

# Knowledge-Based Data-Management with Graal V2

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# This talk's goal

Introduce you to a novel platform we are currently building : Graal V2

1. The **aim** : Knowledge-Based Data Management with Existential Rules
2. Zoom on the project

## Knowledge-Based Data Management

# Exploiting Data can be Challenging

Many examples have been presented during this seminar, and there are even more.

## Heterogeneity

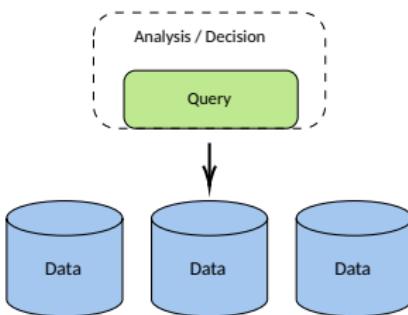
- data sources can be **different**
- models, platforms : API, languages, access
- refinement, dimensions : query constructs
- dynamicity, confidence : validity of answers

## Challenges

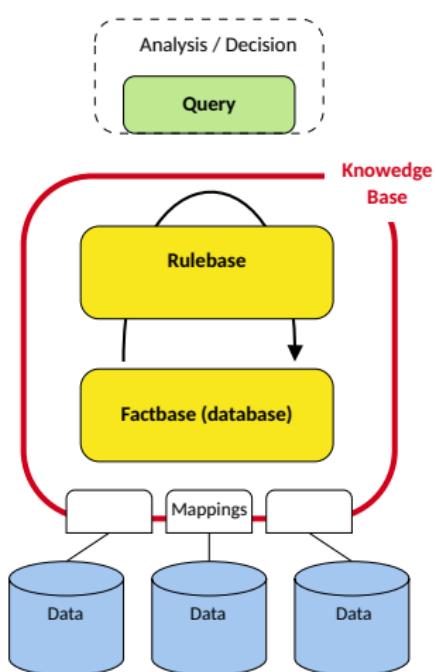
1. Express & maintain data-services
2. Decision-making : **cross-querying**
3. **Inconsistencies** are endemic
4. Explanations for answers & errors

## Federation

- number of sources grows as problem scales
- **independent** systems



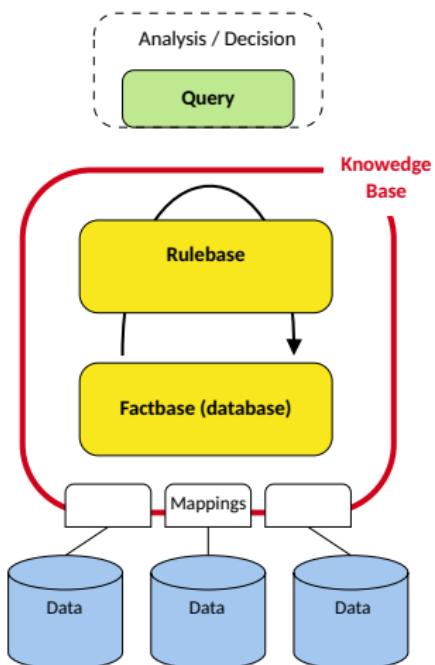
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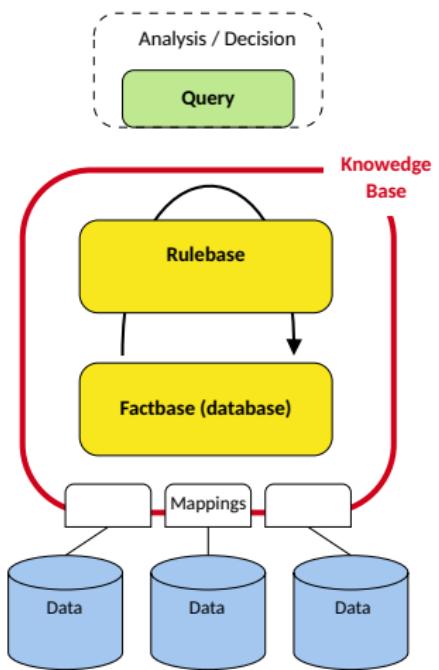
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Rule-based Languages

