

# Crawl Me Maybe: An Iterative Linked Dataset Crawler

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## Iterative Dataset Crawler

- 1) Metadata crawler
- 2) Instance-level crawler

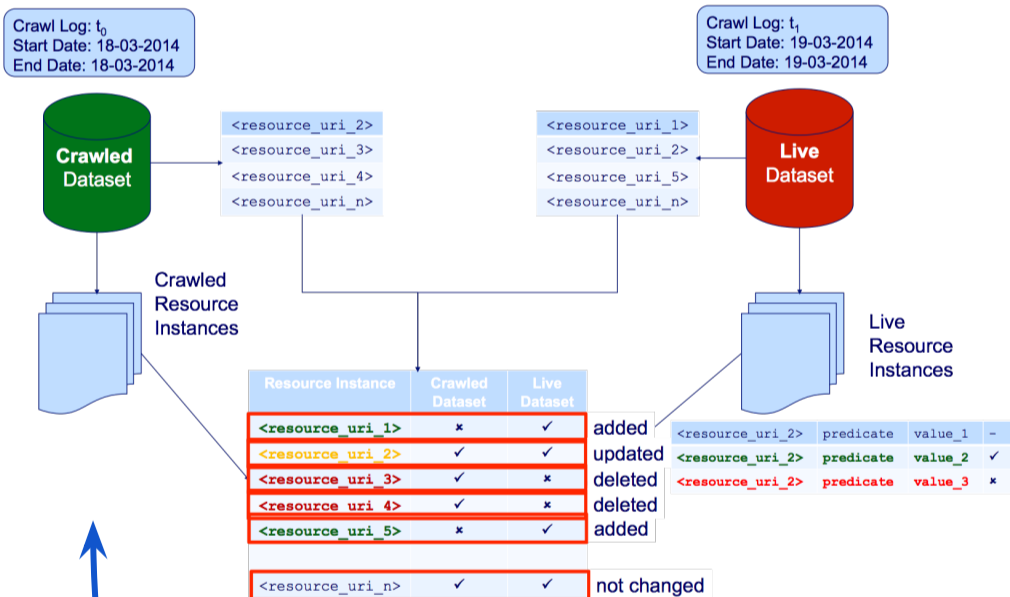
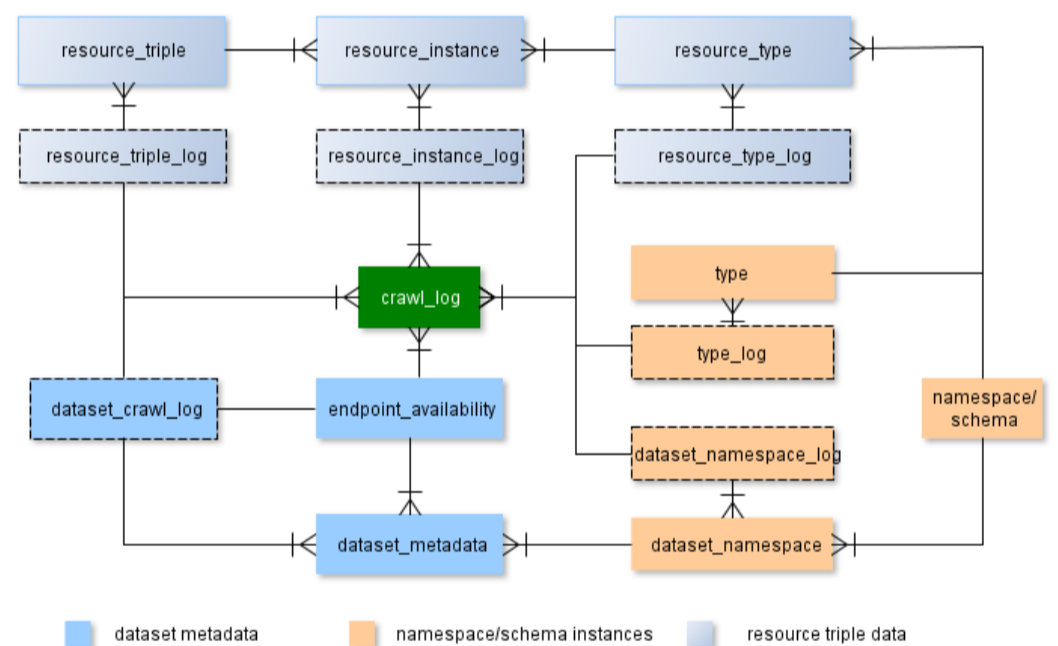
## What's the story?

- Evolution of Linked Datasets
- Flexible Crawl Definitions
- Iterative Crawls
- Capturing and Storing *Diffs* on-the-fly
- Dataset Crawler Web Interface

## Online diff computation

- 1) **Insertions:** Additions introduced in the dataset correspond to *insertions*.
- 2) **Deletions:** Over time, triples are deleted from a dataset due to various reasons ranging from persisting correctness to detection of errors.
- 3) **Updates:** Updates correspond to the *update* of one element of a triple  $\langle s,p,o \rangle$ .

## Dataset crawler schema



Iterative crawling between time points  $t_0$  and  $t_1$



## Key Features

- Capture dataset evolution
- Online *diff* computation based on three logging operators (*insertions/updates/deletions*)
- Analyze the state of a dataset at any given time point
- Web interface which allows the setup of the crawler, and facilitates simple query functionalities over the crawled data

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