

SBOL-OWL Supplementary

SBOL-OWL enabled semantic queries vs graph-based queries

Supplementary Table 1: Report inconsistent use of properties between valid SBOL entities.

OWL-DL & SBOL-OWL	SPARQL without SBOL-OWL
No need for a query. Reasoners use axioms to report inconsistencies for all properties (example data: Table 2.11).	SPARQL queries can be used to check for correct use of properties. However, these queries may have to be executed for each property that is being validated. The example query below lists <code>ModuleDefinitions</code> that incorrectly use the <code>model</code> property. If this property does not refer to a <code>Model</code> entity, the <code>ModuleDefinition</code> is reported to be inconsistent (example data: Table 2.11). <pre>PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> SELECT ?MD WHERE { ?MD sbol:model ?Model. FILTER NOT EXISTS {?Model a sbol:Model } }</pre>

Supplementary Table 2: Return all composite parts that contain child parts (Figure 6).

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Example data: Table 2.3 DNA and component some Component	Example data: Table 2.2 <pre>PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> PREFIX biopax: <http://www.biopax.org/release/ biopax-level3.owl#> SELECT DISTINCT ?X WHERE { ?X a sbol:ComponentDefinition ; sbol:component ?Component ; sbol:type biopax:DnaRegion . }</pre>

Supplementary Table 3: Return all composite parts that directly contain promoters (Figure 6).

OWL-DL & SBOL-OWL	SPARQL without SBOL-OWL
<p>Example data: Table 2.3.</p> <pre>DNA and component some (definition some Promoter)</pre>	<p>Example data: Table 2.2</p> <pre>PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> PREFIX biopax: <http://www.biopax.org/release/ biopax-level3.owl#> PREFIX so: <http://identifiers.org/so/> SELECT DISTINCT ?X WHERE { ?X a sbol:ComponentDefinition ; sbol:component ?Component ; sbol:type biopax:DnaRegion . ?Component a sbol:Component ; sbol:definition ?Y . ?Y a sbol:ComponentDefinition ; sbol:type biopax:DnaRegion ; sbol:role so:S0:0000167 . }</pre>

Supplementary Table 4: Return all composite parts that directly or indirectly contain promoters (Figure 6).

OWL-DL & SBOL-OWL	SPARQL without SBOL-OWL
<p>The PromoterContainer query is defined as a class that refers to itself (example data: Table 2.13).</p> <pre>Class: PromoterContainer ComponentDefinition and component some (definition some (Promoter or PromoterContainer))</pre>	<p>This requires programmatically executing SPARQL queries and implementing an algorithm, for example using the Java programming language, to recursively fetch the parts that contain promoters. The SPARQL query below can be used to return a list of parent, child, child role tuples. Each item in the list can then be checked if the role matches the S0:0000167 promoter term. Then all the parents of the child component can be programmatically retrieved using a recursive algorithm (example data: Table 2.2).</p> <pre>PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> PREFIX biopax: <http://www.biopax.org/release/ biopax-level3.owl#> PREFIX so: <http://identifiers.org/so/> SELECT DISTINCT ?X ?Y ?childrole WHERE { ?X a sbol:ComponentDefinition ; sbol:component ?Component ; sbol:type biopax:DnaRegion . ?Component a sbol:Component ; sbol:definition ?Y . ?Y a sbol:ComponentDefinition ; sbol:type biopax:DnaRegion ; sbol:role ?childrole . }</pre>

Supplementary Table 5: Return all of the interactions used in a design. The list should include all interactions in a module and those that are included in submodules directly or indirectly (Figure 11).

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<p>The <code>circuit_0x78_Interaction</code> class is used to identify all interactions of the <code>circuit_0x78_environment_md</code> entity. Any child design that is hierarchically part of this entity is also taken into consideration (example data: Table 2.5).</p> <pre> Class: circuit_0x78_Module ModuleDefinition and (isDefinitionOf some (Module and ((isModuleOf some circuit_0x78_Module) or (isModuleOf value circuit_0x78_environment_md)))) Class: circuit_0x78_Interaction: Interaction and (isInteractionOf some circuit_0x78_Module) </pre>	<p>This requires programmatically executing SPARQL queries multiple times. The SPARQL query in A is initially used to retrieve information about interactions. The query in B is then used to retrieve the submodules in order to recursively fetch the interactions for the next iteration. The execution of SPARQL queries should be stopped when an entity does not include a submodule (example data: Table 2.4).</p> <p>A)</p> <pre> PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> SELECT ?Interaction WHERE { <MODULE_DEFINITION_URI> a sbol:ModuleDefinition ; sbol:interaction ?Interaction . } </pre> <p>B)</p> <pre> PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> SELECT ?ModuleDefinition WHERE { <MODULE_DEFINITION_URI> a sbol:ModuleDefinition ; sbol:module ?Module . ?Module a sbol:Module ; sbol:definition ?ModuleDefinition . } </pre>

Supplementary Table 6: Return direct or indirect types of a part. As an example, `ptetR` in Figure 6 is used.

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<p>No need for a query. The direct type (<code>ComponentDefinition</code>) and indirect types (<code>TopLevel</code> and <code>Identified</code>) are available via reasoners. (example data: Table 2.3)</p>	<p>The transitive query only returns the direct type (example data: Table 2.2). the query only succeeds to return all types when SBOL-OWL is applied (example data: Table 2.3, RDFS reasoning example: Table 2.1).</p> <pre> PREFIX rdfs: <http://www.w3.org/2000/01/rdf-schema#> PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> PREFIX pr: <http://parts.igem.org/> SELECT ?type WHERE { ?type rdfs:subClassOf* ?type . pr:ptetR a ?type. } </pre>

Supplementary Table 7: Return all TopLevel entities.

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<p>No need for a query. All entities of the TopLevel class are directly available via reasoners (example data: Table 2.5). Compatible with future SBOL specification changes, when new TopLevel entities are introduced to SBOL in the future.</p>	<p>Succeeds when all types inheriting from TopLevel are included in the SPARQL query. The query needs to be upgraded when new TopLevel entities are introduced to SBOL in the future (example data: Table 2.4).</p> <pre data-bbox="711 1031 1393 1308"> PREFIX rdf: <http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#> PREFIX sbol: <http://sbols.org/v2#> SELECT ?entity WHERE { {?entity a sbol:ComponentDefinition .} UNION {?entity a sbol:Sequence .} UNION {?entity a sbol:ModuleDefinition .} UNION {?entity a sbol:Attachment .} UNION {?entity a sbol:Model .} UNION {?entity a sbol:CombinatorialDerivation .} UNION {?entity a sbol:Attachment .} UNION {?entity a sbol:Implementation .} }</pre>