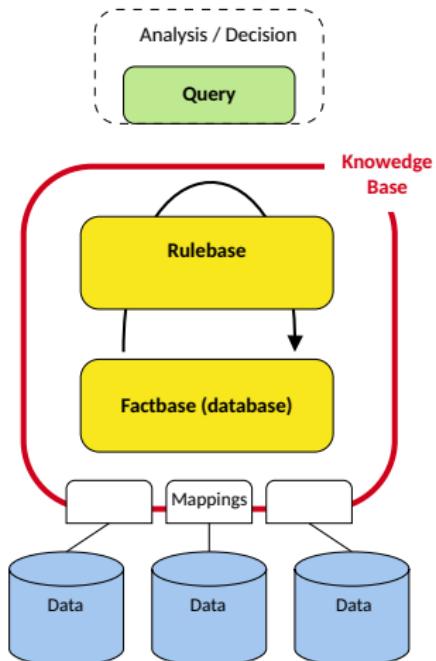
- Declarativity, Modularity, Reusability
- Expressivity: "*one language to rule them all*"  
ontologies, data-processing and data-quality
- Explainability

# Knowledge-Based Data Management with Existential Rules

Existential Rules [Baget+ IJCAI 09][Cali+ PODS 09]

$$\varphi(XY) \longrightarrow \exists Z. \psi(XZ)$$

positive function-free conjunctions



$$\forall x. \text{Plant}(x) \wedge \text{Contaminated}(x) \longrightarrow \exists z. \text{affectedBy}(x, z) \wedge \text{Agent}(z)$$

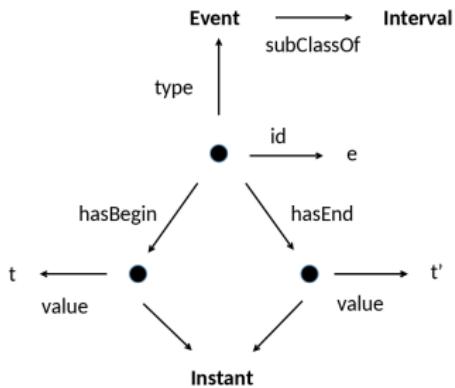
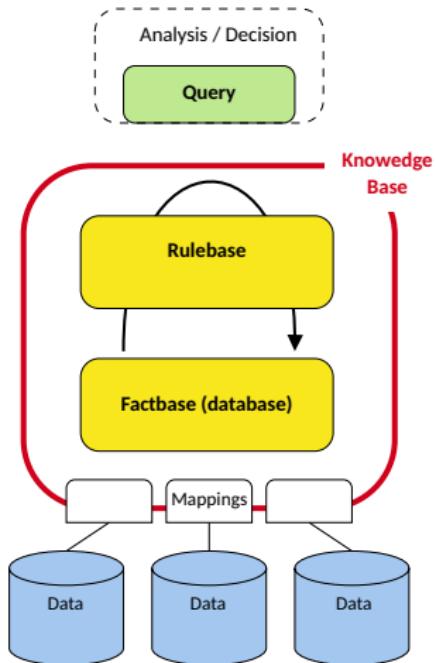
## Advantages

1. infer existence of unknown entities & values
  - reasoning in open domains, incomplete data
2. model complex relationships & n-ary relations
  - key for declarative data-processing & quality
3. generalize KR (DL) & DB (Datalog) languages

## Data Models and Storage

# Models and Storage

- Can go beyond RDF/graphs as a data-model for integration
  - but can still export and import RDF



**Event( $e, t, t'$ )**

- Reuse existing single/multi-store DBMS
  - both external and internal storage

## Data Access

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Query :  
"retrieve all researchers name"

```
{ name : Patrice,  
  UMR : IATE }
```



```
emp name Pascal  
emp UMR Mistea
```



(Christian, ABSys)



