Logic on MARS: Ontologies for Generalised Property Graphs

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Wikidata: a free and open Knowledge Graph









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Specifier $(\lfloor \rfloor \setminus \lfloor with : + \rfloor)$: any annotation set without attribute "with"









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MARPL entailment is PTIME-complete for data complexity if the size of annotation sets is bounded.

Summary:

MAPL general, second-order based framework for attributed logics; not semi-decidable

MARPL decidable, rule-shaped fragment; EXPTIME-complete for data & combined complexity

Future Work:

- Create attributed ontologies, e.g., for Wikidata
- Implement a MARPL reasoner
- Identify more expressive decidable fragments of MAPL
- Study attributed versions of other KR formalisms
- Classify data complexities, identify tractable fragments