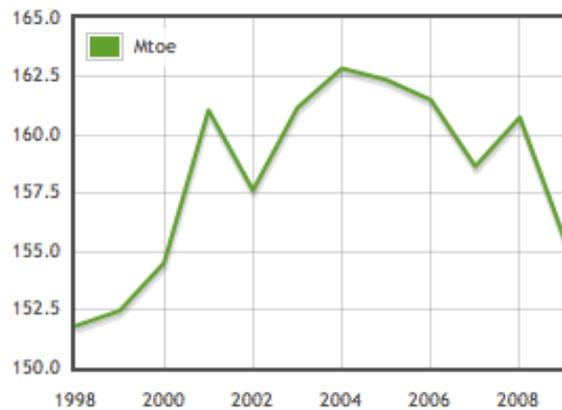
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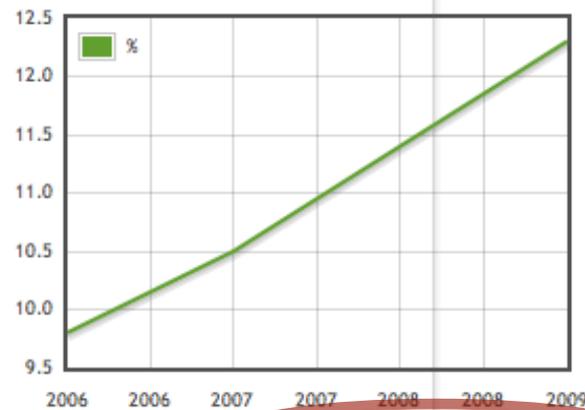
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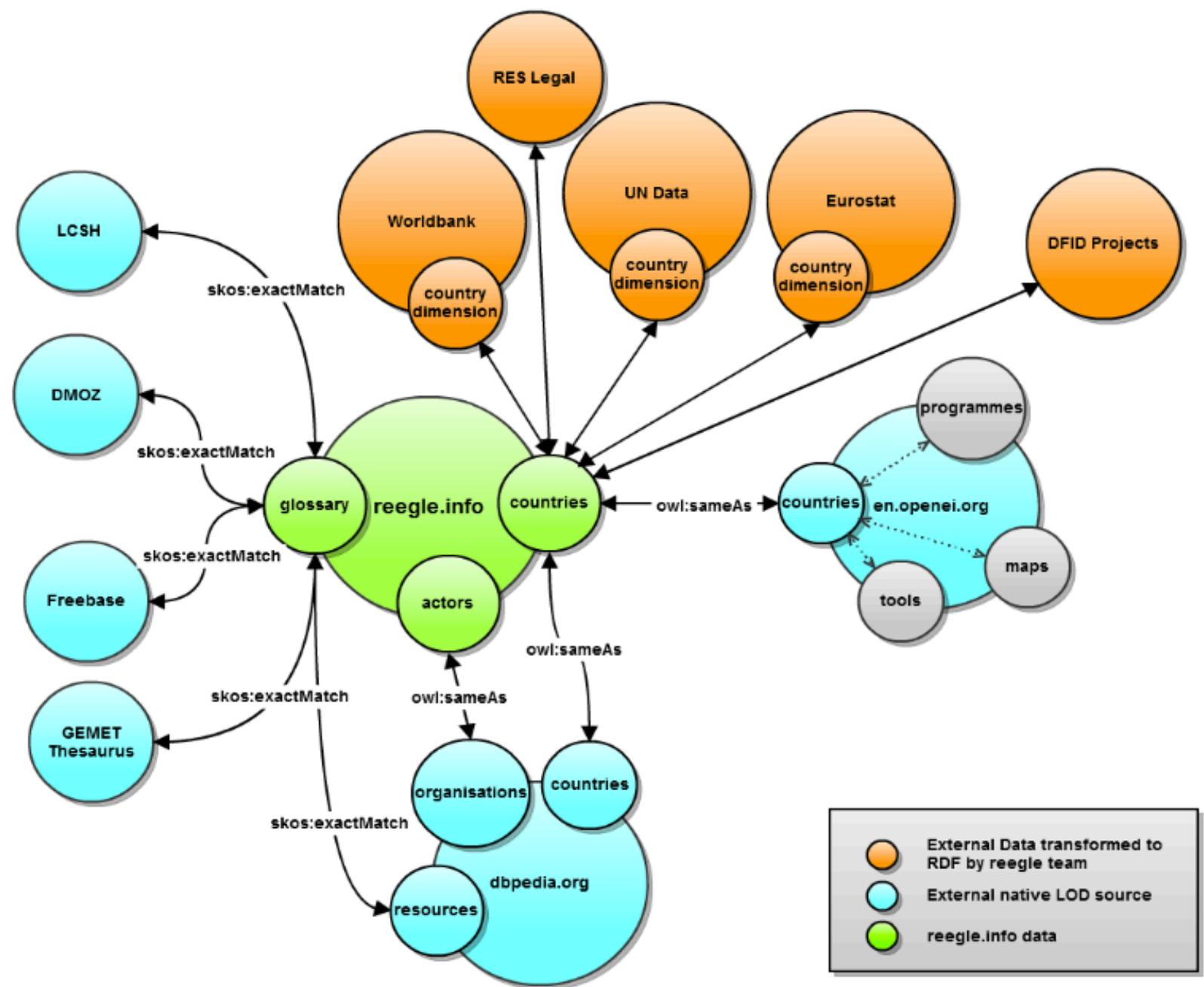
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Share of renewable energy in gross final energy consumption



Source: Eurostat Data

Primary production of renewable energy



So much for the theory...
Let us see the practice now!