# Strategies

## Source to KB Mappings

**Researcher**(NAME,INSTITUTE,LAB)

```
collection().  
[name:$x1,UMR:$x2]
```

—>

**Researcher**(\$x1,'INRAE',\$x2)

```
SELECT ?v1 ?v2  
WHERE {?x name ?v1 ,  
       ?x UMR ?v2 }
```

—>

**Researcher**(?v1,'INRAE',?v2)

```
SELECT nom, umr  
FROM emp
```

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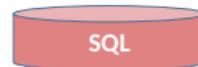


## Materialization

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**Researcher**(Patrice, INRIA, IATE)  
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## Virtualization

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SQL

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# Reasoning

# Rules for Data Processing

(example from Elie's Najm PhD on the analysis of agro-ecological systems)

contre(fongicideBio, oidium)

agitApres(fongicideBio, 0)

active(T,J+X)    if    agitApres(T,X)    applicationTechnique(T,J)

vigneTotalementProtegeeContre(J,M)    if    technique(T)    contre(T,M)    maladie(M)  
efficacite(T, totale)    active(T,J)

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## Knowledge and Rules

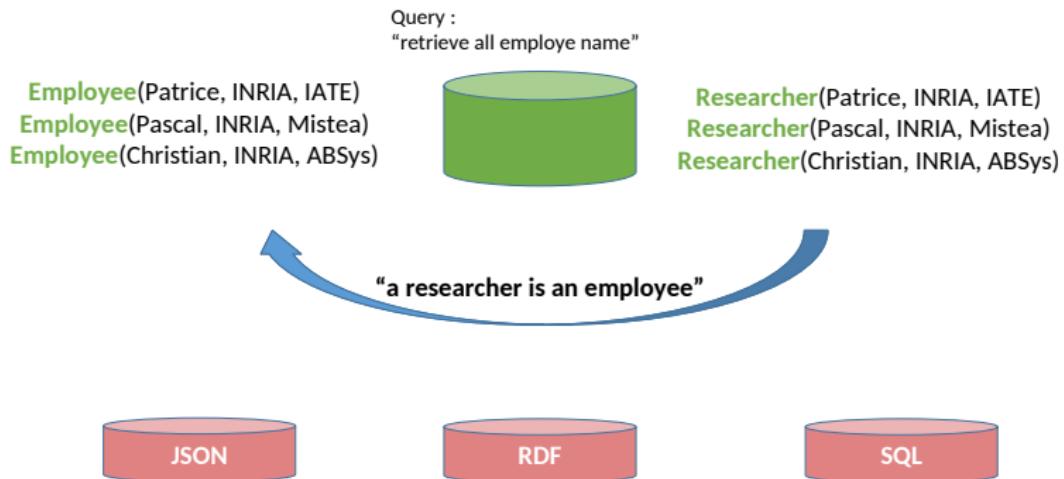
Query :  
"retrieve all employee name"

"a researcher is an employee"



