

DELIVERABLE D5: INFRASTRUCTURE SET UP AND TESTED

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This deliverable describes the infrastructure first set up at VU Amsterdam and transferred to Huygens ING.

CLIOPATRIA TRIPLE STORE @ HUYGENS

The Infrastructure is an instance of the ClioPatria triple store (<http://cliopatria.swi-prolog.org>). It is installed on a Web accessible server at Huygens ING. The instance is running at the URI <http://dutchshipasandsailors.nl/data>.

By browsing to that URI, one accesses the ClioPatria user interface to the DSS data, which allows one to browse the data. One way to start is by browsing the RDF Graphs loaded. By selecting a graph, one can then click through to see basic statistics or download the graphs in multiple formats. One can also use the search field in the top-right corner to search for resources with matching labels. The search field has semantic auto-completion that allows to select specific search terms. The screenshot below shows the welcome page.

For more complex queries, we have a number of interfaces to the SPARQL endpoint (For example the great YASGUI). On the DSS Queries page, we have listed a number of interesting example queries at http://dutchshipasandsailors.nl/datadss_queries Lastly, the provenance of the data can be visualized using provviz.

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Dutch Ships and Sailors (DSS) Semantic Layer

On this page, you find a live version of the Semantic Layer made for the Dutch Ships and Sailors project.

Viewing the data

You are now looking at the ClioPatria user interface to the DSS data, which allows you to browse the data. One way to start is by browsing the RDF Graphs loaded. By selecting a graph, you can then click through to see basic statistics or download the graphs in multiple formats. You can also use the search field in the top-right corner to search for resources with matching labels. The search field has semantic auto-completion to allow you to select specific search terms.

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About the project

This semantic layer was realized by [Victor de Boer](#) (VU University Amsterdam) in the context of the CLARIN-NL Dutch Ships and Sailors project in cooperation with Huygens ING and the history department of VU. This semantic layer is realized using ClioPatria, the SWI-Prolog Semantic Web Server

ClioPatria (version V3.0.0-98-g2981266)

FIG 1: SCREENSHOT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE

CLIOPATRIA TRIPLE STORE @ HUYGENS ING

A clone of the ClioPatria triple store is running at VU Amsterdam. This server acts as a backup server and for expanding experiments. The server is located at <http://semanticweb.cs.vu.nl/dss/>

PURL REDIRECTS AND CONTENT NEGOTIATION

<http://PURL.org> provides URI redirection services often used for Linked Data projects. In the DSS case, all URIs are PURL URIs which redirect to a local view of that resource on the Huygens version of the triple stores. ClioPatria has a module that allows Linked-Data compliant responses. If RDF data in XML, Json, Turtle or other formats is requested in the HTTP request, ClioPatria responds with the correct format. If HTML is requested, the response is the human-readable ClioPatria page.