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## Saturation



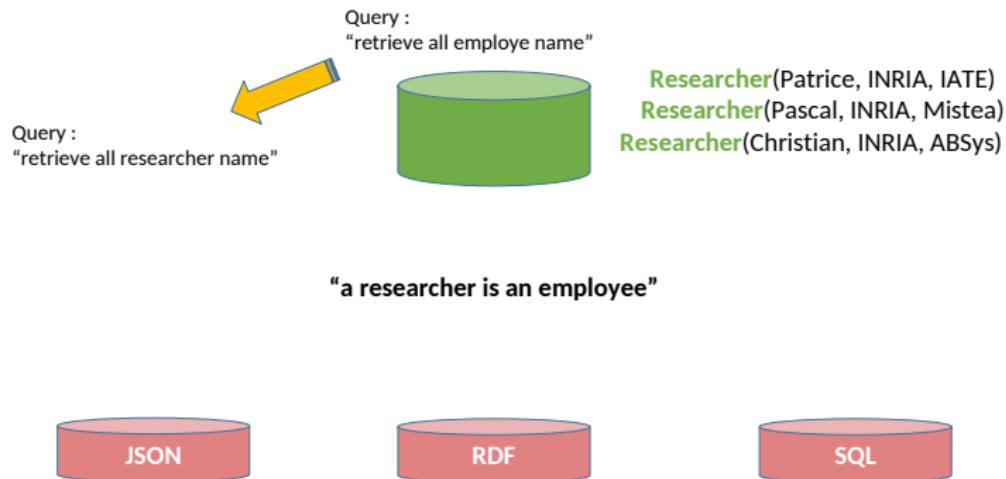
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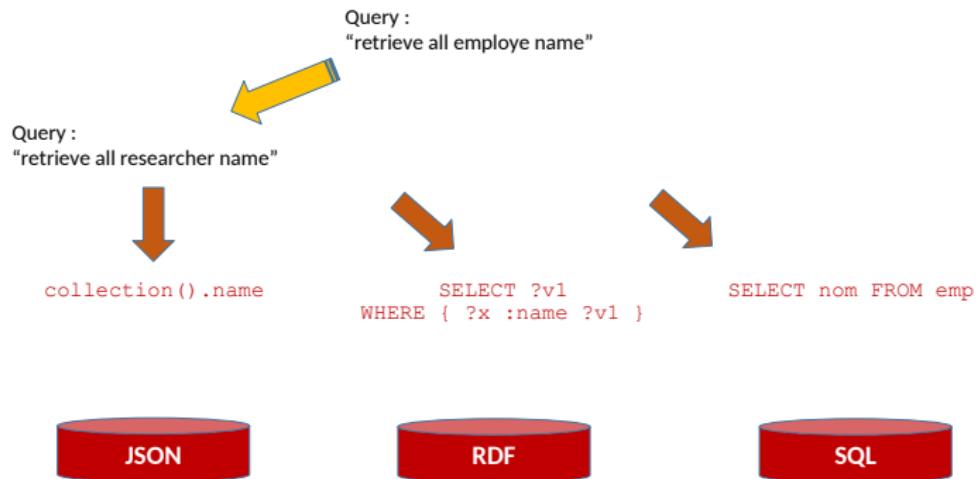
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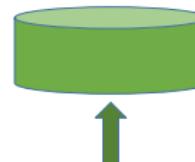
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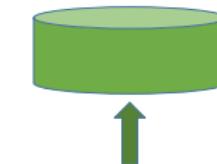
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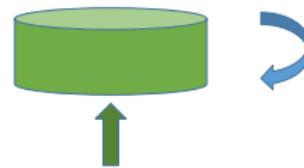
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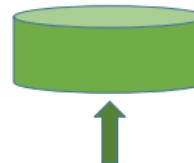
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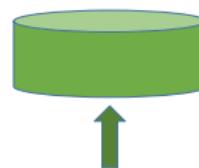
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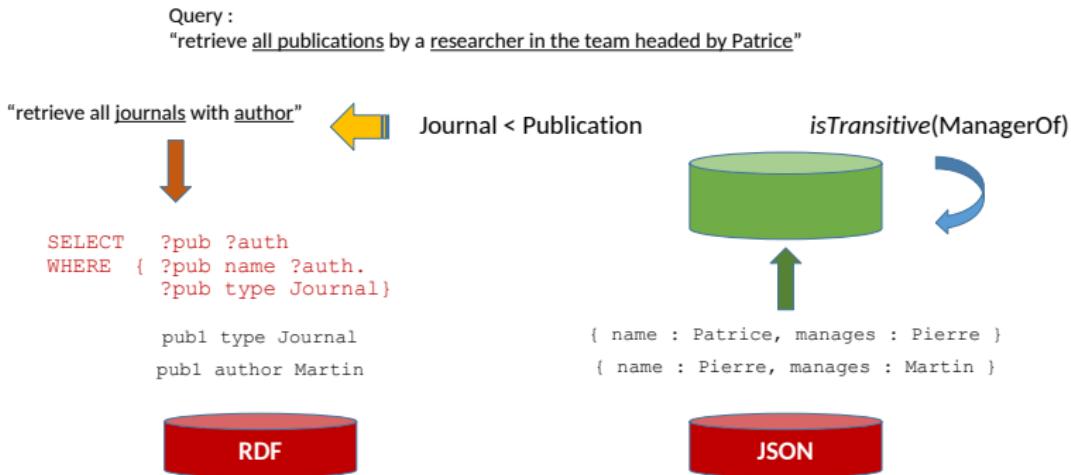
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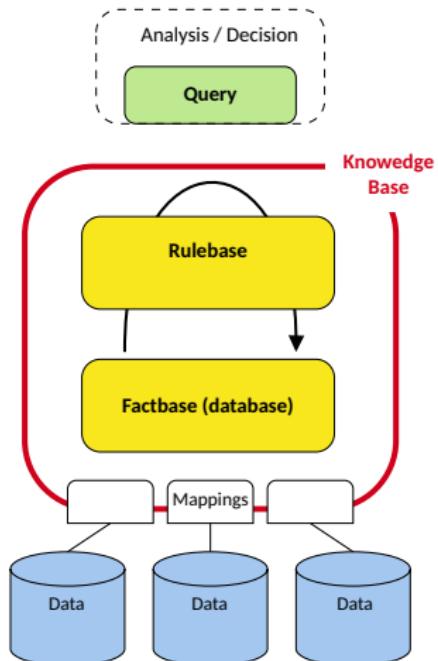


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A landscape of data-access possibilities, each with a different cost.

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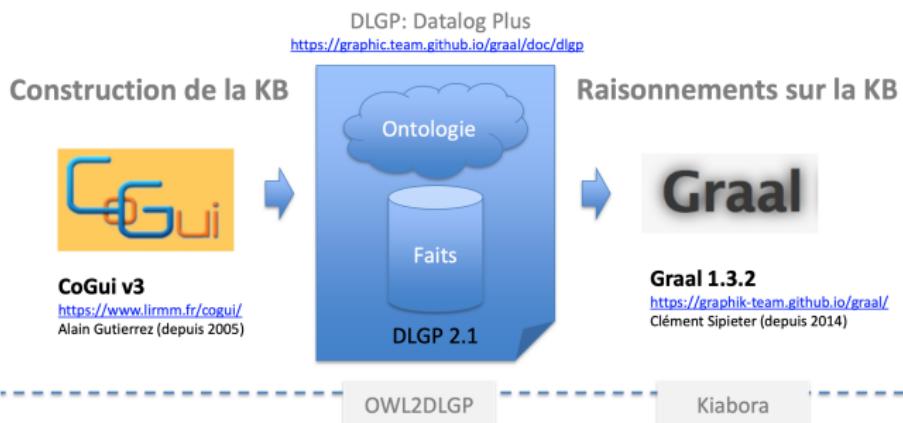


Wrapping up the main ideas:

1. three layers architecture
2. can go beyond triples
3. reuse database technology
4. rules for data-processing
5. intelligent access to data
6. (and more) KBDM data-flows

## **Zoom on Graal V2**

# Software Ecosystem of the Inria GraphIK Team



- Graal V2 : KBDM with Extended ER Florent Tornil (2021-2023)
- Use cases : (1) implementing and testing algorithms (2) building applications
- First release beginning 2022 AIC T-CALIS-FAIR

# Graal V2 : What's New ?

- **Architecture**

- Genericity, Reusability, Extensibility (objects, storage, algorithms)

- **Extended Existential Rules**

- filters & functions  $(\text{infected}/\text{population}) \geq 0.7$
- negation  $\text{Contaminated}(\text{plant}) \wedge \neg \text{Treated}(\text{plant}, \text{pesticide})$
- (next) aggregates, disjunction

- **Semantic Web**

- RDF(S), SPARQL (BGP), OWL 2 (Horn theories)

- **Mappings and Internal Storage**

- SQL (Postgres, HSQL, MySQL), Triplestores (Virtuoso, Jena), Graphs (Neo4J)
- (next) Key-value stores, CSV, Mediators/Polystores

- **Data Access and Reasoning Strategies**

- Materialization, Virtualization, Saturation, Reformulation
- (next) compilation, mixed approaches

- **More**

- Rulebase analysis (KIABORA), Automatic benchmarking (BRUNNER)
- (next) Python bridge (PyGraal)